

Clara Mae Broome

(September 21, 1926 - February 8, 2011)

Clara Mae Broome 84 of Oil City, LA passed away Tuesday, February 8, 2011. Funeral services will be held at 2 PM Saturday, February 12, 2011 at Oil City United Pentecostal Church officiated by Rev. Johnny Peden assisted by Rev. Kent Rhoads. Burial will follow at Lakeview Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Oil City. The family will receive friends for a visitation on Friday the 11th from 6-8 PM at Gorsulowsky Funeral Home in Vivian, LA.



Mrs. Broome was born September 21, 1926 in Illinois to Walter Ray and Ealer Bamburg Layfield and she lived most of her life in Oil City, LA. She was a member of the Oil City United Pentecostal Church. She will be remembered as a true Christian woman who loved her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, she was always a prayer warrior, and she loved her church. She enjoyed sewing and was an excellent seamstress. She loved to play volleyball and Putt-Putt golf and she was a Hole in One Putt Putter. She loved children and it showed as she raised, loved, and nurtured many foster children through the years.

Mrs. Broome was preceded in death by her sons; Cecil Ray Broome and Luther Wayne Broome, 6 brothers and 2 sisters. She is survived by her husband O. D. Broome of Oil City, LA, her 7 children; Shirley Batts and husband B.J. of Oil City, Linda Gail Mays and husband Robert of Mooringsport, Dwain Broome and wife Theresa of Oil City, John Brown and wife Rebecca of Longview, TX, Jacque Greer and wife Heather of Vivian, Anne Fincher and husband Aaron of Mira, LA, Kristi Grinage and husband Jeffery of Blanchard, LA, her daughter in law Bobby Broome, 20 grandchildren, 7 great grandchildren and 1 great great grandchild and numerous nieces and nephews.

Pallbearers will be Jeremy Rhoads, Sonny Ferguson, Ronny Smith, Troy Hughes, Rickey Entrekin, Glen Baker and Robert Mays.