



## Ruth Marie Shell

March 3, 1927 - October 9, 2009

Thursday, March 03, 1927 to Friday, October 09, 2009

A Resident of Austin, TX

Visitation Services will be held on Friday, October 23, 2009 at 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM at the Liley Funeral Home in Marble Hill, MO

Funeral Services will be held on Friday, October 23, 2009 at 11:00 AM at the Liley Funeral Home in Marble Hill, MO

The Final Resting Place is at the Matthews Cemetery in Matthews, MO

Ruth Marie Shell, 82, of Austin, TX, died Friday, October 9, 2009 at Heartland Health Care in Austin, TX.

She was born March 3, 1927 in Commerce Michigan, daughter of Hervey George and Doris Carrie Duncan Spencer. She married Willard Frank Shell and he preceded her in death.

Ruth worked in the food service industries at Woolworth, at Sikeston, MO and later transferred to St. Louis where she retired after 27 years. After retirement, Ruth moved to the Marble Hill area for 9 years and attended the Point Pleasant General Baptist Church.

br> She later moved to Texas to be near her daughter and family.

She was a very loving and giving person. She loved music She played and sang in church and traveled with the McFarland Family Singers for many years. She will be missed by family and friends.

Survivors include: one daughter Sandra (Byron) Wilson of Austin, TX; two brothers, Jim Spencer and family of Flint, Michigan; Herb Spencer of Greenville, Arizona; two sisters, Dorothy McQuillin and family, Margaret (Chuck) Blain and family all of the state of Michigan; three grandchildren and five great-grandchildren, Aaron (Melba) Wilson and daughters Alysha, Rabecca and Caitlin, Eric (Tamra) Wilson and sons, Blake and Colby, Jason (Summer) Wilson and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

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