



Melissa Starr

December 18, 1918 - December 24, 2008

Melissa Adkins Starr, 90, passed away on December 24, 2008 at Roman Eagle Memorial Home. She was born in the Mount Herman Community of Pittsylvania County on December 18, 1918, the daughter of the late John Willie Adkins and the late Nannie Bethall Adkins. She lived most of her life in the Danville and Pittsylvania County areas. She was a graduate of the former Whitmell Farm Life School. She was an employed at the former Dan River Inc. where she retired after working there for a number of years. Mrs. Starr was a member of Woodlawn Baptist Church. Mrs. Starr was married to Arthur M. Starr, who predeceased her in death on November 25, 1986. She was also predeceased by three brothers, Norman Adkins, Burton Adkins, and Claude Adkins; and two sisters, Myrtle Allen and Stella Crowder. Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, December 30, 2008 at 2:00 P.M. from the Graveside in Highland Burial Park with the Reverend Johnny Adkins officiating. The family will receive friends following the service at the residence of Mrs. Marjorie Turpin, 4004 Bridgewood Drive, Danville, VA Wrenn-Yeatts, North Main Chapel is respectfully serving the Starr family.