

Pauline Barton Burgess

December 9, 1913 – October 27, 2003

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BELPRE, Ohio — Pauline Barton Burgess, 89, passed away peacefully on the evening of Monday, Oct. 27, 2003, at Harmar Place Extended Care in Marietta, Ohio, after a lengthy illness. She was a former resident of Mineral Wells and Cannelton.

She was born on Dec. 9, 1913, at Bertha on the New River in Summers County, the only daughter of Dorsie R. and Lula N. Barton.

She was a beloved and devoted mother, a dedicated caregiver, homemaker, seamstress and award-winning cook. Mrs. Burgess enjoyed life



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and was always willing to help others in need. She retired in 1978 as a secretary with Mountain State Insurance Agency in Montgomery. She was a devout Christian and lifelong member of the church.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 46 years, Earl L. Burgess Sr.; and two brothers, Harry E. Barton and Oran O. Barton.

Survivors include a son, Earl L. Burgess Jr. and his wife, Ashley Lucille, of Belpre; four nephews, Bill J. Barton of Ravenswood, Raymond R. Lamb and Bill L. Burgess of Beckley and Richard G. Taylor of Oak Ridge, Tenn.; and several nieces, nephews, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Service will be held 1 p.m. Thursday at Leavitt Funeral Home, Parkersburg, with Evangelist Ron Laughery officiating. Entombment will follow at High Lawn Memorial Park, Oak Hill, at the convenience of the family.

Friends may call 7 to 9 p.m. today at the funeral home.

Arrangements entrusted to Leavitt Funeral Home, Parkersburg.