



Bernice Louise Mathis

April 18, 1924 - January 21, 2010

Bernice Louise Mathis, 85 of Ardmore, Tennessee died on Thursday, January 21, 2010, at Ardmore on Main in Ardmore, Tennessee. Funeral Services will be at 11:00 AM on Saturday at Ardmore Chapel Funeral Home with the Bro. Sammy Brister officiating. Interment will be in Golightly Cemetery, Toney, AL. The family will receive friends from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM on Saturday, January 23, 2010, at Ardmore Chapel Funeral Home, Ardmore, Alabama. Born Friday, April 18, 1924 in Eastaboga, Alabama, she was the daughter of the late Gerome Ragan and the late Lena Kilgore Ragan. She lived most of her life in this area. She was a member of Maple Hill Baptist Church. She loved gospel music and cooking. She is preceded in death by her parents, her husband G. J. Mathis, a daughter Kay Newman, a brother Earl Ragan, and a sister Edna McCann. Surviving are son, Gilbert (Denise) Mathis of Toney, AL., two half-brothers, Willis and Ray Ragan, both of Lacey Springs, AL, a half-sister Joyce Lamb of Ardmore, AL, a step-sister Frances Shaver of Ardmore, AL, three grandchildren, Cole Mathis, Nicole McNatt, Tabatha Whitehead, and five great-grandchildren, Kenzie, Hannah, Colby, Damon, Marlena.