



Edna Ruth Sampson

November 6, 1919 - August 10, 2007

Edna Ruth Sampson passed away August 10th 2007 at Roane Medical Center. Born November 6, 1919 in the Dyllis Community in Roane County, she was retired and living in the Brentwood Landing Community in Kingston. During World War II, while in her early 20's she worked at a Ship Building Facility in Providence, R.I. where her husband was stationed in the Navy. After the War she lived in Harriman, TN, Adairville, KY, Toronto, Canada and Hickory, N.C. where her husband worked in the Hosiery Manufacturing Business. In 1967 they moved back to Roane County to start Sampson Hosiery Mill from which they retired in 1971. She was a member of Eureka Baptist Church. Preceded in death by her mother and father Viola and Oscar Silva, husband Claude Sampson, brothers Kenneth Silva, Gene Silva, sisters Zola Hopwood, Yvonne Marshall and Dora Davidson.

Survivors include:

Son Terry Sampson of Kingston;

Daughter Linda S. West of Kingston;

Sister Dorthy Brown of Oliver Springs;

Four grandchildren and five great grandchildren

Funeral 7:30pm Saturday August 11, 2007 in the Kyker Chapel with Rev. Mike Winters officiating. Burial 9am Sunday at Kingston Memorial Gardens. The family will receive friends from 6 until 7:30pm Saturday at the Kyker Funeral

Home in Kingston.