



## Gwendavere (Gwen) May Richardson

May 19, 1920 - February 21, 2015

Gwendavere (Gwen) May Richardson, 94 of Bloomington passed away Saturday February 21, 2015 at IU Health Hospice House. Gwen was raised in the home of her Maternal Grandparents, Felix and Carrie Lantz in the Kirksville area. She always enjoyed telling the "going ons" during that time in her life. She led a very active life, was a sixty two year plus active member of Clear Creek Christian Church where she served as a Sunday School Superintendant, Treasurer, of her Sunday School class, children's teacher for ten years, was in charge of both Funeral Dinners and Wedding Receptions and was instrumental in starting a new missionary bible study for young mothers. She herself was a member of the Evening Stars group. Gwen was also a member of the Good Neighbors Homemaker Club where she served as treasurer. When her son Dennis owned the Bloomington Speedway you would find her working in the office every Friday night. Gwen was also the Clear Creek Cemetery Secretary, served as Pink Lady at the Bloomington Hospital for twenty five years.

Gwen worked for Sarkes Tarzan and General Electric as an inspector.

Gwen is survived by her son, Dennis Richardson of Bloomington, two step-daughters, Judith Richardson Adams of

Bloomington, Jan (Tommy) Henry of Tucson, Arizona, granddaughter, Kelly Adams (Duane) Lutgring, children Hannah and Adam of Greenwood, two grandsons, Rick (Lauren) Adams and daughter Rylie of Fairfax, Virginia, Matt Adams and son Mason of Bloomington, and sister, Wavel Thomas.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Glen Stultz in 1952, second husband Elmer Richardson in 1981, grandparents, mother, Lillian Mabbitt and son-in-law David Adams, sister Wilma Turner, brothers, Jim and Bennie Mabbitt.

Services will be 2pm Tuesday February 24, 2015 at Allen Funeral Home with visitation 4-8pm Monday February 23, 2015. Burial will follow at the Clear Creek Cemetery. Officiating will be a long time friend Wendy Vanderzee

Family would like to express their love and appreciation to all the staff at the Hospice House and the love shown to us by all our friends. Special thanks to her care givers Doris Baxter and Tammy Evans.

Memorial Contributions can be made to IU Health Hospice House.

Allen Funeral Home is handling arrangements. Friends can send their condolences to [www.allenfuneralhome.org](http://www.allenfuneralhome.org)

# Tribute Wall

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“ *I'm sorry for your loss.*

Regina Fuller - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM

LG

“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Please accept our condolences and may the Lord grant you peace.*

Larry and Glenda Chestnut - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM

SH

“ *So sorry for your loss.*

Susan McConnell Hieftje - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM

BS

“ *On behalf of all who have ever been lucky enough to meet your mother and yourself, our sincerest sympathies go out for you in this time of loss.*

Bloomington Speedway - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM

MI

“ *Dennis, We would like to offer our sincere condolences to you and your family. May your memories give you peace and comfort during these difficult times.*

*Mike and Lana Allen*

michael allen - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM

DE

“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. Please know you are all in my thoughts & prayers.* ”

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**Denise Farmer** - October 26, 2015 at 04:01 PM