



## Freda Lydia Johnson

July 1, 1917 - October 21, 2008

Miss Freda Lydia Johnson was born on July 1, 1917 to Lydia Susan and Harry Clark Johnson of Bolivar, Missouri.

She departed this life to be with her blessed savior on Tuesday, October 21, 2008 at the age of 91 years, 3 months, and 20 days.

Freda was graduated from Bolivar High School and Southwest Baptist Junior College, after which she taught for four years in one-room schools in Polk County, with a stint in Washington D. C. and 23 months in the Women's Army Corp at Fort Des Moines, Iowa and Fort Hamilton in Brooklyn, New York.

From 1946 to 1956 she made her home in Los Angeles, California where she did personnel records and steno-graphic work.

In 1956, she returned to Missouri and went to Saint Louis County where she taught in consolidated elementary schools for 20 years, in the Eureka/Rockwood District. She finished her B.A. degree by attending summer schools at Southwest Missouri State College in Springfield, Missouri. She retired in 1977.

In 1983 she returned to Bolivar where she became a member of the Bolivar United Methodist Church.

Surviving is a sister, Mary Virginia Scott and her husband Mynatt, 5 nephews and nieces and their children and grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, October 24, 2008 at 2:00 PM in the Butler Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Dan Adkison officiating. A solo will be "I'll Fly Away" by Keith Urban. Burial will be in the Mt. Gilead Cemetery under the care and direction of the Butler Funeral Home in Bolivar. Pallbearers will be Mike Cribbs, Gene Johnson, Fred Johnson, Aaron Johnson, Kevin Johnson and Bo Russell. A Honorary Pallbearer will be Norman Hutchison.

Memorial contributions may be made to the United Methodist Church Building Fund, 105 E. Division Street, Bolivar, Missouri 65613.

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