



Ida Shaw Barber

June 21, 2009

Ida Shaw Barber, 93 of St. Petersburg, passed away Sunday, June 21, 2009. She was born in Durham, North Carolina and upon graduating from Weldon, NC High School at the tender age of 16; she immediately enrolled in Duke University and received her B.A. four years later. She was active in the Glee Club, Alpha Phi Sorority, and other extracurricular activities. She then continued at Duke in the Graduate School of Nursing, received her degree in October of 1939 and was Certified as a Registered Nurse by the State of North Carolina one month later. After her marriage to William (Bill) L. Barber Sr. they resided in Charlotte, NC where she started and opened the first Chapter of the American Red Cross in Charlotte. Other positions she thrived at were The Visiting Nurses Association of St. Petersburg, Director of Nursing at the start up of the Neighborly Center for elderly day care, Director of Nursing for the St. Petersburg Chapter of the American Red Cross, Lead Disaster Coordinator for the

Tribute Wall



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