



Lila Nixon

August 19, 1915 - November 29, 2009

Mrs. Lila Ferrell Nixon, Age 94 of Crossville, TN., died Sunday, November 29, 2009, after several years at the Pleasant Hill Retirement Home in the company of her daughters. Lila was born August 19, 1915 in the Ferrell Hollow in the Snow Creek area near Elmwood in Smith County, TN the daughter of the late Cleo Dillard and John King Ferrell. She lived most of her life in and around Gordonsville. She graduated from Gordonsville High School. She was married to Robert Nixon, who preceded her in death on April 18, 1967. Most of her life was spent as a homemaker and she worked as a teacher's aide at Gordonsville Elementary School. She was a long-standing member of the Smith County Homemakers Club. She was an active member of the Gordonsville United Methodist Church, was their pianist for many years, taught a Sunday School class and engaged in most all activities of the Church. She was a gracious, talented and loving lady, capable of living life to the fullest. She was loved by all and will be sincerely missed. She is survived by her children: Bobby Nixon of Huntsville, Al.; Joanne Nixon of Crossville, TN.; Nancy Anderson and her husband, Glen of Mt. Juliet, TN and John Nixon and his wife, Martha of Murfreesboro, TN. 12 Grandchildren and 26 Great Grandchildren. Brother, J. K. Ferrell and his wife, Margaret of Lebanon,, TN. Sister, Ruby Law of Crossville, TN. Funeral Service for Mrs. Nixon will be held on Wednesday, December 2, 2009 at 12:00 Noon at the Gordonsville United Methodist Church with Bro. Dickie Johnson, officiating. Interment will follow in the Gordonsville Cemetery. The Nixon family will receive friends at the Church

on Wednesday from 10:00 A.M. until service time at 12:00 Noon. Memorials may be made to Gordonsville United Methodist Church, P. O. Box 267, Gordonsville, TN. 38563 or to the Uplands Retirement Village, 86A Church Drive, P. O. Box 168, Pleasant Hill, TN. 38578.