

NILA M. EDWARDS

1929-2008

BOYD:Nila M. Edwards, 79, died Saturday, Oct. 25, 2008, in Dallas.

Nila was born on March 6, 1929, the daughter of Burnley and Estalene (Ashley) Hobson in Denton, Texas. She married Welcome Edwards on October 31, 1947 in Fort Worth. Nila was a retired secretary for Raytheon, a defense contractor. She was a member of the S.E. Dallas Emergency Food Center organization and a member of the Metropolitan Bible Church.

Nila was preceded in death by her parents; her husband, Welcome on September 5, 1994; and her sister, Wanda Van Liew.

Survivors include her sons: Welcome Edwards and wife Debbie of Sachse, Scott Edwards of Bedford, Stuart Edwards and wife Paula of Garland, Joel Edwards and Rhonda of Coppell, Matthew Edwards and Rachael of Hillsboro; 14 grandchildren; and 1 great grandchild.

Memorials in Lieu of flowers: Wycliffe Bible Translators, P.O. Box 628211, Orlando, Florida 32862-8211.

Funeral was held at 10:30 a.m. Wednesday at Christian-Hawkins Funeral Chapel. Burial: Boyd Cemetery.

Rev. David Bronleewe officiated. Pallbearers were Welcome L. Edwards, Luke Edwards, Micah Edwards, Denton Edwards, Jacob Edwards, and Curtis Van Liew.

*Hawkins Funeral Home
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