



## Martha Elizabeth Boen

December 31, 1921 - October 18, 2015

Martha Elizabeth White Boen, age 93, died at her home on Sunday, October 18, 2015. She was born December 31, 1921, in Decaturville, TN. She was preceded in death by her parents William Clyde and Allie Johnson White, her sisters Mary Johnson Perkins and Ruth White Dortch, and her husband of 54 years, Roald Einar Boen. She is survived by her son, Gilbert (Lynn) Boen of Huntsville, AL; granddaughters, Page (Doug) McBay and Laura (Richard) Dyer; great-grandchildren, Brandon and Grant McBay and Anna and Avery Dyer, all of Lexington. She is also survived by two step great-grandchildren: Niki (Jason) Kelso of Burns, TN, and Russ (Sarah) McBay of Dickson, TN, as well as two great-great grandchildren, Reese and Hazlee Kelso. She is also survived by her faithful canine companion, Sisco. Elizabeth and her childhood family moved from Decaturville, TN to Milan, TN where they could work with the war effort. She began working at the Milan Arsenal where she drove a truck and met her future husband, a strapping pilot from Minnesota. He taught her how to fly and witnessed her first solo flight in 1944. After moving to Lexington, she worked as a lab/X-ray technician at the community hospital and also for many years as the office manager at Boen-Aero Flight Service. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Lexington since 1948 and especially enjoyed the Deborah Sunday School Class with many special ladies. She was a talented artist whose pieces will be treasured by her family. Elizabeth was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother who will be dearly missed. Memorial services will be on Saturday, October 24 at 3PM at The First United Methodist Church in Lexington with burial to follow in Lexington Cemetery. Visitation will be on Saturday from 1PM till service at the Church.

# Comments

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“ Anna Kirk lit a candle in memory of Martha Elizabeth Boen



**Anna Kirk** - October 25, 2015 at 02:08 PM



“ Our sincere sympathy to the family, during this time of loss of a loved one. Our hearts and prayers are with you.

**Anna Kirk** - October 25, 2015 at 02:09 PM

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“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Martha Elizabeth Boen.



October 22, 2015 at 10:40 AM