



## Ann Smith Brumfield

February 25, 1930 - May 16, 2013

Ann F. Smith Brumfield, 83, passed away at her home in North Vernon on Thursday, May 16, 2013. She was born February 25, 1930 in Franklin County to Frank & Oletta (Harsh) Throckmorton. Ann spent many years in the Buena Vista area & had also lived in Greenfield later in life. She attended Clarksburg schools. She married Edgar W. Smith on July 23, 1969 and he preceded her in death in 2007. She married Michael L. Brumfield on April 13, 2010 & he survives.

Ann was a member of the Buena Vista Christian Church, former member of the OES in Greensburg and the Alpha Omicron Alpha Sorority. She enjoyed painting and loved to work in her garden.

In addition to her husband, Michael, of North Vernon, Ann is survived by sons, Larry A. & wife Sue Smith of Washington, MO. and Robert F. & wife Kim Smith of Marietta, CA., a brother, Lowell "Tom" Throckmorton of Buena Vista, 11 grandchildren & 22 great grandchildren, several nieces & nephews survive, Bryan & wife Roxanne Throckmorton and Valerie & husband John Fields are among them. She is also survived by 2 step children. Ann was preceded in death by her parents, her first husband and a brother, Edward Throckmorton. Services will be held at 1 PM Monday, May 20 at Moster Mortuary, Rushville, where friends are welcome to visit from 10 AM until time of service. John Johnson will preside and burial will be in the Clarksburg Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to the Buena Vista Christian Church or Our Hospice of Jennings County.



# Tribute Wall



“ *Ann Smith Brumfield*

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“ My Grandma was always my guiding light when I was growing up and later as a new wife. I often looked to her to help me with problems. When I was going to do something I would think...would I tell Gma I did this..and if it was yes...then I was ok to go ahead. She was so very wise and kind. I can hear her now.. "oh honey..." she would say. I spent a week with her when i was 13. Gpa and Gma were living in Calif at the time. I treasure the memories of what we did there. She took me to the bead store and she taught me how to make necklaces. She took me to my first chinese restaurant and we had won ton soup. It was delicious. We went to the beach, I have pictures of her laying in the sand in her bathing suit. She taught my children how to paint when we went to visit her one time. We caught fire flies in a jar. She used to love to read, especially romance novels. She had hundreds and would share them with me. She made the best chicken dumplings, I would ask for them every visit. I remember when I was in first grade, she was our after school care...and she had butterflies pinned to her curtains. They were so pretty. Gma was special to my kids too, especially my daughter, Crystal. Crystal often called Gma when she was distressed and Gma would patiently listen and offer words of advice or encouragement. Sometimes those calls were at midnight or one am her time...but she never turned Crystal away. I was so grateful that my daughter had someone so awesome to turn to when she could not talk to me. Gma, I love you. I know i have been remiss in my calls lately, but you were never far away from my heart and thoughts. I wish i could go back and do it again, but I cannot. Please tell Jim and Gpa hello for me...I will see you again someday. love Laurie.

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