



Gladys D. Johnson

October 3, 1904 - January 31, 2009

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Gladys Darlene Johnson, age 104 of Princeton, passed away on Saturday, Jan 31, 2009 at Liberty Village of Princeton. She was born on Oct 03, 1904 in New Buffalo, MO to Andrew (A.E.) and Ellen (Thalien) Nelson. Gladys graduated from the Augusta College of Nursing in Chicago in 1927 and worked at Augusta Hospital. She married Donald V. Johnson on October 26, 1928, he precedes her in death. Gladys enjoyed knitting and sewing. She was also extremely dedicated to the nursing profession and elected to have her remains donated to the University of Iowa for scientific research. A service will be held at a later date.

Gladys is survived by her daughter Barbara J. Moody of Arkansas, four grandchildren and six great-grandchildren. Also surviving is one sister Sylvia Peterson of Idaho, a daughter-in-law Ann Johnson of Wisconsin, and two nephews Richard (Mary) Peterson of Princeton and Vernon (Marilyn) Taylor of Florida.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, one son Donald V. Johnson Jr., one brother Walter V. Nelson, and five sisters; Florence Hassel, Anna Nelson, Ester Colliflower, Ella May Taylor, and Mildred Oman.

The family expresses deep gratitude to the following individuals who demonstrated loving care during Gladys' long life: Father Richard Kolczaski of Peru, IL, Sherry Martin, Fred Bowes, and the staff at the Bureau County Housing Authority, Karen Glover and the outstanding nursing staff at Liberty Village and Hawthorn Inn.

Norberg Memorial Home is caring for the family.

Memorials may be directed to the donor's choice.