

Jenice Rivers Nelson

Jenice Rivers Nelson, 88, of Franklin, passed away Monday, July 18, 2005.

A native of Homestead, Fla., she was the daughter of the late Gideon C. Rivers and Bertha Aleen Jackson Rivers. She was married to the late Earl Conrad Nelson, who died in 1998. She was also preceded in death by two brothers, Denniston Rivers and Ray Rivers, and a sister, Norma Rivers.

She was a member of First United Methodist Church and a member of the Methodist Women's Group (Mary Martha Circle), member of the Nantahala Hiking Club and a member of the Bartram Trail and WNC Alliance.

She is survived by two children, Conrad Nelson of Atlanta, Ga., and Anita Eileen Willis of La Porte, Texas; one brother, Robert Boyd Rivers of Ft. Pierce, Fla.; four grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and a number of nieces and nephews.

A memorial service will be held Thursday, July 28, at 11 a.m., at First United Methodist Church in Franklin.

Burial will follow, attended by the family, in Highlands Memorial Park Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to First United Methodist Church, Parish Nurse Mission, 66 Harrison Ave., Franklin, NC 28734.

Macon Funeral Home is in charge of the arrangements.

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

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