



Daphne Brown

September 19, 1920 - September 3, 2008

Daphne G. Brown Age 87, a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, sister and friend, Daphne passed away peacefully at Hammond Nursing Home on Wednesday, September 3, 2008. Daphne was a native of Castor, La, a resident of Hammond for the past twenty years and lived most of her younger adult life in Amite. A true homemaker indeed, she was an excellent cook and enjoyed baking, sewing, gardening, flower arranging and even ?acting? in a movie from time to time; however, she always made time for volunteer work in her community. She was known as a highly educated person without a degree, for her favorite pastime was reading - a library book, a magazine, the Bible or whatever she could find. Daphne and her surviving husband, Edward L. Brown were married April 5, 1939 and have had 68 beautiful years together. She is also survived by one daughter, Carolyn Brown Spiller and her husband, Dr. Edmund Spiller of Hammond; granddaughter, Beth Sanders Scamardo of Pumpkin Center and grandsons, Greg L. Duoos, Mandeville and Douglas D. Brown of Hammond. She leaves behind two great-granddaughters, Dara Daphne Stewart and Gwen Brown along with five great-grandsons, Zach Stewart, Ian Scamardo, Avery Scamardo, Gareth Brown and Wiliam Brown. Surviving siblings are Mary Helen Ellzey of McComb, Ms, Edna Faye Joseph, Natchez, Ms and Pope Emmitt Godfrey of Forest, Ms. Preceding Daphne in death were her daughter, Janice M. Brown, brothers, Dalton Godfrey and Marshall Godfrey and her parents, Thomas Aaron and Bertha Guin Godfrey. Relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend

the funeral services from the chapel of Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home, west of Hammond on Monday, September 8, 2008 at 11:00 a.m. The family requests that visiting hours be observed Sunday, September 7th from 6:00 p.m. until 9:00 p.m. and again Monday beginning at 9:00 a.m. until the funeral service time. Daphne's nephew, Lay-Minister, Cedric Parsons of Houston, Texas will officiate the services and interment will follow in Holly Gardens Cemetery. The family expresses "special thanks" to the wonderful staff at Hammond Nursing Home, North Oaks Geriatric Rehabilitation, 3rd floor medicine unit at North Oaks Medical Center, especially Rick Thomas, R.N. and to Brandon and Martha Thompson along with their staff at Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home. Condolences and other online information is available at www.bgthompsonfuneralhome.com Arrangements have been entrusted to Brandon G. Thompson Funeral Home of Hammond.