



Beverly Joan Balthazor

Mrs. Beverly Joan Balthazor, age 82, of Commerce, GA died March 13, 2009, at St. Mary's Hospice House in Athens. Bev was born in Kankakee, Illinois to the late, Lialas (Berger) and Harvey Coy. She was a life-long member of the United Methodist Church in Momence, Commerce, and finally in Athens. Bev graduated from the nursing program at Presbyterian (St. Luke's) Hospital in Chicago, Illinois and worked as a Registered Nurse throughout her life. Her last position was with the Heritage Nursing Home in Athens. She loved to play piano and sang in the church choir most of her life. She loved her family most of all. Mrs. Balthazor is survived by her children, Susan and Marvin Mason, Jack and Frances Balthazor, and Ron and Jane (Hudson) Balthazor; her grandchildren, Thomas and Aimee Ballentine, Scott and Andrea Mason, Christopher and Angelia Balthazor, Katherine Hudson, Daniel Balthazor, and Cara Mason, and her great-grandchildren, Robert Ballentine, Nicholas Ballentine, Jonathan Ballentine, and Myles Balthazor. She is also survived by her sisters and brothers-in-law, Burdell and Tom Marcotte and Jerry and Nelson Ritsema. The family will receive friends at Little-Ward Funeral Home in Commerce on Thursday, March 19 at 5:00 PM. A memorial service will follow at the funeral home chapel at 7:00 PM. In lieu of flowers, the family ask that donations be made to St. Mary's Hospice House, P.O. Box 6588, Athens, GA 30604. Please indicate that the gift be made in memory of Bev Balthazor.

Tribute Wall



“ *Beverly Joan Balthazor*

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