

Rev. C. Ray and Mary Alice Dobbins



Churches Served: Editor of The Cumberland Presbyterian Magazine (1948-1984)

Offices Held: Moderator of the Cumberland Presbyterian General Assembly (1984-1985); President of Associated Church Press of the United States and Canada (twice); Executive Director of Tennessee Association of Churches (1986-1993)

Information provided by the donor: As a man of faith, Rev. C. Ray Dobbins worked for good and peace his whole life. During the Memphis Garbage Strike in 1968, Rev. Dobbins worked with a group of ministers to try and broker a resolution between the strikers and the Mayor's office. Despite the ensuing tragedy, Rev. Dobbins tried to exemplify the guiding principle of his life: "Always try to make a difference in the world for the good."

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