



## Rosemary Rankin Sturgill

October 24, 1929 - December 17, 2016

Rosemary Rankin Sturgill, 86, of Lexington, KY formerly of Ashland, KY died Saturday December 17, 2016, at Hospice Care Center in Lexington, KY. She was born October 24, 1930, in Ashland the daughter of the late Bert S. and Martha Fannin Rankin. She was a graduate of Ashland High School and the nursing program at Good Samaritan Hospital in Lexington. Rosemary worked as a registered nurse for ten years at Central Baptist Hospital in Lexington and for twenty years at Our Lady of Bellefonte Hospital, serving the last five years as director of nursing. Later she worked in the practices of Dr. Glenn Boggs and Dr. Michael Ehrie, retiring in 2002. She was a member of Broadway Baptist Church in Lexington, KY and a longtime member of Ashland First Baptist Church. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a son, Robert Lee Sturgill, Jr. She is survived by her husband, Robert Sturgill of Lexington, KY; three daughters, Jane Leake (Paul) of Atlanta, GA, Mary Young (Jeff) of Catlettsburg, KY and Kathy Riddle (Joe) of Atlanta, GA; one son, Jim Sturgill (Edyee) of Bowling Green, KY; two sisters, Geneva Byer of Russell, KY and Phyllis Wurts (Harry) of Ashland, KY; seven grandchildren, Andrew Leake, Abby Leake, Adam Young, Emilee Young Sexton, Rob Riddle, Carson Sturgill and Savanna Sturgill; five great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be conducted 12:00 PM Wednesday December 21, 2016 at Miller Funeral Home with Pastor Ken Gowin officiating. Burial will follow in Rose Hill Burial Park. The family will receive friends from 11:00 AM until service time Wednesday at the funeral

home. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to: Hospice of the Bluegrass  
@ 2409 Members Way, Lexington, KY 40504 or Ashland First Baptist Church  
@ 1701 Winchester Ave. Ashland, KY 41101.

# Cemetery Details

## Rose Hill Burial Park

3801 13th Street  
Ashland, KY 41101  
millerfuneralhome@windstream.net

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 21. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

Miller Funeral Home  
1941 Carter Ave  
Ashland, KY 41101  
(606) 324-2141  
jim@mhfhome.com

## Service

DEC 21. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

DB

“ Jane and family, You are in my prayers and thoughts during this time. Love,  
Deborah Brown

Deborah Brown - December 22, 2016 at 04:35 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Rosemary Rankin Sturgill.



December 20, 2016 at 03:48 PM



“ Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rosemary Rankin Sturgill.



December 20, 2016 at 03:45 PM

MS

“ Mark Sturgill lit a candle in memory of Rosemary Rankin Sturgill



Mark Sturgill - December 20, 2016 at 01:38 PM

MS

*We are so sorry to hear of the loss of Aunt Rosemary. Uncle Bobby and family you are in our thoughts and prayers. Love Mark & Lynn Sturgill & Family. Oviedo, Fl.*

**Mark Sturgill** - December 20, 2016 at 01:42 PM

TA

*Prayers for comfort to the family for your loss. Wish we could be there to offer hugs! - Scott, Tara and Garrett Lykins*

**Tara** - December 21, 2016 at 08:32 AM

AS

*Jane, soo sorry to hear of the loss of you mom. I'm praying for you and your family during this challenging time. - Andrea shupert*

**Andrea Shupert** - December 22, 2016 at 10:58 AM

SC

“ *Sincerely, Kate & Tony Thomas and Thomas & Company purchased the Gift of Grace Bouquet for the family of Rosemary Rankin Sturgill.*



**Sincerely, Kate & Tony Thomas and Thomas & Company** -  
December 20, 2016 at 12:48 PM

BD

“ *Charlie and I are so sorry to hear of the loss of Rosemary. Your family will be in our thoughts and prayers.*



**Betty and Charles Douglas** - December 20, 2016 at 09:16 AM