



Olive M. Turner

August 19, 1914 - January 25, 2010

Olive M. Turner, 95, went home to be with her Lord at 12:20 p.m. Monday, January 25, 2010 at her son's residence in Carterville, Illinois surrounded by her loving family.

Funeral services will be held at 10:30 a.m. Thursday, January 28, 2010, at Trinity Lutheran Church located at 1000 N. Park Avenue in Herrin with Rev. Michael Henson officiating and burial will follow the services at Pleasant Grove Memorial Park in Murphysboro. Friends may call from 4 to 7 p.m. Wednesday at Pettett Funeral Home and from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at the church. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Southern Illinois, Inc., the United Methodist Church in Murphysboro, or to Trinity Lutheran Church in Herrin.

Olive was born August 19, 1914, in Murphysboro, Illinois, to Frank James Delaney and Jeannette (McCord) Delaney.

She was a housewife all of her life. She survived the great Murphysboro 1925 tornado at Longfellow School.

Mrs. Turner was a recent member of Trinity Lutheran Church in Herrin, Illinois. She was a life-long member of the United Methodist Church in Murphysboro, as well as, a member of the Helping Hand Sunday School Class.

Olive played the piano and organ for several churches including Elm Street Baptist Church and the former Centenary Methodist Church.

She was an Election Judge for the Democrat Party for many years. Her favorite past time was gardening. She loved flowers, sharing her flowers with others and getting on her hands and knees to make sure that she had no dandelions in her yard.

Olive married William Bradford Turner, and he preceded her in death in February of 1981.

Survivors include two sons, James William Turner and his wife Janet of Normal, and Victor L. Turner and his wife Marsha Kay of Carterville, Illinois;

four grandchildren Christina Kilcoin of Bloomington, Illinois, Lynnette Dunaway and her husband Lee of Carterville, Katrina Pritchett and her husband Robert Pritchett, Jr. of Marion, and Bradford Turner and his wife Nicole of Herrin;

five great grandchildren Molly Kilcoin of Bloomington, Dylan Dunaway and Olivia Dunaway of Carterville, Victoria Turner and Allie Pritchett of Marion;

two great-great grandchildren Anthony Grimes and Nicholas Grimes, both of Bloomington;

three nieces B-Jo Turner and Nicki Holloman, both of Vienna, and Jeanette Dickinson of Pensacola, Florida;

and great-nieces, Kimberly and Julie Dickinson of Pensacola, Florida.

She was preceded in death by two brothers William "Bill" Patchett and

Eugene "Gene" Patchett; two sisters Lillian Sullivan and Frances Garavaglia;
and her parents.

Tribute Wall



“ *Olive M. Turner*

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