



## Maxine Sue Robbins Wells

September 14, 1928 - October 4, 2018

Frankfort – Maxine Sue Robbins Wells, age 90, passed away Thursday, October 4, 2018. Services will be held at 12:00 noon at First United Methodist Church, Tuesday, October 9, 2018, with Dr. Phil Hill officiating, assisted by Rev. Gene Wells and Rev. Mark Shepherd. Burial will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Park in Erlanger, Kentucky. The family will receive friends at First United Methodist Church from 10:00 a.m. until 12:00 service time on Tuesday. Mrs. Wells was born in Jamestown, North Carolina, on September 14, 1928, to the late Odry Russell and Lollie Mae Green Robbins. She graduated as Valedictorian from Jamestown High School, class of 1946. She received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Christian Education from Asbury University in 1950. For many years, she served in childcare and as a substitute teacher. She was united in marriage on July 28, 1951, to James Thornbury Wells, who also preceded her in death. Together, they served in the Kentucky Conference of the United Methodist Church for 43 years, providing ministry in churches around the state. Mrs. Wells enjoyed gardening, cooking, and traveling. She loved to sing, and was blessed with a beautiful voice to share with those around her. She sang in choirs for her entire adult life. Capturing life through her camera was one of her favorite hobbies, and she always loved to share her photos with family and friends. She was kind-hearted, loving, and never met a stranger. Above all, she loved spending time with her family and friends. In addition to her husband and parents, she was preceded in death by her sister, Eloise Robbins Davis.

She is survived by her children, Ramona Newman (Bill) of Frankfort, Dr. Mark Russell Wells, of Battle Creek, Michigan, and Timothy James Wells (MaryLinda), of Frankfort; sister, Peggy Robbins Alexander, of High Point, North Carolina; grandchildren, David Aaron Wells, of Nashville, Tennessee, Christian Andrew Wells, of Knoxville, Tennessee, and Zachary William Newman, of Frankfort; and by one beloved great-grandchild, Luke James Wells.

Serving as pallbearers will be her sons, grandsons, and son-in-law, Bill Newman.

Flowers are welcome, and expressions of sympathy may be made to the First United Methodist Church Music Program, 211 Washington Street, Frankfort, Kentucky 40601 or Asbury University in Mrs. Wells' memory, at [www.secure.asbury.edu/giving](http://www.secure.asbury.edu/giving)

Arrangements are under the direction of Harrod Brothers Funeral Home.

# Cemetery Details

## Forest Lawn Memorial Park

3227 Dixie Highway  
Erlanger, KY 41018

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 9. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

First United Methodist Church  
211 Washington Street  
Frankfort, KY 40601

## Service

OCT 9. 12:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Maxine Sue Robbins Wells*

October 06, 2023 at 03:15 PM



“ *Dear Tim,*

*I will really miss your Mom's energy, her laughter, her thinking five steps ahead of whatever I was thinking any given moment... and - most importantly - how much she loved you, your brother and your sister. Jim definitely has some great company in Heaven now at last.*

*Roberto Sabastiani*

**Roberto Sabastiani** - October 14, 2018 at 12:58 AM



“ *When I think of Aunt Maxine, I think of Christmastime at Grandmother's. Those visits with the cousins, aunts, uncles and grandparents created such good memories. Maxine was always so cheerful, always smiling or laughing. The perfect little lady.*

*Though I had not seen Aunt Maxine for many years before she died, I will never forget what a fine example of a Christian woman she truly was.*

*My deepest sympathies to her family. Praise God for the hope of Christ's return.*

*Libby Wells (niece)*

**Elizabeth Wells** - October 09, 2018 at 04:31 PM



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Harrod Brothers Funeral Home - October 08, 2018 at 08:08 AM



“ Our deepest sympathy to the family of a wonderful sister-in-law and aunt. In lieu of flowers we sent a memorium to Asbury College in Maxine's name. May God's blessings be upon you always. Norma Mason, and Carl sand Nancy Carden.



Carl Carden - October 07, 2018 at 09:20 PM



“ Mark, I'm so sorry to see that your mom past away. When she came to Dr. Beiting's I always enjoyed talking to her and when she came to Florence United Methodist Church. She was a delightful and faithful lady. You're in my thoughts and prayers. Don't know if you'll remember me. I was front desk Ruth Fredstrom at Dr. Beiting's.

Ruth Fredstrom - October 07, 2018 at 06:05 PM