



## Virginia Ruth Pickens

May 15, 1928 - May 21, 2010

Virginia Ruth House Pickens, 82, of Searcy, went to be with her Lord at her home on Friday, May 21, 2010. Mrs. Pickens was born May 15, 1928 in North Little Rock to the late Clarence and Virginia House.

Mrs. Pickens was a member of Searcy Church of the Nazarene and also considered herself a part of Country Valley Christian Church. She served many years teaching Sunday School and serving on church leadership boards. She loved her family, sewing, and people.

She retired from the ASCS office after 30 years. She was an active member of NARFE and a local Home Extension club.

She is preceded in death by her parents; two sisters, Martha Beall and Clariece Prentice, both of North Little Rock.

She is survived by her husband of 55 years, M. P. Pickens; daughters Leisa Davis (Ronnie) of Conway and Ginger Brookshire (Frank) of St. Louis, Missouri; two sisters, Louise Hill Webb (Hershel) and Betty Andreae; two brothers-in-law, Denzil Beall and George Prentice; three grandsons, Clayton and Reece Davis and Brandon Moss; and one granddaughter, Ginny Moss; a special caregiver, Brittany Willbanks; and many nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m. Monday at Powell Funeral Home Chapel of Searcy. Visitation will be Sunday from 4 until 6 pm. Interment will follow the service at White County Memorial Gardens in Searcy. In Lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Searcy Church of the Nazarene. [www.powellfu](http://www.powellfu)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *M.P., Louise, Betty and family*

*Virginia was a member of the unique NLR high school class of 1946 and she made all of the reunion that she could. Her upbeat spirit will be missed by all.*

*Herman Shirley Class of 46'*

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June 01, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Mr. Pickens, Leisa, Ginger and families; I am praying that God gives you peace and strength for the upcoming days. Hold on to all the wonderful memories you have with your wife and mother, knowing you will see her again in heaven!*

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May 26, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Virginia was a special person and I have many happy memories of her. She will be missed by all who knew her.*

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May 24, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *I'm so sorry for your loss. I did not know she was ill.*

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May 24, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Majors, Lisa, Ginger--we are sorry for your loss.*

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May 24, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ So sorry for your loss. Our prayers are with you.

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May 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ With our prayers for your family,  
Mike and Carole Drinkwater

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May 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ Majors and family, We are so sorry for your loss. Virginia was a great lady and will be missed by all who knew her. She was such a good friend to my Mom for so many years. May you be comforted by wonderful memories.

Betty and Jack

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May 22, 2010 at 12:00 AM