



Phyllis Lamson Otto

March 4, 1921 - April 20, 2007

Phyllis Lamson Otto, 86, of Indianapolis, passed away April 21, 2007. She was born March 4, 1921 to Philip and Faye (Hunter) Lamson, who preceded her in death. Phyllis graduated from Shortridge High School and she attended Indiana University. She was a member of Irvington Coterie, long-time member of Irvington Club, Chautauqua Society Reading Group, Irvington Garden Club, Brown County Garden Club, Adult Literacy League volunteer tutor, IMC Public Library volunteer, and Eagle Creek volunteer naturalist. After raising four children, she returned to work as Office Manager at J.C. Penney Co. carpet warehouse, from which she retired. She was an avid reader, gardener and traveler. Visitation will be Wednesday, April 25 at 5:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. with services at 7:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 E. Washington St. Phyllis is survived by her children, Thomas (Pamela), Mary Beth, and John of Indianapolis, and Barbara (Kurt) of Brown County, grandchildren, Dan Albright, Todd Otto, Zachary Helm, Alison (Joseph) Olinger, and Mark Sullivan, and great-grandson, Roarke Albright Ireland. She is preceded in death by her husband of 46 years, Keith D. Otto, sister Kathryn Hartley, brother, Thomas H. Lamson and grandson Philip Otto. Memorial contributions may be made to Gleaner's Food Bank in Indianapolis.