



Arnettie May Martin

August 17, 1920 - February 2, 2009

88, of Indianapolis, passed away February 2, 2009. She was born August 17, 1920 to Jessie L. and Arnettie (Shipley) Powlen. May married Joseph H. Martin in 1938, and he preceded her in death in 1998. She was a machine operator for 35 years at Westvaco, formerly U.S. Envelope Co., retiring in 1981. May was a member of Pleasant View Baptist Church, the Golden Shepherd Club, and the Internationally Yours Club. Visitation will be Thursday, February 5, 2009 from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 E. Washington St., with funeral services Friday at 10:00 a.m. May is survived by her loving son, William H. Martin (Gerry); 5 grandchildren, 15 great-grandchildren, and 6 great-great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a son, Robert J. Martin. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 5635 W. 96th St., Ste. 100, Indianapolis, 46278.