



IDA "CRICKETT" KESLER

October 20, 1935 - March 16, 2023

Crickett was born in Rickman, Tennessee. She attended the local public schools there. She married her first husband Terry Heckathorn. His career with Firestone relocated them many times across the Southeast where she made lifelong friends as neighbor, church friend and co-worker. After his death Crickett met and married Randy Kesler. She was loved dearly by the members of the churches Randy has served as pastor. Crickett adored and was dedicated to her family. Always the gracious hostess, mother, grandmother and great- grandmother.

Preceded in death by her parents Tommy Dodson and Mary Ann Dodson, sisters Curtis Officer and Joyce Windle, and brother Kenneth Dodson.

Survivors include her husband Randy Kesler, son Frank (Susie) Heckathorn. Grandsons Patrick (Jamila) Heckathorn, and Andrew Heckathorn. Great-grandchildren Norah Heckathorn and Frank Heckathorn. One sister Barbara (Eugene) Gilliam. Many loved nieces and nephews.

Services: The visitation will be from 2:00 until 3:00 Sunday, March 19 at Dodson Chapel Methodist Church. The funeral service at 3:00. Burial will follow in the cemetery at the church.

Celebration of Life service will be held on Saturday, March 25, 2023 at

Shepherd of the Valley Presbyterian Church. Visitation from 11:00-12:00 and service at 12:00.

Any memorials can be made to Bryan Presbyterian Church or Shepherd of the Valley Presbyterian Church.

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