



## Fern Louise Ramsey

January 19, 1919 - April 24, 2009

Fern Louise Johnson Ramsey, age 90, of Laurel, MD, died Friday, April 24, 2009 at the Laurel Regional Hospital. Funeral services were conducted Thursday, April 30, 1:00PM at the Cross Plains Seventh-Day Adventist Church with Pastor Steve Rose officiating. Burial followed in Forest Lawn Cemetery in Goodlettsville. Visitation with the family was held Wednesday 4-8PM at Austin & Bell Funeral Home in White House and again on Thursday at the church one hour prior to the service. Mrs. Ramsey was born January 19, 1919 in Greeley, CO to the late Fred H. and Dora Ellen Bechtolt Johnson. She was home-schooled early and then attended Greeley Elementary School. She attended high schools at Shelton and Champion Academies. She graduated from pre-nursing at Union College in Lincoln, NE and from nursing school at Boulder Sanitarium. Mrs. Ramsey worked with Dr. Wadell as his office nurse. He encouraged her to return to school for a BS degree, which she did, enrolling in Union College to complete the degree. While there she worked as the girls' nurse and met the boys' nurse, Wayne Ramsey, whom she later married. Mr. Ramsey preceded her in death June 16, 2001. Survivors include sons, Douglas Ramsey, of White House, Stephen Ramsey, of Lebanon; daughters, Joanne Goodwin of Dryden, VA, Phyllis Dickens, of Nashville, Ellen Eldridge, of Laurel, MD; 12 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; 2 great-great-grandchildren. Austin & Bell Funeral Home is in charge of these arrangements. [www.austinandbell.com](http://www.austinandbell.com) AUSTIN & BELL FUNERAL HOME-WHITE HOUSE (615) 672-5000



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“ We are praying for each of you to find comfort and hope in the loss of your loved one. May you each one feel the arms of Jesus around you and comfort you. with heartfelt symapthy Love Bob and Thelma Rilea

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