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Grace Bolen Claiborne, 89, of Summerville, widow of Theodore C. Claiborne, died Sunday, 31 October 2010, at Summerville Medical Center. Funeral Mass will be held Saturday, 06 November 2010, at 0900 at St. Theresa the Little Flower Catholic Church, 11001 Dorchester Road, Summerville. Rite of Committal with Final Commendation will follow at Dorchester Memory Gardens, 11000 Dorchester Road, Summerville. Friends may call at James A. Dyal Funeral Home, Summerville from 1800-2000 Friday evening. Mrs. Claiborne was born 04 March 1921, in New York, NY, daughter of the late Edward Bolen and Mary Ward Bolen. She was a member of the Women's Guild at St. Theresa's, the Elderberries Senior Group and a charter member of TAMWA. Survivors include: two sons and three daughters; Theodore Claiborne (Penny) of Lake Zurich, IL, Robert Claiborne of Waxhaw, NC, Patricia Waddell of Summerville, Suzanne Grella (James) of Summerville and Cynthia Beasley (Edward) of Tupalo, MS, eight grandchildren: Geoffrey (Amanda) Claiborne, Tracy Waddell, Brennan Claiborne, Gregory Grella, Brian Ledbetter, Owen Grella, Adam Claiborne and Elizabeth Beasley and five great-grandchildren. She was predeceased by a granddaughter; Emily Claiborne, daughter in law; Sharon Claiborne and a brother; Jack Bolen. A heartfelt thank you to her granddaughter Tracy who has cared for her grandmother for the last several years. In loving memory, donations may be made to: St. Theresa Catholic Church, Building Fund, 11001 Dorchester Road, Summerville, SC 29485, The American Cancer Society, 5900 Core Avenue, Suite 504, N. Charleston, SC 29406 or flowers will be accepted. A memorial message may be written to the family by visiting our website at www.jamesadyal.com. Arrangements By James A. Dyal Funeral Home, 303 S. Main Street, Summerville, SC 29483 (843) 873-4040.