



Irene Emerson Chapman, 95 of Newburgh, IN, formerly of Smiths Grove, passed away peacefully in her sleep Saturday, Oct. 12, 2013 in Newburgh, IN. Irene was born Oct. 26, 1917 in Smiths Grove to the late Eura Duff and Will Emerson. She was preceded in death by her husband, Vernon Benton Chapman in 1967.

Irene is survived by her daughter, Mozelle Chapman Starinieri; son, Roger Dennis Chapman (Georgia); eight grandchildren, Joe Starinieri (Pam), Tim Starinieri, Mike Starinier (Robin), Julie Starinieri Bass (Jeff), Mary Starinieri Plunkett (Kevin), Kathy Chapman Hirsch (Bob), Denise Chapman Bartholomew, and Jim Chapman (Jenny). She is also survived by 18 great grandchildren.

Funeral service 10:00 a.m. Thursday, Oct. 17 at Hardy & Son Funeral Home, Bowling Green Chapel with burial in Pleasant Grove Cemetery. Visitation 5:00-8:00 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home.

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