



Rev. Geneva May Cowell

July 29, 1924 - August 13, 2015

Rev. Geneva May Cowell, 91, of North Fork, California formerly of Murphysboro peacefully slipped away to heaven at 6:50 PM, Thursday, August 13, 2015 at home with her 2 caretakers; her son, Richard; granddaughter, Bethany; son, Dennis by her side.

She was born July 29, 1924 in Ina, Illinois the daughter of Rev. Raymond and Lille (Barker) Ackley. She was the youngest of five children.

Geneva was of the Pentecostal Faith traveling in her younger years with her parents and Wilma Ackley in the ministry. She ministered in many churches across the United States. She was a great musician who played many instruments including the accordion and the guitar. She was also a very gifted singer and had a beautiful voice. She loved being outdoors and enjoyed going on walks.

She is survived by her sons, Richard Cowell of North Fork, CA and Dennis (Wendy) Cowell of American Falls, ID; granddaughters, Sierra and Bethany; grandsons, Austin and Matthew; great-granddaughter, Amy Ray; Many nieces, nephews and other relatives.

Geneva is preceded in death by her parents; Brothers, Clyde Ackley and Herschell Ackley; Sisters, Inez Woodrick and Rev. Wilma Lentz.

Graveside inurnment for Rev. Geneva May Cowell will be at Alto Pass Cemetery Tuesday, September 1, 2015 at 1:00 PM with Rev. Dennis Cowell officiating.

Crain Funeral Home in Anna-Jonesboro is in charge of arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Rev. Geneva May Cowell*

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