

*In
Loving Memory*

Mildred R. Nelson

Born
January 14, 1911
Coin, Iowa

Entered into Rest
June 7, 2001
Shenandoah, Iowa

Age
90 years, 4 months, 24 days



Obituary

Mildred Rea Ozenbaugh Nelson, daughter of Brice C. and Jennie Rea Ozenbaugh, was born on January 14, 1911, in Coin, Iowa. Mildred spent her early life in the Coin and Farragut areas. She graduated from Coin High School in 1928 and attended Tarkio College. On January 20, 1935, she was united in marriage with J. Edwin Nelson and they farmed north of Shenandoah. Mildred was employed with the stores division of the Earl May Seed and Nursery Company from 1957 until retiring in 1976. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church of Shenandoah, where she had held several leadership positions, and the W. W. Club. She had served as a 4-H club leader and was on the Page County Extension Family Living Committee. She enjoyed baking, quilting, needlework, reading, and gardening.

Mildred was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Edwin in September, 1953, and a sister Wilma Dorrance in October, 1969. She survived by her children: Joan Watterson and husband Jack of Melbourne, FL., Marilyn Nelson of Kansas City, MO., Don Nelson, Judy Nelson, and Carol Hornbuckle and husband C.E., all of Shenandoah; four grandchildren: Jill Quinn and husband Mike of Madisonville, KY., Judi Watterson of Lenexa, KS., Brian Hornbuckle and wife Jalene of Ann Arbor, MI, Amanda Humiston and husband Kevin of Iowa City, IA.; five great-grandchildren: Barry, Ryan, and Amy Quinn, and Amaris and Malachi Hornbuckle; other relatives and many friends.