

Mrs. Anna Mae Harrison

Mrs. Anna Mae (Colson) Harrison, 76, died Friday, Jan. 16, 2009, at her home in Woodbine. She was the wife of Gerald N. Harrison, her husband of 56 years.

Born Sept. 23, 1932, in Woodbine, she was a daughter of the late Howard L. and Annie Duvall Colson.

Mrs. Harrison worked at Springfield State Hospital and Glenwood Middle School. She was a member of Jennings Chapel United Methodist Church for more than 55 years and a member of the Ladies Auxiliary of Lisbon Volunteer Fire Department. She enjoyed knitting, needlework, bingo, camping, listening to gospel music, and doing volunteer work for her church and the community.

Most of all, she enjoyed spending time with her husband and sons, Sonny Harrison and his wife, Bonnie, of Mount Airy, Terry Harrison and his wife, Betty, of Woodbine, and Gary Harrison and his wife, Terri, also of Woodbine; and a daughter-in-law, Kathy Harrison of Mount Airy; a brother, George Colson and his wife, Barbara, of Taneytown; a sister, Dorothy Pearce and her husband, Joe, of Pennsylvania; brother-in-law, Robert Harrison and his wife, Maggie; a sister-in-law, Barbara (Jane) Colson; 10 grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Mrs. Harrison was preceded in death by a son, Hank Harrison Sr.; brothers, Howard Colson and Raymond Colson; and sisters, Virginia Eyler, Margie Hett, Nancy Delph and Wanda Anderson.

Friends may call from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 20, at Molesworth-Williams, P.A., Funeral Home, 26401 Ridge Road, Damascus. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday, Jan. 21, at the funeral home. The Rev. Brian T. Schokey, her pastor, will officiate. Interment will be in Jennings Chapel Cemetery, Woodbine.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial contributions to Jennings Chapel United Methodist Church, 2601 Jennings Chapel Road, Woodbine, MD 21797; Gilchrist Hospice Care of Howard County, 555 W. Townsontown Blvd., Towson, MD 21204; or The Ladies Auxiliary of Lisbon Volunteer Fire Department, 1330 Route 94, Lisbon, MD 21765.