



## Mary C Rice

June 5, 1927 - January 16, 2013

Mary Ruth Clark Rice, 85, wife of the late Oscar Prince "O.P." "Ossie Rice" Rice, Jr., passed away on Wednesday, January 16, 2013 in Richardson, Texas.

Born in Travelers Rest, SC, she was the daughter of the late James Elmer and Mattie Parker Clark. Mrs. Rice was a long time Registered Nurse and retired from the Greenville General Hospital and a member of the Travelers Rest United Methodist Church.

Surviving are her daughter, Susan Paradis and husband Douglas; a son, John Thomas Rice and wife Deborah; two sisters Annie Johnson and Lillian Cleveland; five grandchildren Rebecca Paradis Bork, Ed Paradis, Elizabeth Paradis, Jason Rice and Thomas Rice; two great-grandchildren David Bork and Michael Bork.

Mrs. Rice was also predeceased by two sisters, Cecile Thompson and Faye Ebener and a brother, James Clark.

Funeral services will be held on Sunday at 2 p.m. at The Howze Mortuary with visitation prior from 1 p.m. until 2 p.m.

Burial will be at Jackson Grove United Methodist Church Cemetery.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 20. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary  
6714 State Park Rd./P.O. Box 369  
Travelers Rest, SC

## Service

JAN 20. 2:00 PM (ET)

The Howze Mortuary Chapel  
6714 State Park Rd./P.O. Box 369  
Travelers Rest, SC

# Tribute Wall

JH

“ *With caring thoughts...The Alumnae Association of the Greenville General Hospital School of Nursing.*

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**Julie Hunt** - January 20, 2013 at 09:29 PM

WW

“ *Praying for you all. Winnie (& Doris)*

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**Winnie Gilreath Westbury** - January 20, 2013 at 11:48 AM

KM

“ *I heard about Mary's death. I'm so sorry. My name is Dorothy Bishop Davenport, Mary's roommate while we were in training.*

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**Kinley McMillan** - January 20, 2013 at 10:54 AM



“ *1 file added to the tribute wall*



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**Tom** - January 19, 2013 at 05:50 AM



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**Tom** - January 18, 2013 at 04:06 PM

KG

“ Tom: We know how much you loved your mother. God blesses us through good mothers. You will miss her but she is in heaven awaiting you. God bless!

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**Ken and Melissa Gentry** - January 18, 2013 at 11:21 AM



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**Tom** - January 17, 2013 at 04:13 PM

SB

*Tom and Family, We will be remembering you in our prayers at this time of sorrow. You had a wonderful Mother, I remember her when we were in school. May you find comfort knowing that she is in a wonderful place now with no suffering or pain. Mickey and Sharon Belk*

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**Sharon C. Belk** - January 18, 2013 at 10:07 AM

DB

*Tom,  
Bill and I are so very sorry for the loss of your mother. Our thoughts and prayers go out to you and your family. May the Lord above continue to sustain you in your grief.*

*Bill and Dana Boney*

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**Dana Boney** - January 18, 2013 at 10:42 AM

DM

*Tom, I am so sorry for the loss of your sweet mother. You have my sympathy and prayers.*

*Debbie Grumbles McAbee*

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**Debbie Grumbles McAbee** - January 20, 2013 at 02:33 PM