Geraldine McWilliams, age 79, of rural Asbury, MO, passed away at 3:30 Sunday, May 30, 2010 Via Christi Hospital, Pittsburg, KS after an extended illness.

Geraldine was born March 28, 1931 in rural Liberal, MO to Elmer and Madge (Collis) Dingman, and lived in the Nashville-Asbury MO area all of her life. She was a member of the Nashville United Methodist Church, and honorary member of the Carl Junction FFA chapter, member of the

Red Hat Society, & the Alba Ceramic Painters.

Geraldine married Warren McWilliams, September 28, 1951 at Bentonville, AR and was married for 58 years and together they raised their two children.

Geraldine was employed by Woolworths, Pittsburg, KS; Dingman John Deere Farm Equipment as a bookkeeper in Lamar; transported girls for the detassling of hybrid seed corn production for Funk Seed Company. She was a School Bus Driver for the Carl Junction School District for 35 years and was honored in 2002 by the Missouri House of Representatives for Superior Skilled School Bus Driving with no accidents for the 35 years she drove for the Carl Junction School District. Geraldine helped daily with the operation of the family farm, especially bailing hay and straw, which she dearly loved to do.

Geraldine leaves behind her husband Warren, of the home; one daughter, Mary Ellen Burnick and her husband Tim, of Arma, KS; one son, Elmer Lloyd McWilliams and his wife, Brenda McWilliams, of Asbury, MO; three grandchildren, Kara Burnick, Brad McWilliams, and Benny McWilliams; and several nieces, nephews, and cousins

Geraldine was preceded in death by her parents and one brother, Gordon Dingman.

Geraldine is loved and respected so much and will be missed by the many people whose lives she has touched over the years.

IN MEMORY OF Geraldine McWilliams

March 28, 1931 ~ May 30, 2010

FUNERAL SERVICE

2:00 p.m. Wednesday, June 2, 2010 Daniel Funeral Home

OFFICIATING

Galen King Elder Richard Trimble

MINISTRY OF MUSIC

"One Day At A Time"
"Amazing Grace"
"How Great Thou Art"
Janelle Bunney, Vocalist

PALLBEARERS

Lester Dingman ~ Tom Dingman ~ Wayne Dingman Dewayne Gibson ~ Tommy Leggett ~ Brian Massey

HONARY PALLBEARERS

Kara Bumick ~ Brad McWilliams ~ Benny McWilliams Janice Bowman ~ Carl Junction R-1 School Bus Drivers

AT REST

Nashville Cemetery

APPRECIATION

On behalf of Geraldine's family, we wish to express their gratitude for your many kindnesses evidenced in thought and deed, and for your attendance at the funeral service.

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