



Ethel Hodge

February 2, 1912 - February 2, 2011

Ethel Alberta Hodge, 99, of Tullahoma, Tenn., formerly of Hoopeston, died Wednesday, Feb. 2, 2011, at Life Care Center Nursing Home, Tullahoma, Tenn.

She was born on Feb. 6, 1911, in Pike Township, Ind., the daughter of James and Alma (Johnson) Turner.

She married Harold Hodge on April 25, 1983, in Jacksonville, Fla. He preceded her in death on Nov. 5, 1986.

Surviving are a son, William (Alice) McCray of Tullahoma, Tenn.; stepdaughters, Judy Voss of Marshall, Wis., and Norma Jean Pitzer of Jacksonville, Fla.; 10 grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one sister, Evelyn Schuff; one stepdaughter, Sharon Henke; and one grandson, Mike McCray.

Ethel had worked as the head cook for Milford Grade School for many years until her retirement. She enjoyed crocheting, needlework, quilting and traveling.

Ethel was a member of the Hoopeston United Methodist Church and a past member of the Eastern Star. She was only four days away from turning 100 years old. Ethel will be sadly missed by all who knew her.

Graveside services: 2 p.m. Saturday, March 5, at Floral Hill Cemetery, Hoopeston.

Officiating: the Rev. Janet Eggleston. Memorials: Hoopeston United Methodist Church