



Mary Alice Brindle Smith, 98, of Smiths Grove, passed away peacefully at her home on Sunday, August 14, 2016 surrounded by her loved ones. The Hardin County, Iowa native was born to the late Charles and Vesta Brindle on January 20, 1918. She was preceded in death by her husband, Bronvil M. Smith, son, Charles C. Smith, Sister, Margaret Brindle, and brothers, George and Chester Brindle.

Mary Alice spent most of her life on the farm as a homemaker. She and her late husband owned and operated Smitty's Café in Smiths Grove for a few years. She later worked as a caregiver for several families in Warren County until her retirement. She enjoyed fishing and gardening. She was a member of Martinsville Baptist Church.

She is survived by five children who include three sons, John Wayne Smith (LaDonna), Jimmy K. (Linda Wells) Smith and David B. Smith, all of Smiths Grove. Her two daughters are Betty S. Minton (Robert) of Bowling Green and Barbara “ Ossie” Brewer of Smyrna, Georgia. She is survived by 11 grandchildren and 16 great grandchildren as well as several nieces and nephews. Other survivors include a brother-in-law, Rev. Henry Smith (Dean) of Franklin, TN, and three sisters-in-law, Helen Thomas of Smiths Grove, Carol Smith of Oakland, and Imogene Norris (Bruce) of Portland, TN. A very special caregiver, Venus Bunch, also survives.

Funeral service will be at 2 p.m. on Wednesday at Hardy & Son Funeral Home, Bowling Green Chapel Visitation will be from 4-8 p.m. on Tuesday and from 10 am until time of service on Wednesday. Burial will be in Smiths Grove Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy may be made to Hospice of Southern Kentucky, 5872 Scottsville Rd., Bowling Green, KY 42104

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