

## **Mrs. Ruby Hopkins Surette**

Mrs. Ruby Hopkins Surette, 86, formerly of Damascus, died Saturday, March 27, 2010, at Wilson Health Care Center in Gaithersburg. She was the wife of the late Bernard James Surette.

Born Nov. 7, 1923, in Ashville, N.C., she was a daughter of the late Arthur Charles and Emma Storey Hopkins.

Mrs. Surette served in the U.S. Army during World War II, and attended Kingdom Hall of Jehovah's Witness in Gaithersburg.

Surviving are seven sons, Raymond Surette and wife, Joan, of Abington, Richard Surette and wife, Lorraine, of Florida, Ronald Surette and wife, Josephine, of Mount Airy, Gregory Surette and wife, Cynthia, of Eldersburg, Mark Surette and wife, Linda, of Waldorf, Eric Surette and wife, Margaux, of Florida, and Bruce Surette of Frederick; one sister, Barbara Hensley and husband, Robert, of Lima, Ohio; and 13 grandchildren.

Inurnment will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, March 31, at Parklawn Memorial Park, 12800 Veirs Mill Road, Rockville. Family and friends attending should assemble inside the cemetery gate by 10:45 a.m.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial contributions to the Marine Toys for Tots Foundation, 18251 Quantico Gateway Drive, Triangle, VA 22172.

Online condolences may be shared with the family at [MolesworthWilliams.com](http://MolesworthWilliams.com).