



## Ruth Allard

December 12, 1923 - January 28, 2007

Ruth B. Allard, age 83, passed away at 11:50 a.m. Sunday, January 28, 2007, at the Rehab and Care Center of Jackson County in Murphysboro. Her struggles and pains are over.

Ruth was born on December 12, 1923, in Lafayette, Louisiana, to Herman Carl Bodemuller and Jenny (Ganson) Bodemuller Dean.

She leaves two daughters and son in laws Barbara and Bob Franssen of Homosassa Springs, FL and Ruthelma and Charles Attig of Murphysboro; one son and daughter in law Raymond and Michiko Allard of Colorado Springs, CO;

seven grandchildren Leslie Ann Allen and her husband Tom Allen, Ruth Crister and her husband Rick Crister, Jenny Armentrout, Chuck Attig, Tim Attig, Raymond O. Allard, and Felicia Allard;

six great grandchildren David Sturdevant, Brandon Allen, Cody Armentrout, Wade Crister and his wife Jill Crister, Benjamin Attig and Jacob Attig;

one sister Lillie Florence Boucher of Murphysboro; along with many nieces and nephews including Betty Hilt of Murphysboro, several very close and dear friends, and the love of her life, her little dog Penny.

She was preceded in death by her parents, one brother Herman Bodemuller, two sisters Hermina Higginbotham and Erma Pyron, and two great grandson, Warren Crister and Christopher Attig, who were waiting for her arrival in Heaven.

In her 83 plus years, Ruth always put her children, grandchildren, and friends

first. She was a wonderful and loving mother and grandmother, who was always thinking of others. Other the years she worked at the former Brown Shoe Factory, ran a country grocery store in Harrison and was employed at Cal-Crest Jacket Factory in Murphysboro as a seamstress and then as a supervisor. She also did designer sewing and alterations from her home. She was a member of the V.F.W. Post # 7190 Ladies Auxiliary in Murphysboro. Mrs. Allard loved to fish, dance, go to rodeos and picnics, grow flowers and watch the hummingbirds, and do embroidery work.

She will be greatly missed!

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth Allard*

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