



Margie Brooks

February 8, 1920 - June 16, 2010

Funeral services for Mrs. Margie Brooks, 90, of Carthage, Texas will be 2:00 p.m., Saturday, June 19, 2010 at the Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel with Rev. Calvin Hancock and Rev. Travis Arden officiating. Burial will follow in the Waldrop Cemetery in the Fairplay Community of Panola County, Texas. Family Visitation will be Friday, June 18, 2010 at the funeral home. Mrs. Brooks died June 16, 2010 in Carthage, Texas.

Mrs. Margie Fay Garrison Brooks was born February 8, 1920 in the Chapman Community of Rusk County, Texas. She was one of thirteen children born to the marriage of William Alexander and Mary Elizabeth Smith Garrison. She attended rural Chapman schools. Margie married Clarence Milton Brooks August 12, 1939 and together they celebrated over 70 years of marriage. Mrs. Brooks was a beautician. She owned and operated Margie's Kut and Kurl, retiring after 35 years. She spent 25 years in a bowling league under the same name. Margie loved to quilt, leaving over 200 handmade pieces for her children, grandchildren, great grandchildren and great great grandchildren. Mrs. Brooks was a devoted member of the Brooks Chapel Missionary Baptist Church. Margie spent much of her life traveling, seeing all fifty states, Israel, Egypt and much of the globe. She is preceded in death by eleven of her siblings, and two great grandchildren; Ali and Harrison Steele.

Mrs. Brooks is survived by her devoted husband, Clarence "Bill" Brooks of Carthage; son, Jesse Milton and wife Patricia of Dallas; daughters, Johnnie Mason Harrison and husband George of Carthage, Billie Lake and husband Walter of Longview and Sharlene Cordray and husband Melvin of Liberty City; sister, Louise Burk of Carthage; fourteen grandchildren, twenty five great grandchildren and four great great grandchildren; numerous nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

Serving as pallbearers are her grandsons, Jeff Mason, James Mason, Michael Mason, Brad Lake, Chad Lake, Charles Brooks, Scott Cordray and Shaun Herschbach.

Previous Events

Service

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Hawthorn Funeral Home Chapel
307 W Wellington St.
Carthage, Tx