



## Florence Ella Perdieu

April 13, 1910 - April 11, 2010

Florence Ella Perdieu, 100, of Proctorville, Ohio, died Sunday, April 11, 2010, at her residence. Florence was the daughter of the late George D. & Sarah Alice Callaghan Thomas. She was preceded by her husband Ellis Perdieu, daughter Dorothy Brennen, and one grandson David Jeffers. She was also preceded by (5) sisters Laurie, Pearl, Dolly, Hazel, Esther, (3) brothers Earnest, Hubert, & Fred. She and her husband Ellis were married in Princeton, W.Va., and subsequently lived in various W.Va. coalfields before moving in the late 1950's to Detroit briefly, then to Ohio in the areas of Cleveland and Lorain. At retirement in the mid-1970's the couple moved to Proctorville. Florence made her profession to honor Jesus with her life and walked honestly and truthfully in a quiet Christian non-denominational faith, where she has many, many loving friends who along with her family celebrate her life and victory for eternity. Survivors include a daughter Elizabeth (Betty) Bumgardner-Jeffers- Proctorville. (6) grandchildren James D. "Rik" & Karen Bumgardner- Huntington, Ronald D. Bumgardner-Texas, Kenneth R. & Robin Bumgardner- Proctorville, Lynn & Mike Merrick, Lea Roe, Connie & Jeff Fraley. (12) great-grandchildren, (14) great-great-grandchildren. A half brother- David D. Thomas, & half sister Oneida Halsey, a multitude of nieces and nephews who were very close to her. At the Last Family Reunion in 2005 honoring her 95th birthday, there were close to 300 in attendance. Funeral service s will be held Wednesday April 14, 2010, at Henson Mortuary, Barboursville, at 1:00 P.M. with Scott Hanks, & Joel Riggs officiating, Burial

will follow in Woodmere Memorial Park, Huntington, Visitation will be Tuesday, April 13, 2010, for 6:00-8:00 P.M. at Henson Mortuary. Condolence may be sent to family at [www.hensonmortuary.com](http://www.hensonmortuary.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ Florence Ella Perdieu

October 23, 2023 at 01:49 AM



“ I lived beside Mrs Perdieu for the first 24 years of my life. My sister and I actually called her Grandma Perdieu. She was a great lady and my mother Debbie loved her dearly. She will be greatly missed, but I am sure that her and my mother are talking with each other while sitting at Jesus' feet.

Jannell Haskins Rivera - April 13, 2010 at 11:58 PM



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Doug Thomas - April 13, 2010 at 06:43 PM



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Crystal Adkins - April 13, 2010 at 03:45 PM



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Randall & Jennise Phillips - April 13, 2010 at 01:52 PM

LB

“ Our sincere condolences and prayers are with all of the family for the loss of your loving mother, grandmother and great grandmother.

Leon and Angie Bloom - April 13, 2010 at 01:38 PM

JL

“ Betty and family, We are so sorry to learn of your great loss. She lived a good life and will be missed. Jerry Clark Laufer and daughter Laurie Johnson

Jerry Clark Laufer - April 13, 2010 at 12:30 PM

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**Jerry Clark Laufer of Princeton, WV 24740** - April 13, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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**Wanda Wilds** - April 12, 2010 at 09:41 PM

DT

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**David Dillow Thomas** - April 12, 2010 at 05:46 PM

DT

“ our Prayers our with you all in time of lost of Sister Florence Ella Thomas Perdieu. Love U sister from your Brother David Dillow Thomas,Roberta and family. May God be with U all in time of the lost of a Sister,Mother,Grandmother. She is up there with all of her family and frineds that have gone on befor her. She is walker on the Street of Gold not mad by hands. Just save me a place right next too U and Daddy. Love U all. David Dillow Thomas 260-726-4153 Portland.

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**David Dillow Thomas** - April 12, 2010 at 05:25 PM

JL

“ Aunt Florance was such a special lady and have many fond memories of her. One memory is when I would bring grandma Mamie to visit with Aunt Florance and she would make me homemade pancakes from scratch. I sure will miss her but remember the good memories and life she gave to each one of us. Love to each one of you..love Janet Lee

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**Janet Lee** - April 12, 2010 at 02:01 PM

NK

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**Nikki knull** - April 12, 2010 at 01:59 PM

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**Janet Lee** - April 12, 2010 at 01:57 PM

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**Nikki (Thomas)Knull** - April 12, 2010 at 01:55 PM

ML

“ So sorry to hear of Florence's Passing. She Lived across From Us In the trailer Park and as a New wife she taught Me many things!! she was a wonderful Lady and Very Kind. My prayers go Out to The Family.

Margaret Layman - April 12, 2010 at 09:01 AM

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David Dillow Thomas of Portland,Indiana 47371 - April 12, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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**Leah Bailey** - April 11, 2010 at 08:11 PM

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Much love.... Darlene

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**Darlene** - April 11, 2010 at 02:28 PM

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**Darlene of Columbus, Oh** - April 11, 2010 at 12:00 AM