



Florence McMurray

December 10, 1921 - December 10, 2008

Florence McMurray, 87, of Ten mile, died December 10, 2008 after a long illness, in Ben Atchley Veterans Home, Knoxville. She was a long-time member of Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church in Harriman. She was born March 18, 1921 in Bellingham, Mass. And raised in Norwich, Conn. She met her future husband, Charlie, during WWII while he was stationed in New London, Conn. She moved to Ten Mile, TN in 1948 and lovingly raised 5 children. An excellent cook and seamstress, her favorite hobby was her gardening. She was still mowing her yard until her late 70's and was always hopeful that she would be able to tend to her flowers again. She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles W. McMurray, Jr. in 1981.

Survivors include sister, Lorraine La Pine of Norwich, Conn.; brother and sister-in-law, Dr. Richard and Janet Pratte of Carolina Beach, NC; daughters, Sheila Anderson of Spartanburg, SC and Christine McMurray of Knoxville; sons and daughters-in-laws, Tom and Cherie McMurray of Ten Mile, Michael McMurray of Knoxville, Paul and Brenda McMurray of Dalton, GA; 8 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Funeral service 2pm Sunday December 14, 2008 in the Kyker Chapel with Father Michael Sweeney officiating. Graveside and burial at Bethel United Methodist Cemetery, Fairview. In lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Pearl S. Buck International, 520 Dublin Rd., Perkasio, PA 18944. The family

will receive friends from 5 until 7pm Saturday at the Kyker Funeral Home in Kingston.

Tribute Wall



“ *My deepest sympathy in the loss of your mother, and sister. She indeed was a wonderful mother, sister, and neighbor. who will be greatly missed by all. Please accept my condolence!*
Gladys R. Gambill

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