



Dorothy Mae Rankin

September 1, 1931 - December 3, 2014

Dorothy Mae Rankin, 83 year old resident of Gentry, Arkansas, died December 3, 2014 at Siloam Springs Nursing and Rehabilitation, Siloam Springs, Arkansas. She was born September 10, 1931 in Siloam Springs to Hubert B. Williams and Clela Belle Simpson Williams. Dorothy was later raised by her mother, Clela Simpson Speed and her stepfather, Burley Speed. She married Elvin Rankin on June 11, 1952 in Siloam Springs. She worked as a food supervisor for Colcord Schools and with the Gentry Head Start Program. Dorothy was a member of the Bloomfield Ladies Club and attended First Assembly of God Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents, one daughter, Sharon Rankin; and one brother, Lonnie Speed.

She is survived by her husband, Elvin Rankin of Gentry; one daughter, Glenda Manos and husband Larry of Siloam Springs; two sons, Larry Rankin and Gary Rankin of Gentry; seven grandchildren: Traci Letellier and husband Casey, Corrie Wimberly and husband Brandon, Amy Mayberry and husband Scott, Angie Kirkpatrick and husband T.A., Jerred Rankin and wife Kayla, Nathan Amos and fiancée Vilgen, and Regina Amos; eight great grandchildren: Boyd Wimberly, Dean Wimberly, Stone Mayberry, Briar Mayberry, Jaxon Milsap, Presley Kirkpatrick, Astralia Roman, and Asia Amos; one brother, David Speed of Siloam Springs; and three sisters, Wanda Straub

of Fremont, California, Freda Gibbs of Siloam Springs, and Betty Duncan of Decatur, Arkansas.

Funeral services will be 10:30 a.m., Saturday, December 6, 2014 at Siloam Springs Bible Church, with Brother Wayne Thomas of Kind at Heart Ministries officiating. Burial will follow at Oak Hill Cemetery, Siloam Springs. Visitation will be 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., Friday, December 5, 2014 at Wasson Funeral Home, Siloam Springs. The family wishes to thank the staff at Siloam Springs Nursing and Rehab for the kindness and love they showed toward Dorothy.

Cemetery Details

Oak Hill Cemetery

2122 W. University St.
Siloam Springs, AR 72761

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 5. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Wasson Funeral Home
441 U.S. 412
Siloam Springs, AR 72761
(479) 524-5131
wasson@wassonfuneralhome.com
<https://www.wassonfuneralhome.com>

Service

DEC 6. 10:30 AM (CT)

Siloam Springs Bible Church
927 S. Oak Hill St.
Siloam Springs, AR 72761
(479) 524-3963

Tribute Wall

CD

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. We were out of town. Our prayers are with the family.

Charlotte Darling

Charlotte Darling - December 08, 2014 at 07:15 PM

AW

“ Amy Williams lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Mae Rankin



amy williams - December 05, 2014 at 10:50 AM

SP

“ Shermana Philpott lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Mae Rankin



Shermana Philpott - December 05, 2014 at 09:34 AM

BS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with your family. Lot's of wonderful memories.

Betty (Glass) Southerland - December 04, 2014 at 05:36 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Dorothy Mae Rankin.*



December 04, 2014 at 02:55 PM