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Wanda Glee Winkler, daughter of Herman Sr. and Verna (Scott) Light, was born November 7, 1929, in Mountain Grove, Missouri. She departed this life Tuesday, November 18, 2008, in Cox Walnut Lawn, in Springfield, Missouri, at the age of seventy-nine years, and eleven days.

In 1947 she was united in marriage to Gene Dennis and to this union one son and two daughters were born.

Wanda was preceded in death by her husband Gene in 1976. Also preceding her death were her parents, and two brothers, Herman Light, Jr. and Don Light.

In 1978 Wanda was united in marriage to John Winkler

Wanda is survived by her husband, John, of the home; a son, Jon Dennis, of Tuscan, Arizona; two daughters, Betsy Dennis, of Toluca Lake, California, and Cyndi Poes, of San Diego, California; two grandchildren, Jill Orsini, and her husband, Tino, of Plano, Texas, and Tim Jackson, of Studio City, California; two great-grandchildren, Isabella and Roman Orsini, both of Plano, Texas; a number of nieces and nephews; as well as a host of other relatives and many dear friends.

She was raised in Mansfield and California and graduated from Mansfield High School in the class of 1947. After she met and married Gene they moved to San Diego, California, where they lovingly raised their family. After marrying John they moved back to Mansfield in 1982.

Wanda had made her profession of faith in Christ and was a member of the Mansfield First Baptist Church, where she served as a Sunday school teacher and was very active in the AWANA. She was also involved in the Ozark Mountain Players.

Wanda was a kind and caring person with a big heart. She was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and aunt and was a caring neighbor and friend.

We celebrate her life and accomplishments and will treasure the wonderful memories she has created for her family and friends.



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Services will be 11:00 A.M. Friday, November 21, 2008 in Mansfield First Baptist Church, in Mansfield, Missouri, with burial in Mansfield Cemetery, under direction of Holman-Howe Funeral Home, of Mansfield. A memorial has been established to Mansfield First Baptist Church in care of Holman-Howe Funeral Home, P.O. Box 199, Mansfield, Missouri 65704.



Tribute Wall

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Brent Cravens posted:

Sorry I was unable to attend her funeral. I wasn't feeling up to snuff that day. Wanda always was & always will be one of my favorite Aunts. I always liked hugging her because she said I gave "the best hugs." Whether or not this is true is yet to be proven. I will miss hugging her and hearing her voice.

November 24 at 8:17 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Wanda by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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