

**BLOOMING TON** - Helen G. McGriff, 98, Bloomington, died Sunday (July 8, 2007) at Heritage Manor in Bloomington. Her memorial service will be at 10:30 a.m. Saturday at Marquis Chapel at Second Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Peggy Vogelsinger will officiate. Inurnment will be at Green Park Cemetery, Portland, Ind. Memorials may be made to Second Presbyterian Church, Bloomington. Kibler-Smith Memorial Home, Bloomington, is in charge of arrangements.

Helen was born Nov. 8, 1908, in Decatur, Ind., the daughter of Tillman Gerber and Lydia Heckman Gerber. She married Robert C. McGriff on June 8, 1935, in Bowling Green, Ky. He died May 1, 1975. Helen had worked as a beautician in her home and was also a homemaker.

Helen is survived by one daughter, Janet Laudeman, Bloomington; three grandchildren, Kirk W. (Cindy) Laudeman, Sherman; Craig M. (Dottie) Laudeman, Morris; and Julia A. Laudeman, Bloomington; four great-grandchildren, Caitlin Laudeman, Peter Laudeman and Anna Laudeman, all of Sherman, and Carter Laudeman, Morris.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Robert C. McGriff; brother, Carl Gerber; sister Marcella "Sally" Cole; and son-in-law, Arthur Laudeman.

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