

DOROTHY ANN (SHANKS) FIKE OBT.

b. 18 September 1928, Buffalo Valley, Putnam Co., TN – d. 31 March 2022, Madison, Davidson Co., TN and **Ralph Herbert Fike**, b. 4 April 1927 – d. 9 April 2011, (US Navy WWII), s/o **Hugh Franklin Fike** (1886-1957) & **Wrenner McKee** (1893-1961), both buried in Oak Hill Cemetery, Birmingham, Jefferson Co., AL. Dorothy Ann (Shanks) Fike, d/o **Walter Robinson Shanks** (1883-1967) & **Euda Elizabeth Warren** (1902-1985), both buried in Maddux Cemetery, Putnam Co., TN.

Friday March 11, 2022, at 9:00 am until time of service at 11:00 am. Burial will immediately follow the service in Buffalo Valley at the Maddux Family Cemetery located on the Shanks Farm at 2900 Maddux Cemetery Rd, Silver Point, Tenn. 38582.



Hooper Huddleston and Horner Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. (931)526-6111 You may share memories and condolences at hhhfunerals.com.

Fike, Dorothy Ann Shanks (93) of Madison, TN, passed away on (March 31, 2022). She was preceded in death by her husband, Ralph Herbert Fike, of sixty years; her parents, Walter & Euda Warren Shanks; her brothers, Walter Warren (Wanda Stout), Reggie (Andeline Stout, also deceased), and baby Teddy Craven Shanks.

She is survived by Carolyn Vermilye (Bob), Nancy Roark (Alton), Linda Moran (Barry), and Ralph David Fike (Christy); Grandchildren, Gretchen Whaley (Ron Joe), Joshua Roark (Amanda), Victoria Vermilye, Emily Peterson (Matt), Sarah Moran, Erynn Fike, Haydynn Fike, and Matthew Moran. She is also survived by seven great grandchildren (with 2 more on the way) and brother Robert Shanks (Doris Gillen, deceased).



Dorothy was a native of Putnam County, a graduate of Baxter Seminary High School and Tennessee Polytechnic Institute (TPI). **After graduation she taught mathematics at Baxter Seminary 1949-1951**, but her chosen career was wife, homemaker, and stay-at-home mom. She was an active member of First Baptist Church Madison since 1977, where she taught Sunday School for many years. Memorial gifts (Please No Flowers) to First Baptist Church Madison (719 Gallatin Rd, Madison, TN 37115) will be much appreciated. Pallbearers: Josh Roark, Haydynn Fike, Matthew Moran, Micah Whaley, Nate Whaley and Barry Moran. Honorary Pallbearers: Robert Shanks, Bob Vermilye, Ron Joe Whaley, Beckett Roark, Gary Bodenstien, Jose Perez, and Bill Stubbs.

(Pictured: Dorothy Ann Shanks – Mathematics teacher Baxter Seminary 1950).

Visitation will be on Monday, April 4th from 4:00 to 7:00 PM, followed by the service at 7:00 PM at Madison Funeral Home (219 Old Hickory Blvd, Madison TN 37115, Phone - 615-868-9020, email – madisonfuneralhome.net). Interment will be at (11:00 AM) on (April 5th) in Maddux Cemetery in Buffalo Valley, TN.

RALPH HERBERT FIKE OBT.

MADISON -- Funeral services for Ralph Herbert Fike, 83, of Madison, will be held at 11 a.m. Tuesday, April 12, in the chapel of Madison Funeral Home. Interment will follow at 3 p.m. in Maddux Cemetery in Buffalo Valley.

Family will receive friends from 4-8 p.m. today, Monday, April 11, at the funeral home.

Mr. Fike passed away Saturday, April 9, 2011.

He was a graduate of Baxter Seminary and a student at UT Knoxville. Mr. Fike served in the Navy during World War II and retired from the Army Corps of Engineers in 1986, after 30+ years of service. He was an active member of Madison First Baptist Church for 33 years, where memorial contributions may be made.

His family includes his loving wife of 60 years, Dorothy Ann Shanks Fike; three daughters and sons-in-law, Carolyn and Bob Vermilye, Nancy and Alton Roark and Linda and Barry Moran; a son and daughter-in-law, Ralph David and Christy Fike; eight grandchildren, Gretchen Roark Whaley and husband Ron Joe, Josh Roark and wife Amanda, Victoria Vermilye, Sarah Moran, Matthew Moran, Emily Fike, Erynn Fike and Haydynn Fike; and two great-grandchildren, Micah and Nate Whaley.



Pallbearers will be Ron Joe Whaley, Ken Ferdon, Larry Kenny, David Mistakovitch, Joe Perryman and Rich Powell.

Honorary pallbearers will be Josh Roark, Haydynn Fike, Matthew Moran, Micah and Nate Whaley, Robert Shanks, Reggie Shanks, Barry Moran, Alton Roark and Robert Vermilye.

Online tributes may be made to www.madisonfuneralhome.net.

Madison Funeral Home (219 Old Hickory Blvd. East, Madison, TN) is in charge of arrangements.

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