



## Velma Rush Grigsby

January 25, 1925 - November 8, 2012

Funeral Services for Mrs. Velma Jewel (Rush) Grigsby, 87, of Tishomingo, Oklahoma will be held on Monday, November 12th, 2012 at 2:00 p. m. in the Westside Church of Christ with Brother Wendell Ingram officiating. Interment will follow in the Wilson Cemetery in Clarita, Oklahoma. Mrs. Grigsby passed away on November 8th, at her home.

Velma was born on January 25th, 1925 in Burr Valley, Oklahoma to Luther Montreal Rush and Charlotte (Wilbanks) Rush. She graduated from high school in Clarita and later attended East Central State University in Ada, Oklahoma. Velma married John E. Grigsby on April 21st, 1946 in Ada and after living in different parts of the state, moved to Tishomingo in 1972. Mrs. Grigsby worked at the Armstrong's Department Store as a retail sales clerk for many years. She was involved in various organizations to include, the Home Community Education Club from 1946 until the present, was the Parliamentarian and life member of the Red Rose Garden Club in Atoka, Oklahoma, the Order of the Eastern Star, the Amaranth, the National Grigsby Family Society and the Westside Church of Christ.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband John on April 19th, 2003; three sisters, Edna Lane, Minnie Dodson and Julia Perry and two brothers, Eddie Rush and Vernon Rush.

Mrs. Grigsby is survived by her son, John Douglas "Doug" Grigsby and her daughter, Vikie Lea Riddle, both of Tishomingo; two brothers, L. M Rush and his wife Myrtie of Clarita and Edgar Rush of Nevada, Missouri; her granddaughter, Kristie Wright and her husband Jeff of Sandy Hook, Mississippi; her grandson, Chrisitan Taylor Broom of Tishomingo; two great-grandsons, Austin Hunter Wright and Colby James Wright of Sandy Hook, Mississippi; numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and a host of friends.

Casket Bearers for the service will be: Jamie Inman, John Anthony, Bud Deaver, Larry Wood, Bill Hicks and Jody House.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Velma Rush Grigsby*

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“ *Loss of a wonderful person.*

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**Johnny & Pat Robinson** - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM