

# RUTH COOPER

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**1925-2008**

DECATUR: Ruth Cooper, 83, a homemaker, died on Friday, July 25, 2008 in Decatur.

Ruth was born on January 17, 1925 in Forestburg, Texas to Fred and Carrie (Gentry) Maples. She married A. B. Cooper on May 12, 1943 in Marietta, Oklahoma and was married 55 years before his death in 1998. She is also preceded in death by her parents, one brother and one sister.

Survivors include her sons, Steve Cooper and wife, Christine of Justin, Archie Cooper and wife, Althea of Weatherford; daughters, Judy Boner of Decatur and Janice Holbert and husband, Harley of Chico; 9 grandchildren; 15 great grandchildren; sister, Nettie Mills of Brewster, Kansas; numerous nieces, nephews and a host of friends.

Funeral service was held at 10 a.m. Monday, July 28th at the Coker-Hawkins Funeral Home Chapel where Monte Tuttle officiated. Interment followed at Bethel Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Allen Cooper, David Sherman, Randy Sherman, Scott Sherman, Bret New and Therman Tarver.

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