

*In  
Loving Memory*



**Garnett E. Hester**

*Born*

September 17, 1916  
Ames, Iowa

*Entered Into Rest*

November 7, 2000  
San Antonio, Texas

*Age*

84 Years, 1 Month, 21 Days

*Life Celebration*

1:30 P.M.

Tuesday, November 28, 2000

Rose Hill Cemetery  
Shenandoah, Iowa

*Words of Comfort*

Rev. Karen Bash  
First Christian Church

***The Twenty-Third Psalm***

*The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want.*

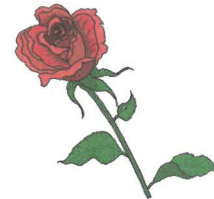
*He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: He leadeth me beside the still waters.*

*He restoreth my soul. He leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.*

*Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for Thou art with me; Thy rod and Thy staff they comfort me.*

*Thou preparest a table before me in the presence of mine enemies: Thou anointest my head with oil: my cup runneth over.*

*Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.*



## Garnett E. Hester

Garnett Eldon Hester, the daughter of Leonard and Zetta (Pontious) George, was born September 17, 1916 in Ames, Iowa and passed away November 7, 2000 at the Williamsberg Nursing Home in San Antonio, TX. She was 84 years of age.

Garnett grew up in the Norwich, Iowa area and received her education in Norwich and Shenandoah. On May 29, 1933, she was married to John Frank Hester in a double wedding ceremony with Ralph and Mae Mobley. To this union, three children, Kathleen, Robert and Nancy were born. They lived for a short time in Clarinda, IA before moving to Red Oak, IA where they lived for 25 years. After residing in Shenandoah for a short time, Garnett then moved to San Antonio to be closer to her family.

Garnett will be remembered for being a good wife and mother. She was always there when her children came home from school to greet them with a kiss and a hug. Even though she was only four feet and eleven inches tall, her husband often commented, "dynamite comes in small packages," as she was feisty and full of life. She enjoyed her family and hobbies, which included sewing, needle work and ceramics. She was a member of Trinity Baptist Church in San Antonio and former member of First Christian Church and Eastern Star in Red Oak.

Preceding Garnett in death were her parents; husband, John; son, Robert; brothers, Frank and John George; sisters, Ester George, Grace Smith and Pauline Slauter.

Survivors include her daughters, Kathleen Hester and Nancy McClain of San Antonio; brother, Elton George of Auburn, NE; four grandchildren; and seven great grandchildren.

*Services Entrusted To  
Selby Funeral Chapel  
Shenandoah, Iowa*



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