



Melba P. Lawwell

July 12, 1931 - February 16, 2004

Melba P. Lawwell, 72, of Shelbyville, TN passed away February 16, 2004 at Bedford County Nursing Home. She is a native of Gordonsburg, TN and was a homemaker. She was a member of Crowell's Chapel Lutheran Church. She is the daughter of the late Tom and Mary Ida Emblar Runion. She was preceded in death by brothers, Malcome Runion, Fernandel Runion; sisters, Ellen White, Maci Burgett, Birtie Burgett, Nell Creson and Dean Carroll. Visitation will be Wednesday, February 18, 2004 from 4:00 - 8:00 p.m. at Gowen-Smith Chapel with funeral service Thursday, February 19, 2004 at 11:00 a.m. with Bro. Larry Chatman and Rev. J. T. Miller officiating. Burial will be at Crowell's Chapel Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the American Cancer Society or the the American Diabetes Association. She is survived by her husband, James A. Lawwell; children, Linda S. Robinson of Columbia, TN, Debra K. Bradford of Lewisburg, TN, Donald W. Campbell, Jr. of Shelbyville, TN; sisters, Christine Edwards of McCains, TN, Virgie Krieg of Unionville, TN; 9 grandchildren; 3 step-grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; 5 step-great-grandchildren.