



## Winifred Gardner Sigman

February 2, 1923 - January 15, 2016

Winifred Gardner Sigman, died Friday, January 15, 2016 in Jonesboro at the age of 92.

Winifred was born on February 2, 1923, in Vanndale, Arkansas. She was a member of P.E.O., the Hospital Auxiliary and Rotary. Winifred was honored with the Rotary Paul Harris Fellow in 1998. She worked at the Cross County Bank as a cashier and Administrative President for 32 years. Winifred was a member of Vanndale United Methodist Church.

Winifred is survived by several loving nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, Harry Killough Gardner and Ercel Jenkins Gardner and her husband, Luther Sigman in 2014.

Visitation will be Sunday, January 17, 2016 at Kernodle Funeral Home from 1 to 2 PM with services following at 2 PM. Burial will be in Vanndale Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Vanndale United Methodist Church, c/o Glenda Adams, P. O. Box 49, Vanndale, Arkansas 72387.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 17. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Kernodle Funeral Home  
315-325 E. Union Avenue  
Wynne, AR 72396  
(870) 238-2323  
kernodlefuneralhome@gmail.com  
<https://www.kernodlefh.com/>

## Funeral service

JAN 17. 2:00 PM (CT)

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## Interment

JAN 17 (CT)

Vanndale Cemetery  
Vanndale, AR

# Tribute Wall

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“ Winnie was always one of the treats I remember of my trips to the bank when I'd be sent to make a deposit for my father, WE Kinman, owner of OTASCO.

*She was a long time and valuable employee of Cross County Bank. When she retired my mother & I would run into her during my visits home & she was always such a pleasure to talk to & Wynne was lucky to have her be such an involved citizen.*

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**Tanya Kinman Baldwin** - January 17, 2016 at 06:14 PM

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“ Martha Milam lit a candle in memory of Winifred Gardner Sigman



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**Martha Milam** - January 17, 2016 at 05:57 PM

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“ Winnie hired me when i came to work at Cross County Bank. She was a hard worker and was dedicated to her job. Winnie and Luther were a wonderful couple that I am proud to have known. They touched many lives in our community.

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**Shirley Lee** - January 17, 2016 at 10:24 AM

PA

“ Ms Winnie came in to our lives almost two years ago when our agency was asked to provide care for her and her precious husband. She was a sweet soul that could also be head strong in an endearing way and I don't think anyone around her very long could not help but love her and learn positive life lessons. She was always so appreciative of everything and exhibited such grace and hospitality. Although she will be greatly missed she wanted nothing more than to be in glory reunited with her Mr Luther. Until we meet again.

*Paula Britton*

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**Paula** - January 16, 2016 at 03:09 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Winifred Gardner Sigman.



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January 16, 2016 at 02:30 PM

PM

“ Winnie was a very special person in my life. When I went to work at the bank at age 18 she took me under her wing and was a wonderful mentor and friend. I have many happy memories of my time with Winnie and Luther. Wish I was in Wynne to pay my respect in person but that is not the case. Just know that I am thinking of you and sorry for the loss of such a wonderful person in your lives. Paulette Myers

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**Paulette Myers** - January 16, 2016 at 01:06 PM

MM

*Luther and Winifred were very special people. My dad had worked for Mr. Harry for 12 years as the ginner. While teaching at Vanndale, I worked for Luther during cotton harvest. I even continued to work for him after we no longer had split term. I would teach all day and come after school and do the books. Every afternoon, Winifred would come by and visit on her way home. Luther and Winifred attended Vanndale Methodist, and I went to Cherry Valley. We shared many worship services together. They were a wonderful couple and did so much for people in Cross County. They will be missed by all. Martha Jones Milam*

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**Martha Milam** - January 17, 2016 at 05:57 PM

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*My dad, C.g. Futrell was employed by mr Gardner at the Vanndale cotton gin for many years, then worked for mr. Luther . We all loved Mrs Winifred. When my girls were babies, I would sometime take them to the bank with me and she was always so sweet and complimentary. She and Mrs. Bobbie Brown made all my visits to the bank enjoyable. I also worked at Cross Co. Bank for years off and on, when they needed me. Precious memories. May u rest in peace.*

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**thyra sullivan** - January 18, 2016 at 09:34 AM