



Myrtle Belle (Smith) Elmer

August 4, 1911 - March 26, 2012

Albany - Myrtle B. Elmer, age 100, of Albany, entered in to eternal rest Monday, March 26, 2012 at her son Russel's home. She was born on August 4, 1911 in Brooklyn Township, Green County, the daughter of Cornelius and Etta Mae (Rooney) Smith. She married John Elmer on March 27, 1929 in Monroe. He passed away in 1971. Myrtle was born on her father and grandfather's farm in Brooklyn Township. Many of her ancestors had settled in the vicinity pre 1850. She attended Kelley School. Most of her life was spent in the Attica/Albany area, though she enjoyed several trips to Canada, California, Tennessee, Illinois, Iowa, Virginia and other places. Myrtle was a farm wife and had worked at Advance, Oaktron and St. Clare Hospital, all of Monroe. She enjoyed her family, friends and neighbors. Myrtle liked to cook and bake for family and friends and enjoyed having many at her table for dinner. Myrtle is survived by her son Russel and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband John, her sister Hazel Lloyd, and her son Keith. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., Saturday, March 31, 2012, at the D.L. NEWCOMER FUNERAL HOME, BRODHEAD with Rev. Ellis Hap Itson officiating. There will be no visitation. Burial will be in the Attica Cemetery where five generations of her family are at rest. We are truly thankful for Myrtle's long, full, and happy-healthy life. She will be truly missed.

Tribute Wall

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“ Oh Russ I am so sorry for your loss of your mother. I looked at the picture of her from last year for her 100th Birthday. She looked so sweet and I thought then what a pretty angel she is. Hard to believe less than 1 yr later she is . Many years ago when she was baking pies (yummy) she told me the secret to her crust. When I grew up I tried it and of course I failed. No one could bake like her! I am so sorry I couldn't make it to the services but plan a trip up this summer and will come out to see you then. Please take care of yourself during this difficult time. I will keep you in my thoughts and prayers.

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