

Margaret B. "Peggy" Douglass, 185 Hillcrest Circle, Franklin, died at home on Tuesday, Dec. 12, 2006.

Born in 1927 at Richmond, Va., she was the daughter of the late Richard Franklin Broaddus and Mary Lancaster Broaddus.

She was a member of First United Methodist Church for 44 years, serving in various positions in the church. She graduated from Salem College in Winston-Salem in 1948 and later from the University of Georgia in 1970. She taught school in Virginia and Bamberg, Germany, before marrying in 1953, and in East Lansing, Michigan, before moving to North Carolina. She taught in both grade school and high school in Franklin before retiring in 1987 after 25 years of teaching. She was a member and officer in the Daughters of the American Revolution and the United Daughters of the Confederacy. She was also a member of the NCRGE, NCAE-NEA, and of local teaching organizations.

She is survived by her husband, James E Douglass of Franklin; two sons, Richard B. Douglass and wife Victoria of Franklin and Gregory S. Douglass and Linda R. Douglass of Dhahran, Saudi Arabia; two grandsons, Jason E. Douglass and Eric J. Douglass; a granddaughter, Leanne F. Douglass; two great-granddaughters, Morgan V. and Ashlynn J. Douglass; a great-grandson, Eric R.W. Douglass; a brother-in-law, Bernard A. Douglass and wife Sue; and a sister-in-law, Katherine Whitehurst.

A memorial service will be held at First United Methodist Church in Franklin on Friday, Dec. 15, at 11 a.m., with Revs. Wayne Allen and Maria Edmonds officiating. The family will receive friends on Friday, at 10 a.m., before the service.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to the First United Methodist Church, 66 Harrison Ave., Franklin, NC 28734 or Angel Home Health and Hospice, 170 Church St., Franklin, NC 28734.

Macon Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

Online condolences are available by visiting www.maconfuneralhome.com.