

Kathryn Finley | 1927-2015

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Kathryn Finley, 87, of Paradise died Friday, Jan. 23, 2015, in Paradise.

Graveside service is 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 27, at Paradise Cemetery with Laraine Waughtal officiating.

Visitation is 6 to 8 p.m. Monday, Jan. 26, at Jones Family Funeral Home in Bridgeport.

Kathryn was born Feb. 23, 1927, in Paradise to James and Mary (Clark) Read. She married James Emsley Finley June 21, 1944. She was a proofreader for a publishing company and a homemaker.

Kathryn was preceded in death by her parents; her husband of 24 years, James Emsley Finley; children James Eugene Finley, Michael David Finley, Mary Elizabeth Finley; and sisters Esther Marie Taylor and Doris Nell Evans.

She is survived by sons William Read Finley and wife Sheila, and Stephen Clark Finley and wife, Tonya; daughters Janet Elaine Cottle and Sharon Lee Hunter; sisters Dorothy Joyce Ryan and Inez Lockhart; grandchildren Diana Green, Misty Cottle, Lance Finley, Michael Finley, Jennifer Armstrong, Cindy Womack, Bryan Finley, Ashley Finley Allen, Amber Finley, Shelby Finley and Mark Finley; and 15 great-grandchildren.