



Lela Martin

June 24, 1909 - November 4, 2008

Lela Martin, daughter of Charles Stevens & Ellen (Rainbolt) Stevens, was born June 24, 1909 in Johnson County IL.

She departed this life Tuesday morning, November 4, 2008, at 5:40 AM at the Massac Memorial Hospital in Metropolis, IL.

At the time of her passing, Lela had attained the age of 99 years.

Lela was united in marriage to Harley "Kid" Martin on January 15, 1927 in Buncombe, IL. He preceded her in death on February 10, 1994.

Survivors include: a Daughter - Evelyn Taylor of Boles, IL; 13 Grandchildren; Several Great Grandchildren and Great Great Grandchildren; Nieces & Nephews.

In addition to her Parents & Husband, Lela was preceded in death by: 5 Sons - Lindell Martin, Harold "Red" Martin, Billy Ray Martin, Darrell "Toby" Martin, Donald Martin; a Granddaughter - Brenda Kay McClellan; 5 Brothers and 3 Sisters.

Lela was a homemaker. She had been a kitchen worker at the former Bob

White Caf, at West Vienna.

Lela was a member of the former West Vienna United Methodist Church. She enjoyed gardening, flowers, sewing, crochet, and spent many hours studying her Bible. Lela loved visiting with family & friends and helping others. Lela is remembered by her family for the many enjoyable evening "car rides" that she, along with her husband Harley, shared to listen to the whippoorwills.

Lela leaves her family and friends to cherish her memory.

A Graveside Service will be conducted Thursday, November 6, 2008, at 3 PM at Pleasant Grove Cemetery, near Buncombe.

Friends may call from 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.

Memorials may be made to the charity of the donor's choice.

Tribute Wall



“ *Lela Martin*

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