



## Jewel Alice Green

September 11, 2009

Coleman Funeral Home of Oxford

Jewel Alice Green, age 96, died Friday, September 11, 2009, at Azalea Gardens Retirement Community in Oxford, MS.

Born in Hermanville, MS, Miss Green graduated from Mississippi State University for Women in 1934 and began her teaching career. She taught in several Mississippi school systems until 1944 when she resigned her teaching position in Drew, MS and moved to Washington, D.C. She worked for the United States Government across the river in Virginia until 1948. She left government employment to teach in the Montgomery County, MD school system where she taught and worked as an administrator until she retired in 1975. Miss Green moved to Benoit, MS in 1981 and moved to Oxford, MS in 2002. She was a member of Benoit Union Church, Benoit, MS.

Visitation will be held Monday, September 14, 2009, 4:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. at Coleman Funeral Home. Graveside services will be held Tuesday, September 15, 2009, 2:00 p.m. in the Itta Bena Cemetery, Itta Bena, MS with Rev. Wilson Ray officiating. Coleman Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Survivors include four nephews, Doug Green of Oxford, MS, George Green of Purvis, MS, George Wilson of Montgomery, AL, and Andy Green of Picayune,

MS; six nieces, Mildred Dickson of Ocean Springs, MS, Carolyn Mills of Greenup, IL, Laura McCloud of Headland, AL, Isabel Fitzgerald of Pace, FL, Jean Byers of Baker, LA and Jan Roux of Waxahatchie, TX.

Her parents, George and Martha Green, Sr., one sister, Virgie Green Wilson and three brothers, James D. Green, Sr., George W. Green, Jr., and Kenneth Green preceded Miss Green in death.

Memorials may be made to the Benoit Union Church, Benoit, MS or the Itta Bena United Methodist Church, Itta Bena, MS.