



## Wilma Colyer

May 18, 2014

Wilma M. Colyer, 95, of McClure, Ill. died Sunday, May 18, 2014 at St. Francis Medical Center in Cape Girardeau. She was born May 18, 1919 in Alexander County, Ill. to A. R. and Ola Cleaver Rogers. She and Emanuel Colyer were married May 28, 1937 at Jackson, Mo. He preceded her in death in 1997. Wilma graduated from McClure High School. She was a 4-H Leader, and was a member of East Cape Baptist Church, Homemakers Extension of Alexander County, Women Missions United, and Woodmen's Women of the World. She worked at Hirsch's Thriftway in Cape Girardeau. Survivors include son, James R. Colyer (Lynn) of Columbia, Ill.; daughter, Peggy J. Evans of Phoenix, Ariz.; sisters, Leoda Watkins of Ware, Ill., Jean Moss of Anna, Ill., Doris Jobe (Ken) of Virginia Beach, Va.; nine grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; son, William E. Colyer and daughter-in-law, Marilyn; brothers, Lawrence Rogers, and also Leroy Rogers, who died in 1945 in the Battle of the Bulge and is buried in Luxembourg; sisters, Marie Held and Annie Blaylock; one great-grandchild. Friends may call 10:00 AM to 12:00 noon on Wednesday, May 21, 2014 at Ford & Sons Sprigg St. Chapel in Cape Girardeau. Funeral service will be at 12:00 noon Wednesday, May 21, 2014 at Ford & Sons Sprigg St. Chapel in Cape Girardeau with the Rev. Raymond Oxford officiating. Burial will be at Lindsey Cemetery in McClure. Memorial contributions may be given to Lindsey Cemetery Fund, 34422 Grapevine Trail, McClure, IL 62957.



# Tribute Wall

ST

“ Peggy, we were so fortunate to have met your dear Mom when she was visiting you out in Phoenix, and we as well as my Dad Chuck enjoyed her company and lively spirit. You have been a wonderful, devoted daughter, and we are glad to know she had a peaceful Homegoing to her Lord. Our love and best wishes to the whole family, and of course deepest sympathy to all.

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**Susan and Bob Thompson** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LK

“ Peggy and Ron, I have very fond memories of all of you and am so very sorry for the loss of your mother. She was a very dear lady.

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**Lauda Kerley** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KJ

“ Our condolences and deepest sympathy to Ron and Peg and families. we could write a book about the wonderful experiences at Wilma and Manual's farms and homes. We shall miss Wilma's warmth, care, cooking, hospitality and greetings. Best wishes to all.

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**Ken & Doris Jobe** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

HU

“ Peggy and Ron and family, We are especially sorry to hear about Wilma. She always made Bobs favorite coconut pie for him! We will both miss her a lot!

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**Helen and Bob Underwood** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ *Condolences to All !!!! There are a lot of fond memories of the farm families of McClure. The Colyers are a BIG part of that !!! Sorry I can't be with you. Everyone take care and know the peace of The Lord !!!! Sam*

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**Sam Brown** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ *Ron, Peggy, and family, so sorry to hear that your Mom passed away, please except our sincere sympathy. Often remember the birthday parties that Ron and I share long ago since we have the same birthday.*

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**Jim Brown** - May 12, 2015 at 12:00 AM