



Nema Howard Shirley

October 30, 1930 - November 26, 2010

Nema Lee Howard Shirley, 80 of Salisbury died Friday, November 26, 2010 at the Brian Center of Salisbury.

Born October 30, 1930 in Vonore, TN, she was the daughter of the late Leonard C. and De De Hicks Howard. Mrs. Shirley graduated from Madisonville High School and received an Associate Degree in Secretarial Science.

She was a secretary for Sears Co. for 20 years. Mrs. Shirley was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Crossville, TN, the United Methodist Women and served as a Girl Scout Leader.

Her husband of 46 years, William B. Shirley preceded her in death in 2003.

Those left to cherish her memory are her daughters, Frances Weant (Ted) of Salisbury, NC, Vicki Moore (Steve) of Birmingham, AL, Debbie Overton (Ken) of Gallitin, TN, Deedie Shirley of Orange City, FL and Cynthia Barry (David) of Apex, NC. Eleven grandchildren and 2 great-grandchildren also survive.

A graveside service will be conducted at the Middle Tennessee State National Cemetery, Pelham, TN at a later date.

Memorials may be made to the National Alzheimer's Association, 225 N. Michigan Ave., Floor 17, Chicago, IL 60601.

Summersett Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements. Online condolences may be made at www.summersettfuneralhome.com