

## **Vivian Loraine North | 1921-2015**

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Vivian Loraine North, 93, died Friday, July 17, 2015, in Decatur.

Graveside service was Monday, July 20, 2015, at Pleasant Grove Cemetery No. 1 with Cotton Roberts officiating.

Pallbearers were Austin Bowles, Randy Eakman, Shawn Grundy, Rusty North, Clay North, Mitch Foreman, Robert George Applewhite, Olan Rhea Foreman and James “Bimbo” Roberts.

Vivian was born Oct. 16, 1921, to Finley Russell and Georgie Ann (Garman) Tribble in Tobe, Ark. She married John David North Nov. 16, 1936, in Wise County. She was a member of Anneville Baptist Church. She was a homemaker and raised a lot of children that were not her own. Everyone wanted to go to Aunt Vips for fried chicken, red beans, cornbread and fried potatoes.

She was preceded in death by her husband, John North; parents; daughter, Glenda Eakman; and two great-grandchildren.

Vivian is survived by son, Russell North and wife, Eva of Decatur; grandchildren, Patti North, Penny Bowles and husband, Austin, Rusty North, Shawn Grundy, and wife, Brenda, Marsha Foreman and husband, Jimmy, Terry Eakman and wife, Debbie, Randy Eakman and wife, Rhonda; 17 great-grandchildren; 9 great-great grandchildren; numerous nieces, nephews, cousins, and a host of friends.