

## Lida Helsley

Lida Jane Helsley, 85, a resident of Windsor Estates Health Center and a former resident of 2110 E. Joyce Drive, died at 4:38 p.m. Monday, Aug. 17, 1998 in Windsor Estates Health Center.

Born April 1, 1913 in Russiaville, she was the daughter of Elvin and Rispa (Burnett) Clark.



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She was the wife of Orville Helsley, who died April 27, 1991. They were married in May 1936 in Miami County.

She retired from G.C. Murphy Co. as personnel manager in 1975. Prior to that, she had worked several years for Globe and Cuneo Press. She was a member of Kokomo Church of Christ.

Surviving are a son and a daughter-in-law, Steve and Dianna Helsley of Kokomo; two daughters and a son-in-law, Judith and George Thurston of Peru, and Mary "Kay" Roark of Kokomo; eight grandchildren, Cathy Wright, Joy Holder, Tammy Morgan, Kellie Nearhouse, Stacy Helsley, Jim Holder, Jay "Bud" Thurston and Diana Hensley, 15 great-grandchildren and two great-great-grandchildren; a brother, Herbert Clark of Kokomo; and three sisters, Betty Flora, Helen Cook and Nancy Stanley, all of Kokomo.

Preceding her in death were a son-in-law, a grandson and a great-grandson.

Services will be 1 p.m. Friday at Sunset Memory Garden Funeral Home, 2097 W. Alto Road. The Rev. George Paul will officiate. Burial will be in Crown Point Cemetery. Friends may call from 4 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home.

**Burial Friday, August 21, 1998  
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