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2016 Upper Paw Paw Road, Marshall, NC.**

OBITUARY COLUMN ANNOUNCEMENT:

KANARDY L. TAYLOR - MARSHALL

Kanardy Leslie Taylor, 90, of 2014 Upper Paw Paw Road, died Wednesday Oct 3, 2001 at his home.

Mr. Taylor was born November 9, 1910 in Peoria, Illinois, the son of William Kanardy Taylor and Hattie Dell Atterberry Taylor. Mr. Taylor has resided in Marshall since 1998. He had a distinguished career in library work. He was the librarian of the U. S. Department of Health, Education, and Welfare in Washington, D.C.; Chief of Readers Services at the Air University Library at Maxwell Air Force Base, Montgomery Alabama; Librarian of the Transportation Center, Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill.; Chief Librarian of the Armed Forces Medical Library in Washington, D.C.

He retired in 1973 and enjoyed wood carving.

He is survived by his wife, Bonnie S. Taylor and daughter Kay Gordon of Marshall; sons Alan K. Taylor of Silver Spring, MD.; William M. Taylor of Clarksville, MD.; Granddaughters Alicia Taylor of Laurel, MD.; Kendra Bennett of Kailua, Hawaii; Lisa Taylor of Clarksville, MD.; Kara Elkins of Asheville; great granddaughter Kaylei Bennett of TX.

The family will receive friends Saturday, Oct 6th, between 1 and 3pm at the home of Kay Gordon 2016 Upper Paw Paw Road, Marshall.

Flowers will be accepted or a memorial may be made to the Hospice of Madison County.

BONNIE SOWDER TAYLOR

MARSHALL, NC - Bonnie Sowder Taylor, 104, passed away on October 28, 2014 at The WNC Baptist Home, Asheville, NC. She was born June 3, 1910, on her father's farm near Okemah, Oklahoma, the youngest of 4 children of Morris Franklin Sowder and Joyce Lawrence Sowder. Bonnie graduated from Northeastern Teachers College, Tahlequah, OK, and the University of Illinois Graduate Library School, where she met her future husband, Kanardy Leslie Taylor. When Kanardy died in 2001, they had been married for 66 years, living in the Chicago area, and suburban Maryland near Washington, DC. After Kanardy's retirement in 1975, they spent winters in Florida, and in 1998, they moved to Madison County, NC.

She is survived by their children, Alan Kanardy Taylor (Vicki) of Cape Coral, FL, William Morris Taylor of Lake Worth, FL, and Joyce Kay Gordon (Peter) of Weaverville,



NC; grandchildren, Kara Lynn Gordon of Asheville, NC, Alicia Kay Taylor of Laurel, MD, Lisa Taylor of Towson, MD, and Kendra Taylor Hawkins; great-grandchildren, Kaylei Cai Bennett of Portland, TX, and Cavin Hawkins of Austin, TX.

Bonnie was a gentle and loving wife and mother. She had a generous nature and quick humor. As a former librarian, she immensely enjoyed reading. Other favorites included sewing, crochet, quilting, hiking and camping. She has gifted her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren with a deep appreciation of nature, a sympathetic and unquestioning acceptance of others, and an unlimited love of life.