

Anne K. Little

Anne K. Little, 98, Springfield, began her new life on July 13, 2005, surrounded by the love of family and friends. Born on May 23, 1907, to Bailey Morris and Margaret Elizabeth Howard, in Greenfield, Missouri, "Annie K" grew up on her parents' family homestead along with three brothers and six sisters, all of whom preceded her in death. On March 4, 1928, she married the love of her life, Paul R. Little, who preceded her in death on October 7, 1965. Together they had many adventures, witnessed changes in the world, spent time with a host of relatives and friends fishing, dancing, and playing cards. They operated Spring Creek Resort in Isabella, Missouri, in the late 1950s and made friends for life with the Willhoit family of Theodosia while there. Her special friend, Murrill Willhoit Couch, preceded her in death on April 21, 2004. Anne also enjoyed working at Cranks Drug Store in Springfield, Missouri. Anne touched the lives of everyone she met with her brilliant smile, her caring heart, and her strong will. Anne leaves behind a host of relatives and friends who will never forget her. Her niece, Cheri Russell and family, nephews Steve and Randy Brown and families, her best friend Vernetta Crawford and husband O.B. and the families of Tom, Mike, Sherryl, Mark Willhoit and Merry Carmichael survive her. Following a private service, Anne's cremains will be committed to eternal rest next to her husband in the Greenfield Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, donations in Anne's memory may be made to the Community Hospice of America or the cause of your choice. Final arrangements for Anne K. Little are under the direction of Klingner-Cope Family Funeral Home.