



Gertrude Graves Richesin

May 6, 1921 - June 7, 2003

Gertrude Graves Richesin, age 82, of Sweetwater, passed away Saturday, June 7, 2003, at Sweetwater Hospital. She was a member of the Murray's Baptist Church of Sweetwater. Preceded in death by her sister, Bessie Wiseman, brothers, Boyd, Bud, Raymond, Remer, Refred, James, and Webster Graves. Survivors include: loving husband of 50 years; Gaither Richesin; daughter and son-in-law, Rhonda and Larry Kyker all of Sweetwater; sons and daughters-in-law, Jerry and Ruby Gourley of Calhoun, TN, Dennis and Cynthia Richesin of Sweetwater; grandchildren, Rickey Joe Gourley, Mandy Kyker, Kelsey Richesin, and Lindsey Richesin; sister, Ruth Presley of Sweetwater; brother Randy Presley of San Bernardino, CA; special niece, Susie Patterson; several nieces and nephews; special friends, Dimpsie Potter and Alma Thompson. The body is at Kyker Funeral Home, Sweetwater, where the family will receive friends Sunday, from 5:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. with the funeral service to follow at 8:00 p.m. in Kyker's Chapel with Rev. Sam Petty, Rev. Joe Caldwell, and Rev. Hobby Lawson officiating. Interment at 11:00 a.m. Monday in the Murray's Baptist Church Cemetery.