



Glenice Blanche Elkins

November 29, 1913 - June 25, 2009

GLENICE BLANCHE ELKINS Glenice Blanche (Nini) Elkins, 95, Russellville (formerly of Sheffield) passed away on Thursday, June 25, 2009 at Russellville Hospital. She was a member of Siloam Baptist Church in Russellville. The visitation will be 1:00 - 2:00 p.m. Saturday, June 27, 2009 at Spry Memorial Chapel. The funeral service will follow 2:00 p.m. Saturday, June 27, 2009 in the chapel. Officiating will be Bro. Coy Marbutt. Interment will be in Glendale Cemetery. She was preceded in death by her husband of 67 years, Malcolm H. Elkins; parents, Milas & Minnie Lansford; and brothers, Hayes Lansford, S.D. Lansford. She is survived by her daughter, Sharon Williams (Bill); grandchildren, Denise Gray (Buddy), Chuck Rainey, Chrissy Cooper (Niles); great-grandchildren, Gregg Gray (Erin), Christopher Cooper; and several nieces & nephews. Pallbearers will be Buddy Gray, Niles Cooper, Gregg Gray, Christopher Cooper, James Ayers, and Bill Thrasher. Honorary Pallbearers will be Dewight Lowery, Tommy Thorn, Steve Elkins, Hayes Lansford, Jr., and Morgan King. The given name, Glenice, changed to "Nini" when she became a grandmother. Her daughter and grandchildren were her world. She adored her great-grandsons and was a natural born Mom to children and animals alike. Whether nurturing a baby duck, gardening with her son-in-law, or cooking family meals into her 90's, she made sure everybody and everything around her was fed and happy. She was the best fried apple pie cook around and loved to send baskets of them to Dr. Kelly and her granddaughter's offices. Her black eyes were always anticipating their praise of the

treats and would twinkle with glee at their compliments. She was overjoyed to win a blue ribbon at the county fair for her delicious sweets. She was lonesome for Pa-pa Mack and all Nini's "kids" find comfort in knowing she is with him now. The family would like to extend thanks to Dr. Kevin Kelly, the staff at Russellville Hospital and Russellville Health Care.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Chrissy and Denise. When I saw your mother and grandmother at the Mother's Day tea and realized that she and my mother were sharing the same home I couldn't believe it. Once I found out she was there I would drop in and check on her, sometimes she would be sleeping and I wouldn't disturb her. She always looked so sweet and pretty. She remembered me coming to her house growing up. I took her a piece of my Mother's last Birthday cake on May 12, it was strawberry and I baked it myself. She was a precious lady and I know you will miss her. God Bless... Love you all... Regina*

legina - July 08, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ *We miss you Nini and Papaw but we are going to take care of each other.
Your Grandbabies,
Neechie
Chuck
Chrissy*

Chrissy Williams Cooper - July 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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“ *We will miss anut Glenice, but we know that she is with uncle Mac. Bonita & I will never forget them both. Her fried apple pies were the greatest. You better be there when they were handed out or you ain't gettin' one. ha ha Thanks for the honor of making me honorary pallbearer. Love Tommy & Bonita Thorne*

Bonita & Tommy Thorne - June 27, 2009 at 12:00 AM