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Mildred "Mid" Louise (Empson) Hardy, 80, of Bloomington, IN passed away October 30, 2010 at her residence. She was born on July 24, 1930 in Monroe County to Lester (John) and Opal (Lavender) Empson.

Mildred retired from Cook, Inc., and was a lifelong member of the Arlington Methodist Church in Bloomington, IN. She was also a member of the Amicitia Club.

She is survived by her loving husband of 62 years James "Jim" Monroe Hardy, daughters, Pat Ayers and her husband Duke of Bloomington, Brenda Hardy of Bloomington, Jacki Hopkins and her husband John of Ellettsville, and Jeanne Breeden and her husband Steve of Eminence; sons James (Bo) Hardy and his wife Vicki of Bloomington, and Michael L. Hardy and his wife Donna of Spencer, Grandchildren include John Ayers, Rob Ayers and his wife Jennifer, Christina LaMar and her husband John, Brian Staten and his wife Donna, Tyler Ann Hopkins, Ryan Swafford, C.J. and Cory Breeden, Makenzie Hardy, Jimmy Hardy, J.C. Hardy and David Hardy. She is also survived by eight Great-Grandchildren, Sisters Sue Stalcup, Janice Owen, Sharon Nunn, Rhonda Peterson, and Brother Dennis Empson.

Mid was preceded in death by her parents and brothers Bobby, Junior, and Donnie Empson.

Visitation will be from 2-8pm on Tuesday November 2, 2010, at the Allen

Funeral Home 4155 S. Old State Road 37, Bloomington, IN with Services on Wednesday November 3, 2010 at 11:00am at the Arlington United Methodist Church 1820 W. Arlington Road Bloomington with viewing one hour prior to service. Burial will follow at Valhalla Memorial Gardens in Bloomington.

Memorial Contributions can be made to the church or charity of choice.

Allen Funeral Home is handling arrangements. Condolences may be sent to www.allenfuneralhome.org

Tribute Wall

GR

“ *The Hardy Family,*

I was just informed today of the passing of your Mom. Mid was one of most kind and sweet woman that ever walked this earth. When you are growing up , you always remember who went out of their way to be kind to you and those who genuinely cared and loved you. Even though I have been gone from Bloomington for 30 years I often thought of her and looked forward to seeing her when I came home for the Holiday's and would attend Arlington United Methodist Church with my parents. I only wish I had known she had passed as I certainly would have been there. May God Bless all of you and be comforted in knowing that you will see her again where sorry and suffering do not exist.

Gregory R. Johnson

Gregory Johnson - March 22, 2013 at 08:19 AM

BA

“ *Jacki,*

My heart goes out to you and your family. Your mother was a lovely lady. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Barb Carlile

Barb Carlile - March 22, 2013 at 08:19 AM

LA

“ To Jim and family, My heart is aching for all of you. Mid was such a special lady and I know she will be missed terribly. I know dad thought so much of her and Jim. They were coffee buddies. If you ever need someone to talk to or a shoulder to cry on I am here for you. Mid has a special place in my heart. I will be thinking of you in the days to come. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Lana Durham - March 22, 2013 at 08:19 AM

JE

“ Bo, Vicki & family~ Although it's difficult today to see beyond the sorrow, may looking back in memory help comfort you tomorrow. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Mike, Jennifer, Caitlyn & Ryan Pursell

Jennifer Pursell - March 22, 2013 at 08:19 AM

TP

“ •May the peace which comes from the memories of love shared, comfort you now and in the days ahead. I know Mid will be missed as she was loved by many. I remember lots of good times with the Hardy family....

Tara Woods Pierson - March 22, 2013 at 08:19 AM

BJ

“ My family sends their condolences to all of you and we will remember you in our prayers. Mid's smile will be sorely missed.

BJ McElroy - March 22, 2013 at 08:19 AM