



Margaret Patterson DeVries

March 5, 1914 - January 22, 2009

Margaret Patterson DeVries age 94 of Kingston passed away Thursday January 22, 2009 at the Harriman Care and Rehab Center. She was an active life long member of the First Baptist Church in Kingston. She was retired from the Roane County Schools and taught first grade in Kingston for 43 years. She was active in the Retired Teachers Association of Roane County. She was a member and Past Worthy Matron of Kingston Chapter #405 Order of the Eastern Star. Preceded in death by her husband William Q. DeVries, parents Crowder and Hassie Patterson, brothers Hugh and John Patterson.

Survivors include:

Sister Mrs. Robert "Bill" Collier;

Step son Ronnie DeVries;

Nephews Bobby L. Collier and wife Peggy;

Hugh Patterson;

Nieces Linda Collier Townsend and husband Mickey;

Carolyn Collier Granger and husband Ken;

Betty Patterson White;

Judy Patterson Bardill;

Peggy Patterson Trammel;

and a host of great nieces, nephews and step grandchildren;

special friends and neighbors Marilyn Jeffers; Elizabeth Ellis; Stanley and JoAnn Larkins; Carolyn and Ken Barnett and Freida Walker.

Funeral 4pm Saturday January 24, 2009 in the Kyker Chapel with Rev. Sonny Works officiating. Burial 2pm Sunday at Lawnville Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 2 until 4pm Saturday at the Kyker Funeral Home in Kingston.

Tribute Wall

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“ Margaret DeVries was and will remain one of Kingstons brightest lights. She was my first school teacher, and I never had one any more loved. It was a blessing to see her when I visited First Baptist Church the last few years. She will be sorely missed by everyone who knew what a wonderful person she was. Thanks for the precious memories, Mrs. DeVries!
May Angels Guard Your Way, Woody Wright
Alexandria, Indiana

Woody Wright - January 29, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ I just heard that Mrs. Devries has passed. She was my very best teacher and I was still crazy about her. She lighted my day every time I saw her, and I was grateful for the time I had with her when she was at NHC. My thoughts are with you all.

Patsy Blanchard - January 25, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ We are saddened to learn of this. Margaret was a friend for many years. Our thoughts are with you all.
Mark and Sarah Barker

Mark Barker - January 22, 2009 at 12:00 AM