



Frances Fern Ratts

May 12, 2011

Frances Fern Ratts, 91, of Bloomington passed away on Thursday, May 12, 2011 at Golden Living Center in Bloomington. She was born in Georgetown, Illinois on September 3, 1919 the daughter of Arnold and Frances (Fay) Williamson, one of seven children. She retired from RCA/GE of Bloomington after twenty-six years of service and was a member of Shiloh Temple.

Frances is survived by her three sons; Larry (Patty) Ratts of Bloomington, Richard (Deanna) Ratts of Bloomington and Marvin (Penny) Ratts of Terre Haute, five daughters; Shirley (Jack) Reed of Bloomington, Martha "Janie" (Charles) May of Bloomington, Rosemary (Tom) Tarter of Vincennes, Patty (Mike) Brackett of Frankfort and Susan (Will) King of Springville, thirty-four grandchildren, sixty-nine great grandchildren and twenty great, great grandchildren. She is also survived by one brother, Arnold Williamson, Jr. of Bedford, IN and one son-in-law, John Wampler of Indianapolis.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Benjamin F. Ratts in 1986, one daughter, Peggy Wampler, three sisters, Elizabeth, Estelle and Helen and two brothers, Paul and Edgar.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Monday, May 16th at Shiloh Temple with Rev. Russell Elkins officiating. Burial will be at Valhalla Memory Gardens. Friends may call on Sunday at Allen Funeral Home, 4155 S. Old St. Rd. 37, Bloomington from 2:00-8:00 p.m. and at the church on Monday one hour preceding the services. Online condolences may be sent to the family at www.allenfuneralhome.org.

Tribute Wall

MR

“ I will always remember her and the nice person she was at the ole R C A sorry for your loss

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CA

“ I am so sorry to hear about your Mother Dr. Ratts. I hope you can remember the good times.
Carol

Carol Ripple-Derflinger - March 22, 2013 at 08:19 AM

RA

“ Rose, Sorry to read about your mother.
Ruth Ann

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RA

“ Rose sorry to read about your mother online today. ruth ann

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MB

“ Our Thoughts and Prayers are with you ...

Michael and Brenda Milner - March 22, 2013 at 08:19 AM

ME

“ Dear mrs. Rats family,
I have had the greatest time in getting to know
Such a wonderful person and became very
close to her and I am and will be forever touched
by her. I will miss seeing her smiling face and
up beat personality at work. I am so sorry to hear
About her sudden departure and will be thinking
Of u all on Monday . Thank u so much for sharring
Frances with us . God bless u all.

Melissa Kindred - March 22, 2013 at 08:19 AM

CA

“ Toby, I was sorry to hear about your Grandmother. I know how
much you thought about her and that she was very special to you. I
am certain, in that I know how kind you are to all of us here, that you
were a very special grandson to her as well. This way she can
continue to watch over you and protect you every day from a "much
better perspective". Take care, Dear. Love, Carolyn

Carolyn Slaughter - March 22, 2013 at 08:19 AM