



# Mary Ann McDonald Allison

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**M**ary Ann McDonald Allison, 80, of Memphis, Tennessee, completed her life's journey on September 11, 2014. She was born in Sardis, Arkansas to James A. (Junior) McDonald and Pearl Parris McDonald. A long-time resident of Little Rock, Arkansas, she retired from Bank of America, formerly Worthen Bank, as Compliance Officer. Her greatest joys were her husband, children and grandchildren of whom she was very proud. She was preceded in death by her husband of sixty years, David D. Allison, and her parents. Survivors include three sons, Jim Allison (Dinah) of Memphis, Joe Allison (Laura) of Bartlesville, Oklahoma, and Jeff Allison (Beth) of Collierville, Tennessee; grandchildren, Lindsey Allison, Ryan Allison (Leigh), Brent Allison (Beka), Jessica Grashot (Tony), Tara Allison (Melynda), and Carrie Allison; three great grandchildren; sisters, Martha Kage (Ed) of Memphis and Jane Archer (Sam) of Maumelle, Arkansas, and brother, James McDonald (Sharon) of Maryville, Tennessee. The family will receive visitors from 10:00 a.m. until the funeral service begins at 11:30 a.m. Monday, September 15, at Germantown United Methodist Church, 2331 South Germantown Rd, Germantown, Tennessee. A graveside service will be held at 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, September 16 at Rest Hills Memorial Park in Sherwood, Arkansas. Memorials may be sent to Methodist Hospice Residence, 6416 Quince Rd. Memphis, TN 38119 or to charity of the donor's choice.



## Tribute Wall

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MC

**Martin Chilcote** posted:

Jeff, Beth, and Family, my thoughts and prayers are with you during this very sad time. "Draw near to God and he will draw near to you" James 4:8 -Martin

October 1 at 8:12 AM

MC

**Martin Chilcote** posted:

Jeff, Beth, and Family; My thoughts and prayers are with you, I pray you will find comfort in each other and hold on to the love that was shared between you all.

September 18 at 4:59 AM

KM

**Kay Morgan** posted:

There are two memories that I always shared with Mary. The first was when the wedding cake for Joe & Laura Allison's wedding arrived at the church damaged. With the help of a table knife and toothpicks, Mary and I put it back together and 're-decorated' the cake. We were very proud of ourselves. The other occasion was on Martha and Ed Kage's boat. It involved a few friends and family, much champagne, champagne, corks flying through the air, and a great deal of laughing and crying! Mary and myself did all of the crying and some of the laughing. Mary & I had discovered that we cry when we drink champagne. I will always remember Mary smiling through tears. Our children from that time on did not allow us to sit together and have champagne. Love to Joe and Laura and all the other kids and grand-kids and family I will miss her, too. Kay McKoy Morgan

September 15 at 9:51 AM

GH

**Greg Hughes** posted:

My thoughts and prayers go out to the entire family.

September 15 at 6:48 AM

MP

**Memorial Park** posted:

Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mary Ann McDonald Allison.

September 15 at 3:41 AM



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AS

**Ann Smith** posted:

Wishing the family peace and comfort. Stuart and Ann Smith

September 15 at 3:08 AM

EP

**Earl Parris** posted:

Jim, Martha and JaneSo sorry for your loss. To have a sister like Mary is priceless. Her picture reminds of your mother. We all know how much she was loved. Her being buried next to David is where she would want to be. God bless Earl Jr. AKA Buster and all the Parris family

September 14 at 2:40 PM

PK

**Pam Kirthlink** posted:

Thinking of the family at this time. Abdiel Temple No. 147 Daughters of the Nile

September 14 at 2:30 PM

AR

**Arlene** posted:

Mary and I worked together at Worthen Bank years ago. She was a jewel for sure, have missed her since moving to Tenn, May she RIP. Condolences to her family which she loved very dearly, Arlene Marcotte

September 14 at 10:10 AM

LC

**Lisa Carter** posted:

Sending love, prayers and condolences to the family from cousins Marilyn (Parris) Carter and Floy (Parris) Moody.

September 14 at 4:18 AM

AS

**Amy, Wayne, Ben, Will, Susanna & Sam** posted:

Amy, Wayne, Ben, Will, Susanna & Sam purchased the Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant for the family of Mary Ann McDonald Allison.

September 13 at 6:04 PM



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KE

**Kay Tull Ewart** posted:

Martha, Jane, and Jim: Sending you my sympathy and wishing you strength and comfort. Let your memories fill your mind, warm your hear, and lead you though. Love, Kay Tull Ewart (I regret that I have no addresses to send a real card.)

September 13 at 8:42 AM

LB

**Lee Ann Bennett** posted:

Mary was my first boss at Worthen Bank years ago and I loved her...even after having a baby and moving to another department,we still stayed in touch. RIP Mary.....

September 13 at 8:24 AM

CH

**Clarence & Phyllis Hall** posted:

Clarence & Phyllis Hall purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Mary Ann McDonald Allison.

September 12 at 11:51 AM

JG

**Jan Grimsley** posted:

Our prayers are with your entire family...The Grimsleys

September 12 at 10:27 AM

MP

**Memorial Park** posted:

Rose Tribute was purchased for the family of Mary Ann McDonald Allison.

September 12 at 9:25 AM



# **Memories only last if you share them**

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