



Martha Caldwell Cockfield

November 21, 1921 - September 13, 2022

Martha Caldwell Cockfield, 92, of Springfield, Virginia, passed away Tuesday, September 13, 2022. She is preceded in death by her husband, Bennie T. Cockfield to whom she was married for 63 years. She is survived by her three children, Ben Cockfield (Debbie) of Greenville, South Carolina, Julie Seay (Kevin) of Roanoke, Virginia, and Jennifer Le-Ann Pyles (Jerry) of Frederick, as well as grandchildren, Emily Seay Smith (Daniel), Ellen Seay, Katelyn Seay, Bryan Cockfield, Erin Cockfield, and John (Alex) Chestnut. Mrs. Cockfield also had two great grandchildren: Amelia Rose and Calvin Clarence Smith.

Mrs. Cockfield was born and raised in Newberry, South Carolina. She attended Winthrop College in Rock Hill, S.C. where she earned a degree in education. She taught high school English and Latin in Lake City, S.C. for several years before marrying Bennie and moving to Indiana due to his job with the Department of Agriculture. After moving to Northern Virginia and raising a family, she went back into teaching, working with young children for over 20 years.

Mrs. Cockfield was active in her church where she participated in multiple groups and organizations. One of the last groups in which she was active was the Quilts and More group, which helps to make quilts for others to brighten their day and items included in monthly military packages. Mrs. Cockfield was

also active in the altar preparations, ensuring that the sacrament of holy communion was prepared and ready. She and Mr. Cockfield drove many elderly members to church each Sunday so that they could worship in person. She and Mr. Cockfield were faithful servants to the St. Mark's community for many years.

A memorial service and burial in honor of Mrs. Cockfield will be planned in the near future.

Tribute Wall



“ *Martha Caldwell Cockfield*

October 27, 2022 at 09:45 PM



“ *I am so sorry to hear of Martha's passing. I recall many happy Caldwell family gatherings at the old "home place" in Long Lane, SC., with Martha, Aunt Annie, Uncle Alan and the many other relatives.*

*My condolences to the family.
Billy Walker, San Antonio, TX.*

BILLY WALKER - September 15, 2022 at 08:38 PM