



## Minnie Opal Higginbotham

December 22, 1919 - September 27, 2007

Minnie Opal Higginbotham, age 87, formerly of DeSoto, passed away at 4:42 a.m. Thursday, September 27, 2007, at the Rehab and Care Center of Jackson County in Murphysboro, Illinois.

Minnie was born on December 22, 1919, in Buncombe, IL, to Anson and Lydia (Lambert) Gurley.

She was a homemaker and was of the Pentecost faith.

Mrs. Higginbotham loved to quilt when she was able. She also enjoyed fishing, but she especially loved to cook for her family.

She married Kenneth Higginbotham on August 20, 1949, in Piggott, Arkansas, and he preceded her in death on September 3, 2001.

She is survived by four children Fayettea Chancey and her husband Jack Chancey, Levieta Fred, and Charles L. McCarthy and his wife Terri McCarthy, all of DeSoto, and Mary Davis and her husband Charles "Monte" Davis of Zeigler;

fourteen grandchildren, twenty great grandchildren, and five great great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by one daughter Paula G. Buckholz, one son Michael Clifton McCarthy, one son in law Norman Fred, one grandchild, two great great grandchildren, three brothers, three sisters and her parents.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Minnie Opal Higginbotham*

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