Petty, Ita 'PeeWee' Dethloff | 1929-2011 *Published Sunday, August 28, 2011*



Funeral for Ita "PeeWee" Dethloff Petty, 81, of Paradise is 2 p.m. Sunday, Aug. 28, at Hawkins Funeral Home in Bridgeport with the Rev. Rocky Johnson officiating. Burial was to follow at West Bridgeport Cemetery. Visitation was to be 4 to 6 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 27, at the funeral home.

Petty died Thursday, Aug. 25, 2011, in Bridgeport.

Born Sept. 3, 1929, in Bridgeport to Jesse and Etta (Richardson) Dethloff, she was a lifelong Wise County resident and graduated from Bridgeport High School in 1945. She retired from Bridgeport Hospital in 1995 and was a member of the Carpenter Street Church of Christ.

Petty was preceded in death by a brother, Gewan Dethloff, and a sister, Mavis Jean Erwin.

She is survived by daughters Lindy Petty of Bridgeport and Melissa Lamb and husband, Troy, of Paradise; son Jeff Petty and wife, Sheira, of Mansfield; grandchildren Misty Landrith and husband, Jerrod, Jason and Jessy Furtardo, Nathan and Stormi Lamb, and Ashley, Reid and Megan Petty; great-grandchild Colton Landrith; sister Doris "Bobby" Smith of Paradise; and extended family.

Pallbearers are Juan Mercer, Robert Stanfield, Rocky Cantrell, Wesley Cantrell, Leon Dethloff and Kendall Dethloff.