



Ilah Thompson

September 15, 1937 - September 8, 2017

Ilah L. Thompson, 79, of Perryville died September 8, 2017 at Independence Care Center of Perry County in Perryville, MO.

She was born September 15, 1937 in Farwell, MI, daughter of William W. and Lola E. (Perry) Graham. She and Eugene Thompson were married on October 19, 1963. He preceded her in death on January 21, 2017.

She had been a homemaker and dorm mother at Christian Women's Benevolent Association. She was a member of Calvary Baptist Church in Perryville.

Survivors include one daughter, Martha Ritch of Lake Wales, FL; one daughter-in-law, Robbie Ritch of Perryville; one sister and one brother, Virginia Fox and Franklin Graham both of Michigan; 4 grandchildren; and 6 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; two brothers, Benjamin and Dean Graham; one son, William "Bill" Ritch and one grandson, Jason Ritch.

Body donation to medical study.

Young & Sons Funeral Home, Inc. in Perryville, MO provided the arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ilah Thompson*

October 20, 2023 at 02:54 AM



“ *Ilah Thompson*

October 20, 2023 at 01:44 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss, love her dearly loved when they came back to visit.*

Janice Thompson - September 16, 2018 at 12:00 AM



“ *Aunt Ilah, I know you touched many, many lives. I can't believe I'm the first one on here to write you! Thank you for being part of my family ever since you worked in the children's home where my mom used to live. It was so great to visit you and Uncle Gene and have you visit us throughout my childhood. I'm so sorry you never got to meet my two little girls. I love you forever.*

Deanna Duby - December 14, 2017 at 12:00 AM