



Helen Elizabeth Collins

September 1, 1926 - August 19, 2012

85, of Indianapolis, passed away August 19, 2012. She was born September 1, 1926, to the late Charles and Corda Allen Wright. A lifelong resident of Indianapolis, Helen married Thomas E. Collins, and he preceded her in death. She was an executive secretary in the manufacturing field for many years, a longtime member of Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, and the Oasis Club. Visitation will be Wednesday, today, August 22, 2012, from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Irving Hill Chapel, 5377 E. Washington St. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held Thursday at 10:00 a.m. at Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church, 5333 E. Washington St. Helen is survived by her children, Carol Routh (Vince), Sue Stouffer (Steve), Don Collins, and Chris Hendrickson (Donnie); grandchildren, Sarah Routh (Patrick Loftus), Caitlin Routh, Katherine McCarty (Dan), Patrick Stouffer, Tom Stouffer, Dustin Collins (Peggy), Jessica Collins, Brenna, and Benjamin Hendrickson; and one great-grandchild, Ruby Loftus; and brothers, Everett and Kenneth Wright. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society. www.shirleybrothers.com.