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Services for Luella "Wady" LaTurner, 60, 608 Short St., who died Tuesday morning, will be held Friday at 11 a.m. at Decatur Baptist Church, Rev. Fred Bunts officiating. Burial will be in Decatur Cemetery.

Friends may call at Zwick-Boltz & Jahn Funeral Home after 7 p.m. today and until 9 a.m. Friday and after 10 a.m. at the church. She had bypass surgery in January and was admitted to Adams County Memorial Hospital Aug. 27, then transferred to Lutheran Hospital eight days ago.

She was a member of Decatur Baptist Church and the Decatur Heart Club. Formerly employed at Wayne Novelty Co., she retired in 1981 due to ill health. Prior to that time, she was employed by Duo Marine.

Born in Decatur on Oct. 19, 1925, she was the daughter of Carl and Ada Hakes-Hower, and was married to Joseph D. LaTurner on March 22, 1945; he survives.

Also surviving are six children, George, Decatur; Mrs. Robert (Kathryn) Mathews, Decatur; Sharon Eguia, Decatur; Mrs. Steven (Cheryl) Thompson, Bluffton; Mrs. Tony (Carolyn) Corral, route 7, Decatur; Miss Teresa LaTurner, at home; three sisters, Mrs. Irene Klinetob, Mrs. Bob (Kate) Mendez, and Mrs. Blas (Sarah) Mendez, all of Decatur; three brothers, Ben, Dale, and John Hower, all of Decatur; 17 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren. One sister, two brothers, and one grandson are deceased.