



Luella I. Collings

September 27, 1914 - April 26, 2005

Luella I. (Davis) Ragains Collings, age 90 years, a resident of Springfield, Illinois and a native of Dixon Springs, Illinois, passed away Tuesday afternoon, April 26, 2005 at Sangamon Care Center in Springfield, Illinois.

Luella was born September 27, 1914 in Dixon Springs, Illinois. She was the daughter of David Franklin Davis & Lucy Elizabeth (Cooper) Davis.

Luella was united in marriage to Owen E. Ragains in May 1933 in Golconda, Illinois. He preceded her in death in 1973.

Survivors include *f?* a Daughter *f?* Mary Margaret Shoemaker of Russellville, Arkansas; a Son *f?* Lyndol L. & Shirley Ragains of Springfield, IL; 2 Stepdaughters *f?* Miriam Fouts of Peoria, IL and Ruth & Glen Madsen of Bourbonnais, IL; a Stepson *f?* Rev. Lowell L. & Mary Frances Ragains of Peoria, IL; 14 Grandchildren; 20 Great Grandchildren; a host of Nieces, Nephews, Cousins, other relatives & many dear friends.

In addition to her Parents & Husband, Luella was preceded in death by: a Stepson *f?* Willard Ragains; a Grandson *f?* Robert Lowell Fouts; and 5 Brothers *f?* Lester Williams, Lloyd Davis, Luther Davis, Lacey Davis & Lyndol Davis.

Luella was employed as a cook and house mother at the Moose Lodge Orphanage in Mooseheart, Illinois from 1961-1969. She was then employed as a custodian by the Pawnee School District, retiring in 1975.

Luella was a member of the Dixon Springs Baptist Church, where she had served as the Church pianist. Luella had a deep love for music and enjoyed

playing the electric organ.

A Graveside Service will be conducted Sunday afternoon, May 1, 2005, at 2 PM at Kerley Cemetery in the Flatwoods community in Johnson County Illinois. Rev. David Faulkner will officiate.

Those attending the service are asked to gather at the cemetery at approx. 1:45 PM Sunday.

There will be no public visitation.

Tribute Wall



“ *Luella I. Collings*

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