



Myrtle Evelyn Rains

April 12, 1922 - October 13, 2011

Myrtle Evelyn Rains, 89, of Murphysboro, Illinois, passed away at her residence in Murphysboro, at 8:05 p.m. on Thursday, October 13, 2011.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m. Monday, October 17, 2011, at Pettett Funeral Home with Rev. Charles Allen officiating and burial at Murdale Gardens of Memory. Friends may call from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday at the funeral home.

Myrtle was born on April 12, 1922, in Pomona, Illinois, to John Ellis and Cora (Purtle) Ellis.

Mrs. Rains was Pentecost by faith.

She had worked at several factories during her lifetime, including the Glove Factory, Jacket Factory, and Pant Factory. She sewed a lot and made quilts.

Myrtle married Elgin Rains and he preceded her in death in 1995.

She is survived by two children Fredia Malloy and Vester Rains, both of Murphysboro;

three grandchildren Robin Bergbrighter, Nichole Farmer, and Ashley Rains;

three great grandchildren;

and two sisters Deloris Garver of Ava and Esther Reeves of Murphysboro.

She was preceded in death by one sister and two brothers.

Tribute Wall



“ *Myrtle Evelyn Rains*

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