

### **Bernice McDowell Dean**

Bernice McDowell Dean, 84, of Bidwell Street, Franklin, passed away Thursday, Nov. 17, 2005, at a local nursing facility.

A native of Macon County, she was the daughter of the late Thomas M. and Bessie Cabe McDowell. She was also preceded in death by her husband of 25 years, Davis Logan "D.L." Dean, who died in 1971.

She was a secretary for the Soil and Water Conservation District of Franklin and was a member of Mulberry United Methodist Church.

She is survived by a sister, Roberta M. Youngblood of Tiger, Ga.; a brother, John W. McDowell of Otto; a number of nieces and nephews and great-nieces and great-nephews.

Funeral services were held Saturday, Nov. 19, at 11 a.m., in the Chapel of Bryant Funeral Home. Revs. Jimmy Galloway and Jerome Hamm officiated.

Burial was at Woodlawn Cemetery.

The family received friends Friday, Nov. 18, from 6 to 8 p.m., at Bryant Funeral Home.

Bryant Funeral Home was in charge of the arrangements.

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