Nellie J. Garlinger, 84, of Portland died on Thursday, May 31, 2007, at AmeriCare Living Center in Portland. Nellie was a lifetime member of the Portland Gospel Light House Church. She was born in Nottingham Township, Wells County, on March 14, 1923, a daughter of James and Letha (Dulinsky) Binegar. She was married on Feb. 14, 1943 to Woodrow Wilson Garlinger, who preceded her in death on April 6, 1993.

She is survived by her son Charles E. Garlinger of Dunkirk, a daughter Mary J. Eley of Ridgeville, her sisters Thelma Middaugh of Fiat, Barbara E. Sweeny of Warsaw, her brother Gerald E. Binegar of Warren, and 4 grandchildren and 8 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by two sons, Wayne L. and Woodrow J. Garlinger, three sisters, Mary Binegar, Hazel Collins, and Dortha Binegar, and two brothers, Charles and Kenneth Binegar.

Visitation will be on Sunday from 2-5 p.m. at the Williamson & Spencer Funeral Homes - Portland Chapel. Funeral services will be held on Monday at 11 a.m. at the funeral home with Pastor Phill Jellison officiating. Burial will follow in the Gravel Hill Cemetery, west of Bryant.

Memorials may be made to the State of the Heart Home Health and Hospice or to the AmeriCare Living Center Activity Fund.

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