Ruby Mae "Pug" Thieman, age 84, of Lamar, passed away Monday, April 8, 2013 at Good Shepherd Nursing Home where she had been a resident for the past year.

Ruby was born April 19, 1928 in Springfield, Missouri, one of the three daughters of Herman and Ethel (Manis) King. She was preceded in death by her parents; a sister, Wanda Devine; a great-grandson, Ethan Kelly Hull; and a niece, Pam Throckmorton.

After graduating from Greenfield High School, Pug worked as a waitress for the Lockwood restaurant for a short time. On November 25, 1946, at Columbus, Kansas, she married Ernest A. Thieman and, after Ernie returned from World War II, they lived in Lockwood before moving to Barton County. In addition to being a devoted wife and mother, Pug cared for children in her home while her four sons were small. She had worked for Big Smith in Lamar and managed the Lamar Dairy Queen for several years before beginning a long career as an office nurse for the Lamar Clinic. Always active in school and community activities, Pug had served as P.T.A. president, cub scout den mother, and Lamar United Methodist Church Sunday school teacher. She enjoyed the fellowship of a reading club and close friendships made through a pinochle card club.

Survivors include her husband of 66 years, Ernie, of the home; four sons and their wives, Jerry & Jeannie Thieman, Tommy & Betty Thieman and Terry & Cindy Thieman, all of Lamar, MO, and Joe & Sally Thieman of Lee's Summit, MO; a sister, Jean E. Jones, Greenfield, MO; 11 grandchildren, Kelly (Mike) Hull, Jeff (Carrie) Thieman, Brent (Megan) Thieman, Ellen (Nate) Eddie, Jessica Thieman, Jeremiah Thieman, Matt (Ashley) Thieman, Micah (Megan) Thieman, Megan Thieman, Allen Thieman, and Anna (Tyler) Welty; and 12 greatgrandchildren, Zane, Trenton, Lainey, Wyatt, Lilly, Eli, Lydia, Peyton, Henry, Alexandria, Avery, and Lilah.

IN MEMORY OF Ruby Mae "Pug" Thieman

April 19, 1928 - April 8, 2013

FUNERAL SERVICE

11:00 a.m. Thursday April 11, 2013 Daniel Funeral Home Chapel

OFFICIATING

Dr. Barry Winders

MUSIC SELECTIONS

"Amazing Grace" - "In The Garden" Vocalist - Rick Johnson Pianist - Becky Payne

PALLBEARERS

Mike Hull - Nate Eddie - Jeff Thieman Brent Thieman - Matt Thieman - Jeremiah Thieman Allen Thieman - Micah Thieman - Tyler Welty

HONORARY PALLBEARERS

Loren Webb - Carl Arft - Bob Noel Jerry F. Thieman - Keith Wilcox - Steve Jones Darrel Throckmorton - Alan Thieman O.F. Thieman - Roy Thieman

AT REST

Memory Gardens Cemetery Lamar, Missouri

APPRECIATION

On behalf of Pug'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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