

In Loving Memory

Thelma Ellen Kirby

Born

March 23, 1905
Sharpsburg, Iowa

Entered Into Rest

July 21, 2002
Shenandoah, Iowa

Age

97 years, 3 months, 20 days

Thelma Ellen Kirby, daughter of Albert and Margarite Burge Foster was born in Sharpsburg, Iowa on March 23, 1905, and passed away at Shenandoah Memorial Hospital on July 21, 2002. She was 97 years of age. Thelma was united in marriage on August 11, 1923 to Francis Monroe Kirby at Rock Port, Missouri. They made their home in Shenandoah, Iowa. Mrs. Kirby worked for Mae Farmers many years and touched many lives before retiring. Thelma loved nature and took great pleasure in her flowers and yard.

She was preceded in death by her husband Roe Kirby in 1983, her son Lawrence Kirby, one brother, Lawrence Foster and two sisters, Marjorie Hatton and Mildred Harold.

Survivors include her daughter-in-law, Bernadine Kirby of Atlanta, Georgia; grandson Mike Kirby of Orlando, Florida; a granddaughter Sheryl Hewitt of Atlanta, Georgia; two great grandchildren, Megan Goins and Zach Goins of Atlanta, Georgia; caregivers, Carma McLaren of Farragut, Bill and Marge Scharp of Shenandoah, Iowa and many friends.