

Lela A. *Upchurch* Rector

BIRTH 6 Aug 1904

Murl, Wayne County, Kentucky, USA

DEATH 11 Jun 1968 (aged 63)

Hoopeston, Vermilion County, Illinois, USA

BURIAL Floral Hill Cemetery

Lovejoy Township, Iroquois County, Illinois, USA

MEMORIAL ID 11052453



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Lela A. Rector, 63, 309 North Eighth Avenue, died at 2:10 a.m. today at Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital where she had been a patient for 18 days.

Born Aug. 6, 1904 in Murl, Kentucky, she was the daughter of Hiram and Mary (Rednour) Upchurch. On Dec 2, 1924, she was married in Monticello, Kentucky, to James A Rector, who survives.

Also surviving are six daughters, Mrs. Loren (Virginia) Stevens, of Rantoul; Mrs. Earl (Vela) McBride, of Watseka; Mrs. James (Maxine) Meece, of Decatur; Mrs. Kenneth (Doris) Smith, of Bellview, Ohio; Mrs. Gerry (Mary Lou) Strain, of Toledo; Mrs. Robert (Linda) Duffin, of Hoopeston; two sons, James L Rector, Jr., of Prospect, Tenn; Spec. 4 Donald Rector, with the Army stationed at Ft. Campbell, Kentucky.; 14 grandchildren; four brothers, Leslie, Johnnie, Bennie and Cleo Upchurch, all of New Castle, Ind; three sisters, Mrs. Lola Morris, of Richmond, Ind; Mrs. Erma Denney and Mrs. Tella Denney, both of Monticello, Ky.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a grandson.

Mrs. Rector attended the West Side Church of the Nazarene and was a member of Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital auxilliary.

Funeral Services will be conducted at 2 p.m. Thursday at Hamilton Funeral Home with the Rev. Gary Gulley, minister of West Side Church of the Nazarene, officiating.