

Gladys Eaves, age 95, of Lamar, Missouri passed away at 7:01 p.m. Thursday, March 31, 2005 in Barton County Memorial Hospital.

Gladys was born January 12, 1910 at the family farm near Seward, Kansas, to Ralph C. and Martha (Smith) Gates. After graduating from high school in Gainesville, Missouri, she taught country school there for two years. In 1926, she married John Maxwell Harlin, and they owned and operated the OK Rubber Welding Tire Shop in West Plains, Missouri. John died in a car accident in 1943, and Gladys continued to operate the tire shop for several years. She married Jamie Eaves in 1948, and they opened an OK Rubber Welding Tire Shop in Lamar. She had also owned and operated Wardrobe Cleaners on the east side of the Lamar square for several years and worked at King's Dress Shop on the south side of the square. She worked for Novak Accounting Service for many years, retiring in 1985.

Gladys was a member of Lamar United Methodist Church, a charter member of Charity Greene Ward chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. She was a member of the Lamar Country Club and enjoyed playing in many bridge clubs.

Survivors include two sons and daughters-in-law, John M. & Josie Harlin, Sarasota, Florida, and Dennis & Carolanne Eaves, Duluth, Georgia; two daughters, Joyce & husband Bill Gage, Lamar, and Janice Mayo, Carthage; ten grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Gladys was preceded in death by both husbands, John Harlin and Jamie Eaves; her son-in-law, Sonny Mayo; a brother, Arthur Gates; and six sisters, May Weiszbrod, Goldie Hooper, Clara Nelson, Amy McCoy, Vida Appl, and Thelma Hammond.



IN MEMORY OF
Gladys Eaves

January 12, 1910 March 31, 2005

FUNERAL SERVICE

2:00 p.m. Monday, April 4, 2005
Daniel Funeral Home

OFFICIATING

Rev. Tom Sullenger

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"How Great Though Art"
"The Battle Hymn Of The Republic"
"The Lord's Prayer"
Tom Thieman, Vocalist
Judy Daniel, Organist

PALLBEARERS

Mark Mayo Mathew Mayo Luke Mayo
Corky Henderson Kent Harris David Caruthers

AT REST

Lake Cemetery