

OBITUARY

CLEMENTINE N. VAUGHN

Clementine N. Vaughn, the daughter of William H. Napue and Margaret E. Samuels was born May 21, 1886, in Wildhorse Township, Graham County, Kansas. Clementine lived her entire life in Graham County, Kansas. She married Charles S. "Doc" Vaughn on July 28, 1909. To this union nine children were born. Mrs. Vaughn's husband and four of the nine children preceded her in death.

At an early age Clementine professed her hope in Christ and joined the First Baptist Church of Nicodemus, where she faithfully served. While living with her daughter, Ruth Finney, in Topeka, Mother Vaughn was under the watchful care of the faithful at Mount Carmel Missionary Baptist Church.

Mrs. Vaughn was a member of the Naomi Chapter No. 25 O.E.S. for more than 70 years. She was a member of the Scroggins-Griffie Post No. 270 of The American Legion.

Clementine N. Vaughn departed this life on Saturday, March 26, 1988.

The surviving immediate family includes three daughters, Velva Ross and Lee Anna McMurray, both of Pasadena, California, and Ruth Finney of Topeka, Kansas; two sons, Charles T. Vaughn and John Vaughn, both of Lincoln, Nebraska; two sons-in-law and one daughter-in-law; many grandchildren, great grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, (including Versella Bates whom Mother Vaughn helped raise) and a host of other relatives and friends. Mother Vaughn was the oldest living resident of Nicodemus, Kansas.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church in Nicodemus, Rev. David Helm, pastor, Saturday, April 2, 1988, with Dr. W. L. Templeton of Topeka, officiating. Music was by the Nicodemus Choir with a solo by Don Revely of Topeka.

Casketbearers were: Ordral Alexander, Robert Brogden, Merle Jones, Cleophus Edwards, Nathaniel Moore and Freddie Switzer. Interment was in the Nicodemus cemetery. Arrangements were by Bowser-Johnson funeral home of Topeka.

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