



ELFRIEDE B. CHANDLER

October 23, 1930 - January 16, 2014

Elfriede B. Chandler devoted mother and grandmother of Bessemer passed away on January 16, 2014. She was born on October 23, 1930 and grew up in Vienna, Austria as "Elfi". After having survived the war, she met an American soldier that became her true love. He brought her to Alabama to be his dedicated wife and homemaker. She is preceded in death by her husband, Louis A. Chandler, Jr.. She is survived by her daughter, Cariss (Chandler) Dooley; grandson, Christopher Mitchell Dooley (Laura Myrick Dooley); great grandson Aiden Dagnan; family members and many German and American friends. Although raised Catholic, when able, she attended CrossRoad Baptist Church, Hueytown, AL and enjoyed telling them about how the song "Silent Night" was written in her hometown. The visitation will be Sunday, January 19, 2014 from 2:00 PM until to 4:00 PM, at Peoples Chapel Funeral Home. The funeral service will be Monday January 20, 2014 at 12:00 PM at the Funeral Home. Burial will follow at Pilgrim Rest Cemetery.