



Modena Bridgewater Nixon

May 1, 1922 - March 15, 2013

Mrs. Modena Bridgewater Nixon Age 90 of Carthage, TN passed away Friday, March 15, 2013, at Elmcroft in Lebanon, TN. Mrs. Nixon was born on May 1, 1922, the daughter of the late Sallie Richmond and Howard Dalton Wilburn. She was preceded in death by Husband and Father of her Children; Elmo Bridgewater on November 7, 1979. They were married on December 23, 1946. After the death of her Husband, she married Herlin Nixon on June 16, 1981 and he also preceded her in death. She was also preceded in death by Three Brothers; Glasgow Wilburn, Howard Marshall Wilburn, and Billy Wilburn: Five Sisters; Ruby Towns, Bernice Dias, Arah Shoulders, Caroline Wilburn, and Kathleen Boze. Mrs. Nixon was a member of the First Baptist Church, Carthage. She attended Smith County Schools and was a volunteer at Carthage Elementary and worked as a Hairdresser. Mrs. Nixon is survived by her Daughters; Sally (Ken) Gibbs of Fountain Hills, AZ, and Molly (David) Vandiver of Franklin, TN. Grandchildren; Kenny (Val) Gibbs, Kevin Gibbs, Beau Stallings, and Mikayla Stallings. Great-Grandchildren; Sierra Gibbs and Kylie Gibbs. Three Sisters; Virginia (George) Jackson of Donelson, TN, Mary Small of Donelson, TN, and Frances Cox of Hartsville, TN. Funeral Services for Mrs. Nixon are scheduled for Monday, March 18, 2013 at 2PM at the First Baptist Church, Carthage with Bruce Jackson providing the Eulogy and Bro. Tim Frank officiating. Interment will follow in the Dixon Springs Cemetery. Visitation with the Nixon Family will be held on Sunday at the Carthage Chapel of Bass Funeral Homes from 12 Noon to 8PM; Monday at

the First Baptist Church, Carthage from 12 Noon until the service time at 2PM. The Nixon Family requests that donations in Mrs. Modena Nixon's memory be made to the First Baptist Church, Carthage or to the Carthage Elementary Library. BASS FUNERAL HOME, CARTHAGE CHAPEL, DIRECTORS.