



Lela Nora Jones Pierce

June 3, 1924 - April 30, 2005

Lela Nora Jones Pierce age 79 of Harriman went home to be with the Lord on April 30, 2005. She was a loving mother of four children, grandmother of thirteen grandchildren, great grandmother of thirteen great grandchildren, and wife of 59 years. She was of the Baptist faith. She was born in Pleasant Ridge, TN on June 3, 1925. She graduated from Sunbright High School in 1942. She lived in Harriman, TN all of her adult life. She worked at Burlington Hosiery Mill for twenty years. She owned and operated Pierce's Restaurant in downtown Harriman for more than 30 years. She was preceded in death by her parents, Everett Samuel and Edith Hammond Jones, stepmother Celia Henry Jones, and brother, James Everett Jones. She is survived by her husband, Fred Ernest Pierce; brother, Boyd Jones; daughter and son-in-law, Ineta and Jerry Moore; daughter and son-in-law, Patsy and Jacky Goss; son and daughter-in-law, Buster Pierce and Claudia Luffman; son and daughter-in-law, James and Laura Pierce; thirteen grandchildren, Bryan Terry, Lee Hayes, Jeremy Moore, Terri Freels, Wendy Reeves, Cody Pierce, Reyes Rodriguez, Cory Webb, Todd Luffman, Marie Pierce, Jamie Pierce, Wesley Goss and Jamey Goss; and thirteen great grandchildren, Dustin Murray, Nikita Henkel, Dalton Reeves, Nicole Freels, Nicholas Freels, Bonnie Grizzard, Christopher Luffman, Ashley Hayes, Harrison Hayes, Nathan Goss, Griffin Goss, Lacey Goss, and Abby Goss. Service will be held at Kyker Funeral Home, Harriman, Tuesday, May 3, with receiving of friends from 6:00 to 8:00 p.m. and funeral service at 8:00 p.m. www.kykerfuneralhome.com