

Decatur IN United States

FLORENCE B. WHITTENBARGER, 94, of Decatur, died Saturday, Dec. 31, 2005, at Woodcrest Nursing Center, Decatur. Born November 22, 1911, in Kingsburg, Ill., she was the daughter of the late James C. and Mary (Hedge) Lovelette. She married George C. Whittenbarger on June 14, 1930, and he died on March 16, 1982. She was a homemaker and member of Decatur Lighthouse Assembly of God, Decatur. Survived by her son, Larry (Norma) Whittenbarger of Decatur; daughters, Bonnie (Gerald) Knittle of Decatur, Sharon Snyder of Decatur, Karen (Jerry) Miller of Decatur and Janice (Ron) Swygart of Decatur; sisters, Pearl Brubaker of Huntington and Mary Ellen Martin of Vera Cruz, Ind.; son-in-law, Rev. Max Case of Willshire, Ohio; sister-in-law, Merle Lovelette of Decatur; 24 grandchildren; 50 great-grandchildren; and 12 great-great grandchildren. She was also preceded in death by her daughters, Wanda Case and Phyllis Whittenbarger; brothers, Harry and James Lovelette; sister, Opal Peterson; and great-granddaughter, Andrea Snyder. Service is 11 a.m. Thursday at Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home, Decatur, with calling one hour prior to service. The Rev. Raymond Bell officiating. Calling is also from 2 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. Burial at Decatur Cemetery. Memorials to Decatur Lighthouse Assembly of God.

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Florence has 1 son Larry (Norma) Whittenbarger of Decatur; 4 daughters Mrs. Gerald (Bonnie) Knittle, Sharon Snyder, Mrs. Jerry (Karen) Miller and Mrs. Ron (Janice) Swygart all of Decatur; 2 sisters Pearl Brubaker of Huntington and Mary Ellen Martin of Vera Cruz; 1 son-in-law Rev. Max Case of Willshire, OH; 1 sister-in-law Merle Lovelette of Decatur. She was blessed with 24 grandchildren - 50 great grandchildren & 12 great-great grandchildren.

Preceded Florence in death was 2 daughters Wanda Case & Phyllis Whittenbarger, 2 brothers Harry & James Lovelette, 1 sister Opal Peterson and 1 great granddaughter Andrea Snyder.

Florence was a homemaker and attended the Decatur Lighthouse Assembly of God in Decatur.

Visitation will be from 2-8 pm on Wednesday, January 4, 2006 at Haggard & Sefton Funeral Home and 1 hour prior to service. Funeral will be at 11:00 am on Thursday, Jan. 5, 2006 also at the funeral home with Rev. Raymond Bell officiating and burial will be in Decatur Cemetery. Memorial contributions are to Decatur Lighthouse Assembly of God.