



## Hazel James

November 16, 1923 - February 15, 2014

Hazel Akins James, 90, of Lubbock passed peacefully into her Heavenly Father's arms on February 15, 2014.

Services for Hazel will be at 10:30 A.M., Wednesday, February 19, 2014 in Sanders Memorial Chapel with the Reverend Kyle Brock officiating. Interment will follow at Resthaven Memorial Park. Her family will receive friends at Sanders Funeral Home on Tuesday, February 18, 2014 from 6-7 P.M.

Hazel was born November 16, 1923 in Bells, Texas to Eddie and Jessie Akins. She was the youngest of ten children and grew up during the Great Depression. Her family moved to the Lubbock area in 1925. Hazel married Macon D. James on October 5, 1940 in Post, Texas. She graduated from New Deal High School in 1942 where she was an avid basketball player. For the last two years of high school Macon drove the school bus and they took it home each night. She was a member of the New Deal First United Methodist Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her siblings; and her husband in 1998.

Loved ones include her son, Doug James and wife Kathy of Seguin; daughter, Patti Jones of Lubbock; four grandchildren, Toby James of Plano; Jeni Patton and husband Jeff of Keller; Chad Jones of San Francisco; Casey Jones and wife Lacy of Lubbock; four great grandchildren, Max and Mason Patton; Taylor and Amberleigh Bean-Brown.

Hazel has always been a loving and caring wife, Mother, Grandmother and

caregiver. She excelled at everything she took upon herself. Hazel enjoyed reading, painting, needlework, cooking, gardening, canning, and her family. In lieu of flowers the family requests memorials be made to the New Deal United Methodist Church, P.O. Box 206 New Deal, TX 79350.

# Cemetery Details

## Resthaven Memorial Park

5740 West 19th. St.  
Lubbock, TX 79407

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB **18**. 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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## Service

FEB **19**. 10:30 AM (CT)

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