



## Laura Holt Rice

August 10, 1927 - April 2, 2009

Laura Mae Holt Rice, age 81, of Adams, passed away Thursday, April 2, 2009 at Grace Healthcare of Clarksville. Funeral services will be held Sunday, April 5, 2009 at 2pm in the chapel of Austin & Bell Funeral Home in Springfield with Brother Turner Redfern officiating. Burial will follow in the Sango Cemetery. Serving as pallbearers are John Riggins, Tommy Joe Durham, Curt Rice, Kieffer McCowan, Ray Rice, Steve Holt, John Thomas Holt, John Rice, Wendell Riggins and Roy Dale Rice. Visitation will be held at the funeral home on Saturday, April 4, 2009 from 1-8pm and again on Sunday morning from 10am until 1pm. Mrs. Rice was born August 10, 1927 in Montgomery County, Tennessee to the late Thurman "Preacher" and Sarah Spicer Holt. She was a homemaker, member of Stroudsville Church of Christ, loving mother and grandmother and dear friend to many. In addition to her parents, Mrs. Rice is preceded in death by her brothers, Russell Holt and Charlie Holt and her sister, Helen Long. She is survived by her husband, Walter Rice; sons, Dale (Maggie) Durham of Cedar Hill, Tom (Kathleen) Rice, Sr. of Coloma, MI and Raymond Lynn (Sara Rosemary) Durham of Hopkinsville, KY; daughters, Sarah Ann (Sammy) Diaz of Tampa, FL, Angel Stewart of Pombay, FL, Rita Fay (Don) Rice of Clarksville and Pat (Larry) Van Vooren of Bremen, IN; sister, Martha Bell Miller of Adams; 18 grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren and 3 great-great-grandchildren. Austin & Bell Funeral Home is in charge of these arrangements. [www.austinandbell.com](http://www.austinandbell.com)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *We love you Aunt Laura & we both will miss your bright eyes and kind loving smile. You will be missed by many. The day like your service was perfect and there were a lot of people there who loved you dearly. We know that you are at peace. Now is your time rest.*  
*Love John & Aimee Riggins*

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**John & Aimee Riggins** - April 06, 2009 at 09:43 AM