

Ruth Evelyn Borchardt

A Methodist and native of Iowa

Ruth Evelyn Borchardt, 87, of Franklin, died Saturday, May 24, 2003, in a local care center.

A native of Des Moines, Iowa, she was the daughter of the late William R. Smith and Maude Lorene Smith. In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Charles Herman Borchardt; four brothers, Baldwin B. Smith, Col. Harry Smith, Donald Smith and Fred Smith; three sisters, Louise Bellingall, Nelle Borchardt and Helen Beers. She was a retired factory worker and of the Methodist faith.

Surviving are a daughter, Lorene Shuford of Franklin; a sister, Betty Farrel of Schaumburg, Ill.; and two grandchildren, Shannon Charles McDonald and Jennifer Ann McDonald.

No services are planned.

Macon Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

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