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Catherine Ann Sharpe Ray, age 87, passed away April 14, 2018. She was born October 13, 1930. She is survived by her daughter, Dianne M. Thackery; sons, J. Michael Ray (Jean) and Philip D. Ray (Cheryl); daughter-in-law, Lynne Ray; six grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, James C. Ray and son, Stephen D. Ray. The family will receive friends from 4:00 p.m. until 6:00 p.m. with a Rosary at 6:00 p.m., Wednesday, April 18 at Memorial Park Funeral Home. Funeral Mass will be held at 9:30 a.m., Thursday, April 20 at Holy Rosary Catholic Church. Burial will follow in Memorial Park Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, the family requests memorial donations be sent to Holy Rosary Catholic Church or St. James Catholic Church. Arrangements have been entrusted to Memorial Park Funeral Home and Cemetery, 5668 Poplar Ave., Memphis, TN 38119 (901) 767-8930. "Celebrating Life... Behind the Stone Wall".



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MR

Mark Renick posted:

Mrs Ray taught me piano from 1967 until 1970 at Willow Osks Elementary. I continued private lessons with her at her home on Russwood. I will always love and respect her for introducing me to the wonderful world of music. I hope she knew how many children's lives she touched. I remember her telling me every week if I didn't practice she would shake me till my liver rattled with a kind smile. It worked! Rest In Peace Mrs Ray. You made my world and countless others worlds such a better place. My prayers to all of the family.

April 17 at 8:34 AM

LJ

Laverne Jones posted:

My heart goes out to your family. We can look forward to the time when all sickness, suffering, and death will be gone forever. Isaiah 33:24 Please accept my condolences.

April 17 at 7:13 AM



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