



Alta Turner

April 9, 2009

Alta V. Turner, 89, of Cape Girardeau died Thursday, April 9, 2009 at St. Francis Medical Center. She was born September 5, 1919, in Sedgewickville, Mo., the daughter of Ode Andrew and Minnie May Seabaugh Cook. She and Claud M. Turner were married on October 16, 1942 in Sikeston, Mo. He preceded her in death November 17, 1996. Mrs. Turner was a graduate of Central High School, class of 1937 and attended Southeast Missouri State Teachers College. She was a mother and homemaker. In addition she was a seamstress for Rust & Martin for 16 years. She had previously worked for Superior Electric in Cape Girardeau and at a Naval munitions facility in Hawthorne, Nev. during World War II. Mrs. Turner was a member of Maple United Methodist Church, having joined the church Easter Sunday 1933. She was also a volunteer at Southeast Missouri Hospital for more than 10 years. Survivors include two sons, Robert C. "Bob" Turner of Tomball, Texas and James A. "Jim" Turner of Imperial, Mo.; five grandchildren, Kathryn Holland, Nicholas Turner, Victoria Whitman, Tara Sue Schnable, and Sierra Noel Carruthers; 10 great-grandchildren; and cousin and longtime friend, Iona Williams of Cape Girardeau, Mo. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, and brother, Rusby Cook. Friends may call at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home on Friday, April 10, 2009 from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM. Funeral service will be at Ford & Sons Mt. Auburn Funeral Home on Saturday, April 11, 2009 at 11:00 AM with the Rev. Jim Cooper officiating. Entombment will be at Memorial Park Mausoleum, in Cape Girardeau, Mo. Memorials may

be made to American Lung Association, Leukemia Research Foundation, or Maple United Methodist Church.