



## Rachel Pauline Gladden

September 20, 1917 - January 15, 2013

Rachel P. Gladden (Polly) age 95 Funeral services will be at 1:PM at Perry Funeral Home; Centre, AL on Thursday, January 17, 2013 for Rachel (Polly) Gladden, age 95, who died Tuesday, January 15, 2013 at Cherokee County Health & Rehab. Ministers, Emerson Blythe and Mancel Norris will officiate. Director of Music is Jeffrey Graves. The family will receive friends from 11:00 am to 1:00 pm at Perry Funeral Home the day of services. Burial and graveside services will be in Antioch Church of Christ Cemetery; 323 Antioch Road; Collinsville, AL. Mrs. Gladden spent many years in Etowah County (Black Creek Community), and the last twenty years in Centre, AL. She was a member of Antioch Church of Christ for over seventy years. She was loved by all who knew her. Her strength, kindness, and faith were an inspiration to all. Mrs. Gladden was preceded in death by her husband of seventy-five years, Dock Gladden; Parents, Kitty and Henry Brumbelow; sisters, Gertrude Lolies, Velma Owens, Ruth Gladden, and Alice Bobo Romine, and special granddaughter Diali Pruitt. Survivors include her children, Noah Gladden, Centre, AL; Shirley (Bruce) Gage, Gadsden, AL; grandchildren, Steven (April) Pruitt, Southside, AL, Kristi Flenniken, Roswell, GA , Keri Gladden, Centre, AL; great-grandchildren, Blake and Haley Pruitt, Eliza and Makenzie Flenniken, Ashley Pope and Baylee Ramey; one sister, Josephine (Perry) Hathcock of Gadsden, AL, and several very special nieces and nephews. Pallbearers are Steven Pruitt, Butch Tidmore, Gary Gladden, Leon Gladden, Johnny Owens, and Jimmy Lolies. Special thanks to our family and friends for

their concerns and prayers, very special thanks to Brian Perry, MD and Haley Trammell, PA, and the staff of Cherokee County Health & Rehab, Comfort Care Hospice, Antioch Church of Christ, and Perry Funeral Home. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Antioch Church of Christ Cemetery Fund.

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