

Betty J. Claxton
July 26, 1927 - May 20, 2010

Betty J. Claxton, 82, of Brookville and formerly of Cincinnati, died Thursday, May 20, 2010, at Brookville Healthcare Center.

She was born July 26, 1927 in Barbourville, Kentucky and graduated from Hughes High School in Cincinnati, Ohio. In her youth she was active with the Order of the Eastern Star in Cincinnati and held the title of the Worthy Matron of Honor.

Survivors include two children: Thomas Steven Claxton of Harrison, Ohio; Susan Hoskins and her husband, William, of Liberty; a sister: Janet Bradley of Cincinnati, Ohio; three grandchildren: Jackie Claxton, Tammy Bowers and her husband, Tim and Adam Hoskins, all of Liberty; two great-grandchildren: Cole Bowers and Evan Hoskins.

Betty was preceded in death by her parents: John & Lucille Lawson Bruckner, and a son: Jack Robert Claxton, who died in September 2008.

Funeral services will be conducted at 12:00 p.m. Monday, May 24, 2010 at Showalter Blackwell Long Funeral Home, Fosdick Chapel, Liberty, with Reverend Elizabeth Hoskins of Metamora Pentecostal Church officiating. Interment will follow at Arlington Memorial Gardens in Cincinnati, Ohio. Friends may visit at the funeral home from 10:00 a.m. until the time of the service, where memorial contributions may be made to charity of the donor's choice. For additional information and to sign the online guest book, visit www.ShowalterBlackwellLong.com