

Zelma Smith

1922 - 2015



OBCGS members and Volunteers are saddened to learn of the death of our long-time friend, Zelma Smith. Even after her move to Virginia, she continued to keep in touch and send us items of interest about genealogy. Zelma performed many volunteer functions at OBCGS, but most of us remember her as the Office Manager who kept us in line. When she moved to Virginia to be closer to her family it took three volunteers to do her job.

OBITUARY

Zelma Fund Smith, age 92, of Springfield, VA, formerly of Asheville, NC, died peacefully on February 6, 2015. She was the beloved wife of the late Hugh M. Smith.

Mrs. Smith was born in Caldwell, NJ. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church and the Edward Buncombe Chapter, NSDAR, of Asheville. She was also a volunteer at the Old Buncombe County Genealogical Society for more than 25 years; Mrs Smith volunteered at the French Broad Food Co-op for more than 30 years.

Surviving are three daughters: Barbara J. Viti of Cranston, RI, Janet S. Krygowski of Falls Church, VA, and Joan M. Smith of Arlington, VA. Mrs. Smith had four grandchildren: Matthew and Lauren Viti, and Evan and Sarah Krygowski.

Burial will be in Hanover, NJ. Donations may be made to the Old Buncombe County Genealogical Society, 128 Bingham Rd, Asheville, NC 28806.