



Helen Coalson Pinion

June 5, 1925 - November 13, 2012

Helen Geneva Coalson Pinion, 87, Russellville (formerly of Phil Campbell), passed away on Tuesday, November 13, 2012 at Burns Nursing Home. Mrs. Pinion was a charter member of the Phil Campbell Study Club and served on the Franklin County Board of Registrars for sixteen years. She was a life-long member of the First Baptist Church in Phil Campbell where she played the organ, the piano, and also served as secretary of the church. The visitation will be 12:00 ? 2:00 p.m. Thursday, November 15, 2012 at Spry Memorial Chapel. The funeral will follow at 2:00 p.m. in the chapel. Dr. Scott Moore and Greg Beasley will officiate the service. Burial will be at Liberty Hill Cemetery, Phil Campbell. She is survived by her children, James Edwin Pinion and wife, Nancy Todd; Van Earl Pinion and wife, Yulia; Emily Ann Pinion McKinney and husband, Buzz; grandchildren, Jamie Ellen Pinion Tarence and husband, Zane; Marcy Anne Pinion Brown; Jonathan Curtis McKinney and wife, Kristy; Laura Ann McKinney; great-grandchildren, Mary Judson Tarence, Anne Ellison Tarence, Emma Barksdale Tarence, Silas Sellassie Brown, Jonathan Andrew McKinney, Hudson Owen McKinney, Ruth Ann McKinney; niece, Gail Coalson Estis and husband, Mike; nephew, Reese Coalson; and a host of friends and loved ones. She was preceded in death by her husband, Shelton Curtis Pinion; parents, Judson James and Annie Mae (Fowler) Coalson; and brother, Billy James Coalson. The pallbearers are Bob Glasgow, Hoyt Wells, Mark Cain, Terry Benford, and Mike Estis. The honorary pallbearers are Johnny Mack Morrow, Roger Taylor, Billy Wilson, Tommy Hutcheson, Jackie

Nix, and James Graham. The family would like to extend a special thanks to the staff of Burns Nursing Home for the love and care shown to our mother. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Diabetes Association, 117-C Longwood Drive SE, Huntsville, AL 35801 or the Alzheimer's Foundation of America, 322 Eighth Avenue, 6th Floor, New York, NY 10001. Spry Memorial Chapel assisted the family.

Tribute Wall

BS

“ James, Van and Emily, sorry to hear about Helen's passing. She was a special person, always a smile and warm greeting. Emily I guess that is where you got it. Judy and I are both sick with a cold and on meds so we won't be able to come to the serevice but we will be thinking of you all. I have so many good memories of visiting and playing at your house. She always treated me as one of her own. Our prayers are with you. Love you all, Berry.

Berry and Judy Stalcup - November 21, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ Sorry to hear that Helen passed away -- did not receive the news until the day of the service. Our visits with Mae and Helen were always fun times with wonderful meomories.. tony

Tony Coalson - November 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM

ML

“ MISS HELEN WAS ALWAYS VERY KIND AND CONSIDERATE OF EVERYONE. I REALLY ENJOYED TALKING TO HER WHEN WE ATTENDED CHURCH TOGETHER. SHE WAS TRULY ONE OF A KIND AND WILL BE GREATLY MISSED! GOD BLESSTHE FAMILY AT THIS TIME, MAY HE MAKE IT A PEACEFUL JOURNEY THRUUGH THIS DIFFICULT TIME.

MICHAEL LAWLER - November 15, 2012 at 12:00 AM

ST

“ I'm so sorry to hear about your loss, I know it's always hard no matter what age. I know it's been a long time since I've seen Dad's side (Cherry Smith) of the family. I won't be able to attend the services but wanted you to know you are in my thoughts and prayers.

Sue Taylor - November 15, 2012 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ Sorry for your loss

Mike, Johnna, Jessica & Jodie

Mike Morrow - November 15, 2012 at 12:00 AM

WM

“ I am thinking about all of you at this sad time. She was the best neighbor ever.

Willie Mae (Bonner) Mantooth - November 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM

DS

“ I'm sorry for your loss. Prayers for your family. John 3:16

Debby Scott-Sherrill - November 14, 2012 at 12:00 AM