



## Lucille Stapleton

September 29, 1921 - January 1, 2015

Lucille Stapleton, age 93 years, a resident of Vienna and a former resident of rural Simpson (the Flatwoods community), passed away Thursday afternoon, January 1, 2015, at 12:48 PM at Baptist Health in Paducah, Kentucky.

Lucille was born September 29, 1921 in Simpson, Illinois. She was the daughter of Rev. Wilson Mizell Grant and Elsie (Milliken) Grant.

On August 5, 1940, Lucille was united in marriage to Cleman O. Stapleton in Jackson, Missouri. He preceded her in death on February 2, 2008.

Survivors include: 2 brothers – Bailey Grant of Vienna and Charles Grant of Kankakee; a host of nieces, nephews and cousins, including a dear cousin whom Lucille thought of as a daughter, Leda Jane Kerley, of the Flatwoods community.

In addition to her parents and husband, Lucille was preceded in death by her “Mom” Sarah Grant, 2 sisters – Wanda Caby and Imogene Kerley; and 6 brothers – Jesse, Rudy, Norman and Millard Grant, James Holly and Lowell Blades.

Lucille was a homemaker. She had worked at the Dime Store in Anna as well as working as a waitress at a restaurant in Anna.

Lucille was a faithful member of County Line Baptist Church, where she had served as a children's Sunday school teacher as well as the adult Sunday school secretary and the church custodian.

Lucille was an avid reader, she enjoyed gardening and walking. Lucille is remembered for her straightforward personality and her kind, loving and giving spirit.

Funeral services were conducted Wednesday morning, January 7, 2015, at 11 AM at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna. Brother David Faulkner officiated. Burial was in the Kerley Cemetery in the Flatwoods community.

Visitation was conducted from 10 AM – 11 AM Wednesday at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.

Memorials are suggested to the County Line Baptist Church or the Kerley Cemetery Fund. Contributions for either may be directed to Donnie Morris, 146 Bull Pen Road, Simpson, Illinois 62985.

# Cemetery Details

## Kerley Cemetery

Kerley Lane  
Simpson, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 7. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home  
705 North First Street  
PO Box 695  
Vienna, IL 62995  
(618) 658-2311  
baileyfhinc@hotmail.com  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Lucille Stapleton*

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ *Jim & Pat Blankenship lit a candle in memory of Lucille Stapleton*



**Jim & Pat Blankenship** - January 05, 2015 at 04:45 PM



“ *I'll always remember our visits to Lucille and Clemon's home in the flatwoods. Lucille would make us feel right at home with lemonade and cookies. She was one of the sweetest people I've ever known.*

**Ann Phelps Soderstrom** - January 05, 2015 at 03:47 PM



“ *Ray & Imogene Phelps; Tammy Eudy lit a candle in memory of Lucille Stapleton*



**Ray & Imogene Phelps; Tammy Eudy** - January 03, 2015 at 09:50 PM

CT

“ *Carla Tapley lit a candle in memory of Lucille Stapleton*



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**Carla tapley** - January 03, 2015 at 04:37 PM

JG

“ *Johnny,carla,dyzon,and Kashya Grant sent a virtual gift in memory of Lucille Stapleton*



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**johnny,carla,dyzon,and kashya grant** - January 03, 2015 at 12:09 AM

JF

“ *Jason Grant And Family lit a candle in memory of Lucille Stapleton*



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**Jason Grant and Family** - January 01, 2015 at 08:41 PM



“ *I am going miss u auntie Lucille u are with Uncle clemon n your other love ones love you cookie u will always be in my heart I'll cherish our memories forever*

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**Carla Grant** - January 01, 2015 at 08:18 PM

Mary  
Lou  
Hynes

“ *Mary Lou Hynes lit a candle in memory of  
Lucille Stapleton*



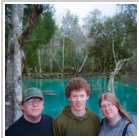
Mary Lou Hynes - January 01, 2015 at 07:36 PM



“ *Don Alice Morris lit a candle in memory of  
Lucille Stapleton*



Don Alice Morris - January 01, 2015 at 06:01 PM



“ *Lanesha Board lit a candle in memory of  
Lucille Stapleton*



Lanesha Board - January 01, 2015 at 05:04 PM



“ *Jeannie McCall lit a candle in memory of  
Lucille Stapleton*



Jeannie McCall - January 01, 2015 at 03:58 PM