



Fannie "ELLA" Riddle

May 20, 1939 - August 25, 2025

Fannie "ELLA" Wilhoite Bennett Riddle of Tullahoma, Tennessee passed from this life on Monday, August 25, 2025, at NHC Healthcare in Tullahoma, Tennessee at the age of 86 years.

A native of Tullahoma, Tennessee, she is the daughter of the late Horace Franklin and Mary Fannie Dorsett Wilhoite. Along with her parents, she was preceded in death by her first husband, Curtis Wayne Bennett Sr. in 2001, three brothers, Robert Wilhoite, Horace Franklin Wilhoite Jr., and Jacob Wilhoite. She is also preceded in death by one sister, Virginia Cunningham. Funeral services will be held on Friday, August 29, 2025, at 11:00 AM at West End Baptist Church located at 112 N. Collins Street in Tullahoma. Burial will follow at Maplewood Cemetery. Friends may visit at the church on Thursday evening, August 28, 2025, from 5:00 to 7:00 PM.

"Ella" to those who were closest to her, was a God fearing woman and a member of the West End Baptist Church in Tullahoma, Tennessee. She was a wonderful mother, grandmother and friend. She will be greatly missed by those who knew and loved her.

Her survivors include her husband of 17 years, R.C. Riddle of Tullahoma, Tennessee, children, Curtis Wayne Bennett Jr. of Tullahoma, Tennessee, Faith Bennett (Glenn) Sikes of Clinton, Mississippi, Rhonda Riddle (Tim) Page of Normandy, Tennessee, seven grandchildren, sixteen great grandchildren and two great-great grandchildren.

Online condolences may be made at www.davesculbertsonfuneralhome.com
Daves-Culbertson Funeral Home is honored to be serving the family of Fannie
Ella Riddle.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **28**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

West End Baptist Church
112 N. Collins Street
Tullahoma, TN 37388

Funeral Service

AUG **29**. 11:00 AM (CT)

West End Baptist Church
112 N. Collins Street
Tullahoma, TN 37388

Burial

AUG **29** (CT)

Maplewood Cemetery
Tullahoma, TN

Tribute Wall

AN

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. I just wished that I could have met this sweet lady. I'm going to miss our long talks. There is such peace knowing that she loved Jesus with all her heart. She will defiantly be missed. Faith , you had a great mom. I loved her bunches.

Angela Neal - August 28, 2025 at 09:40 PM

GR

“ Granny Rosie purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Fannie "ELLA" Riddle.



Granny Rosie - August 28, 2025 at 02:25 PM

LS

“ Lindsay and Eric Stewart purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Fannie "ELLA" Riddle.



Lindsay and Eric Stewart - August 28, 2025 at 12:00 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Fannie "ELLA" Riddle.

August 28, 2025 at 08:49 AM



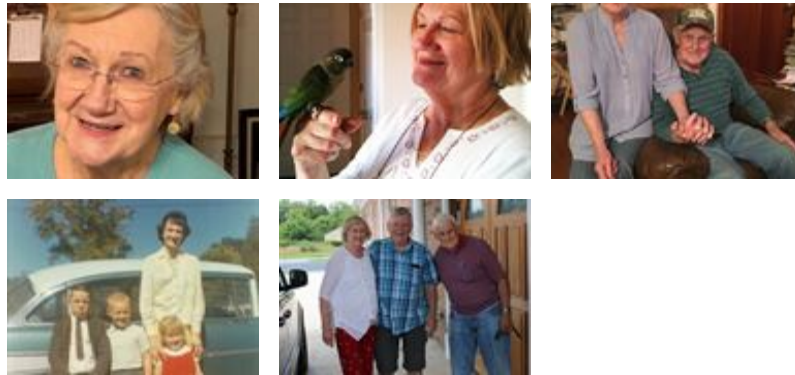
“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Fannie "ELLA" Riddle.*



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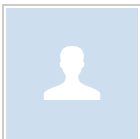


Daves-Culbertson Funeral Home - August 27, 2025 at 04:44 PM

FM

We were the best of friends since we were teenagers. She was always there for me when I needed her. And I tried to be there for her to. She was my best friend ever Love you Ella. The next time we met we want have to say goodbye.

Faye Martin - August 27, 2025 at 05:25 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Fannie "ELLA" Riddle.*



August 27, 2025 at 04:31 PM