

# Katie Ashburn

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Katie Bell Ashburn, 82, died at the Community Hospital in Bonners Ferry Idaho on Jan. 23, 1994. Services will be held on Wednesday, Jan. 26 at 10 a.m. at the First Baptist Church. Internment will follow in the Grandview Cemetery in Bonners Ferry, Idaho.

Katie was born on March 1, 1911 in Tuxedo, Texas to Robert J. and Blanche Hodges. She attended schools in Lueders, Texas.

On Jan. 27, 1929 she married Jim Ashburn in Tuxedo. They farmed in the Tuxedo area until

helping feed and care for the cattle and she was proud to be the oldest bookkeeper of a Les Schwab Tire Company.

She loved her grandchildren and great grandchildren and will be remembered by family and friends as "Gumie."

Katie is survived by three daughters Mary Jim Wages and Nancy Tucker of Bonners Ferry; Margie Boseman of South Greenfield, MO; one sister, Effie Ashburn of Lockney, Texas; 15 grandchildren and 22 great

grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, Jim, an infant son, James Wayland Ashburn, and daughter Sarah Winkelseth and two great grandsons Jason Byron Wages and William Wayne Tucker.

Special music by Linda Dinning, Ray Dinning, David Wattenbarger "Old Rugged Cross"; Church of Christ Singers and a congregational Hymn "What a Friend We Have in Jesus."