



Rosalyn E. Archer

June 22, 1920 - July 29, 2009

Rosalyn E. Archer, 89, of Columbus, formerly of Indianapolis, passed away at Hampton Oaks Health Campus, Scottsburg IN, July 29, 2009. She was born June 22, 1920 in Indianapolis to Donald Eugene and Irene May Showers Stevenson, who have preceded her in death. She attended Tech High School and married William Andrew Archer I. He preceded her in death in 1996. Rosalyn worked for the Indianapolis Star and News in the classified ads section for over 18 years, retiring in 1985. She also worked for L. S. Ayres & Co., Indiana Bell, Texaco Oil and Muesing Coal and Oil, and was also a cook and a waitress for many restaurants. She was a member of the 1st Apostolic Church of Morgantown and a former member of The Bible Church in Indianapolis. Rosalyn is survived by her loving children, Gloria Jean Sanders (Rev. David), William Dean Archer (Audrey), and Shirley Ellen Medaris; two sisters, Mary Margaret Leavitt, of Columbus, Ohio, and Barbara Seigle of Oregon; a brother, Dale Stevenson of Grand Prairie, Texas; 8 grandchildren; 28 great-grandchildren; and 2 great- great-grandchildren. A brother, Robert E. Stevenson; a sister, Sharon Irene Norman; and a great granddaughter, Ashleigh Rachael Sanders, preceded her in death. Visitation will be held Friday, July 31, 2009 from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington-Memorial Chapel, 9606 E. Washington St., with funeral services Saturday, August 1, at 1:00 p.m.