

PAULA ELLIS NIGHBERT

Paula Mae Ellis Nighbert, 86, of Hilliard, passed away January 6 at Lakes Crossing Assisted Living in Kingsland, Georgia. She was born February 27, 1932 in Stanton, Texas to the late Paul Stadler Ellis and Mazzie Mae Wright Ellis. She, along with her late husband, was a member of the National Camping Travelers Club.

Along with her parents; she is preceded in death by her husband Maynard Stockton Nighbert; a son Paul Nighbert; a sister Margaret Sanders; two brothers Charles Ellis and Alvin Ellis; and a daughter-in-law Glenda Nighbert.

She is survived by her children Stockton Nighbert, Neil (Denise) Nighbert and James (Kristi) Nighbert; a daughter-in-law Penny Nighbert; seven grandchildren Chad (Greta) Nighbert, Michael (Kelli) Nighbert, Audrey Nighbert (Brad) Shuler, Courtney Nighbert (Aaron) Petty, Dylan Nighbert, Erica Nighbert and Stephen (April) Kriete; 10 great-grandchildren Paul Nighbert, Ross Nighbert, Adrian Nighbert, Adalynn Petty, Taylor Petty, Peyton Messenbeck, Zoie Kriete, Eli Kriete, Madalyn Shuler and Brendon Shuler; a brother Jimmy (Neva) Ellis; two sisters-in-law Clare Ellis and Joyce Ellis; a brother-in-law Jim Sanders; and a number of nieces, nephews, and other relatives.

Memorialization will be by cremation.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held Friday, January 11 from 5-7 p.m. at Shepard-Roberson Funeral Home.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to Georgia Hospice Care of Brunswick, Georgia.

Condolences may be at www.shepardfh.com.

Arrangements were under the direction of Shepard-Roberson Funeral Home in Folkston.