



Opal Martin Bumpass

September 10, 1914 - March 17, 2009

Opal Martin Bumpass She was an angel on earth sent from above and now has gone home. Opal Martin Bumpass, a long time resident of Lubbock, TX, passed away in Huntsville, Texas on March 17, 2009. Opal was born in Haskell County Texas September 10, 1914 to Ida and Jesse Martin. On October 5, 1935 she married Ralph J. Bumpass. Recently, when a friend asked Opal if she liked Ralph all their married years, Opal emphatically said, "Oh yeah!!!!" She and Ralph owned and ran the Bluebonnet Laundry and Dry Cleaners in Lubbock, TX, for over 40 years. They were long time members of Broadway Church of Christ in Lubbock, TX, and she and Ralph helped start and build Vandalia Village Church of Christ. Preceding her in death were her parents, her husband, Ralph J. Bumpass, and son R.J. Jr., as well as brothers Gaston Martin, Willard Martin, Clifford Martin, and James Ray Martin. Opal's sister Oneita Franks also preceded her in death. Surviving to cherish her memory is a son, Dr. Don Bumpass and wife Cheryl of Huntsville, TX and daughter, Cheryl Krieger of Durant, OK. She is survived by granddaughters Amy Dimiceli and Megan Lopez of Elgin, IL and Natalie Robertson of Cedar Park, TX and grandsons Grant Krieger of Durant, OK , Bob Horton and Bill Horton of Spring, TX. Nine great grandchildren treasure her memory: Anthony, Isabelle, and Jayden Dimiceli of Elgin, IL; Zachary, Lucas, and Jacob Lopez of Elgin, IL; Hannah Presley Robertson of Cedar Park, TX; Andrea and Ben Horton of Spring, TX. She is also survived by her sister, Jessie Mae Rodgers of Houston, TX , sister-in-law Gloria Barnes and many adoring nieces and

nephews. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Children's Home of Lubbock, P.O. Box 2824, Lubbock TX 79408, in honor of the work Ralph and Opal put into that institution. Visitation will be at Rix Funeral Home, 5-7 p.m. in Lubbock, TX on Friday, March 20, 2009, and graveside services at 10:00 a.m. Lubbock Cemetery Saturday, March 21, 2009.

Tribute Wall



“ *Opal Martin Bumpass*

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“ *Don & Cheryl, So sorry to read about Mrs. Bumpass. My thoughts and prayers are with the family during their time of loss.*

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