



Clarabelle Thompson

November 27, 1916 - June 28, 2010

Clarabelle Thompson, 93 of Hilton Head, South Carolina, and formerly a 51 year resident of Bluffton, IN, passed away at 2:57 p.m. Monday, June 28, 2010 at the Hilton Head Hospital.

She was born November 27, 1916 in Huntington, Indiana to George E. & Edith (Mow) Chenoweth. Married to David Thompson on June 17, 1939 in Fort Wayne, IN; they were together for 45 years prior to his death on October 31, 1984. Mrs. Thompson was a graduate of Fort Wayne Southside High school and furthered her education at Indiana University with a degree in education. She taught for over 20 years in the Bluffton (Indiana) Harrison School District. She was a member of the First United Methodist Church and an Associate member of Tri Kappa Beta in Bluffton and a member of the St. Andrew By-The-Sea United Methodist Church on Hilton Head.

Survivors include two daughters; Judy Cotton of Bluffton, Indiana and Mary Jo, Mrs. Don Carlson of Hilton Head, SC, along with her sister Jane Goehring of Atlanta, Georgia. She had 8 grandchildren, 5 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by a daughter, Kathy Bailey and 2 sisters.

Memorial services will take place on Saturday, July 10, 2010 in Bluffton, Indiana and on Saturday, July 24 at 4 p.m. at the Seabrook on Hilton Head

Island, SC. Funeral arrangements are in the care of the Thoma/Rich, Chaney & Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton, Indiana.

Memorials may be made in Mrs. Thompson's memory to the Seabrook Foundation Fund, 300 Woodhaven, Hilton Head, SC, 29928.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **10**. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Thoma/Rich,Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
(260) 824-3850
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Tribute Wall



“ *Clarabelle Thompson*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *Barry and Doug said it so well. Mrs. Thompson was one of the kindest people I ever knew, not to mention a great teacher. Her main consideration was giving us a good foundation for life. I was fortunate enough to have contact with her by mail a few years back and was delighted that she remembered me. I will ALWAYS remember her. God bless.##imported-begin##Valerie Wilson Jackson##imported-end##*

July 15, 2010 at 10:24 PM



“ *Dear Mary Jo,
Our thoughts and prayers are with you through this sad time. Your mother was very special to us and we are honored to have served her. I feel very fortunate that I was able to see her last month when Don brought her in for lunch.
Best Regards,
Christine and David Bohn
Christine's Cafe & Catering##imported-begin##Christine Bohn##imported-end##*

July 02, 2010 at 09:54 AM



“ Mrs. Thompson was my second grade teacher at Central elementary school. She was always kind and understanding while striving to give us students the best opportunity to succeed in life. I will always remember her and hold those memories dear to my heart.

Doug###imported-begin##Doug Myers###imported-end##

July 01, 2010 at 03:52 PM



“ To Mary Jo, Judy and all the family members who loved Clarabelle Thompson, I am so sorry for your lost. I remember spending many, many times at the Thompson home when I lived in Bluffton. May you all carry in your hearts all the precious memories that you each have of your times spent with Clarabelle. I will. You are in my thoughts.###imported-begin##Nancy (Wallace) Showalter###imported-end##

July 01, 2010 at 11:37 AM



“ My thoughts go out to all in the family of Clarabelle during this difficult time. Having grown up with Mary Jo only two blocks south on West Washington Street and walking up the alley between Morgan and Oak streets to their house on Wabash Street many many times as a kid, I have many fond memories of Clarabelle and the Thompson family. I know she will be greatly missed by many.###imported-begin##Gene Kyle###imported-end##

July 01, 2010 at 11:18 AM



“ To The Family Of Clarabelle Thompson We Are So Sorry To Hear Of Her Passing. Our Prayers Are With U And Your Family During This Difficult Time In Your Life. May God Bless U During This Time. My Twin Brother And I Lived 2 Blocks Down The Street From David And Clarabelle Growing Up On Wabash St. (The Crosbie Twins Barry&Garry)! Mrs Thompson Taught 2nd Grade When We Were In Grade School My Brother Garry Had Clarabelle And I Had Mrs Bobay. I Can Still Remember When Mrs Thompson Caught Garry And I Trying To Change Class Rooms During our Costume Day At Halloween. I Will Always Remember Clarabelle As A Very Sweet And Kind And Wonderful Lady. Heaven Will Be A Better Place With Clarabelle###imported-begin##Barry Crosbie###imported-end##

June 30, 2010 at 01:26 AM