

Gaynell S. Parsons died October 16, 2016 at her home in Lawnvale, Kentucky. She was born April 14, 1923 in Keokee, Virginia daughter of the late Grace Legg Parsons and James Roy Parsons. She became a member of the Pansy Baptist Church on September 3, 1944.

Gaynell worked at the Yancey Commissary, Harlan Fuel Company for 25 years, Harlan Jewelry and Hardware for 14 years, and the Harlan City School System for 10 years. The joys of her life were the Kentucky Wildcats and her nieces and nephews. She was a Kentucky Colonel. She was a graduate of Hall High School and attended Union College.

Surviving are her siblings, Ralph (Betty) Parsons, Inez (Paul) York, Richard (Celia) Parsons, Dennis Parsons, and Myra Kunath. A host of nieces, nephews, great nieces, and great nephews also survive.

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**GAYNELL S. PARSONS**

APRIL 14, 1923 — OCTOBER 16, 2016

*He Maketh No Mistake*

My Father's way may twist and turn,  
My Heart may throb and ache,  
But in my soul I'm glad I know  
He maketh no mistake

My cherished plans may go astray,  
My hopes may fade away,  
But still I'll trust my Lord to lead,  
For He doth know the way.

Though night be dark and it may seem  
That day will never break,  
I'll pin my faith, my all in Him,  
He maketh no mistake.

There's so much now I cannot see,  
My eyesights's far too dim;  
But come what may, I'll surely trust  
And leave it all to Him.

For by and by the mist will lift  
And plain it all He'll make;  
Though all the way, though dark to me,  
He made not one mistake.

~A.M. Overton

*In Loving Memory of*  
*Gaynell S. Parsons*

*DATE OF BIRTH*  
April 14, 1923

*DATE OF DEATH*  
October 16, 2016

*VISITATION*  
Wednesday, October 19, 2016  
10:00—12:00 PM  
Anderson-Laws & Jones Funeral Home

*INTERMENT SERVICES*  
Wednesday, October 19, 2016  
12:30 PM  
Resthaven Cemetery  
Keith, Kentucky

*OFFICIATING*  
Rev. Bobby Joe Rouse