



Zelda Dawson

September 28, 1921 - January 17, 2008

Zelda Geneva Dawson, 86, of Searcy, died January 17, 2008. She was born September 28, 1921, in the Central High Community of Stephens County, Oklahoma. She was preceded in death by her husband of 56 years, Lt/Col. Franklin W. Dawson; a sister, Joice Burton of Lawton, Oklahoma; and her parents, James and Maggie Peterson, of Lawton, Oklahoma.

She leaves a son and daughter-in-law, David and Ruth Ann Dawson; a granddaughter, Joanna Crisco of Searcy; a granddaughter and husband, Windy and Steven Blythe of Granada, Mississippi; two great grandchildren, Jordan Thomas Crisco of Searcy and Sarah Ann Blythe of Granada, Mississippi; and a brother, J. R. Peterson of Nashville, Tennessee.

She was a member of the West Side Church of Christ, a member of the WCMC Auxiliary and Treasurer of the White County Historical Society.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to the White County Historical Society, or the WCMC Auxiliary.