



*Amy Culberson  
Brinkley*

**Aug. 25, 1925 - Jan. 22, 2017**

Amy Culberson Brinkley, 91, passed away on Sunday, January 22, 2017. Amy was preceded in death by her parents, Harvey and Annie Gibson Culberson; her husband, Clyde Samuel (Sam) Brinkley; and her brother, Dick Culberson.

Amy was a long term resident of Valdese and Morganton, NC. She was active in the First Baptist Church in Valdese and sang in the choir and for numerous weddings. Not only a homemaker, Amy worked for WHKY in Valdese, at Western Piedmont Community College, and in the family business, City Oil Company. She was dedicated to her family and was a most proud mother of two US Marine Corps officers.

Mrs. Brinkley is survived by her two sons and their wives, Randy and Susan Brinkley, and Sam and Janice Brinkley; grandchildren, Kristen Brinkley, Stephen Brinkley, and Chad Brinkley; great grandchildren, Kelly Laydon, Samuel Laydon, Jack Brinkley, Kate Brinkley, Grace Brinkley, Avery Brinkley, Chandler Brinkley, and Prestyn Brinkley; her sister, Frieda Burts; and her nieces and nephews.

The memorial service will be held at 2 pm, Saturday, January 28, 2017 in the chapel at Burke Memorial Park (2506 Burke Memorial Park Road, Morganton).

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Semper Fidelis Fund ([semperfund.org](http://semperfund.org)), 825 College Blvd, Suite 102 PMB 609 Oceanside, CA 92057.

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting with local arrangements.

# Tribute Wall



—Bruce K Gidney