



## E. Pauline Gunkel

November 18, 1908 - February 8, 2006

Syracuse ? E. Pauline Tucker Gunkel, 97, Syracuse, died February 8, 2006 at Miller's Merry Manor, Syracuse after an extended illness. She was born November 18, 1908 in Tipton, Indiana, and resided in Syracuse. She had been employed at the cafeteria at Delco Remy Division of General Motors for 15 years and also for a couple of years at the YMCA café. She was a member of North Webster Church of God, Tippecanoe Township Extesnion Club, and the Barbee Hoosier Conservation Club. She enjoyed living at the Chapman House in Warsaw for her last year. She was crowned Valentine Queen this last year at the Chapman House. She is survived by her daughter, Judith & husband David Pickering of Syracuse; son, Richard Allen & wife Jean Gunkel of Harmston, Lincolnshire, U.K.; former daughter-in-law, Tanya Gunkel of New Mexico; four grandchildren, Chris Harmon of Syracuse, Pamela & husband Kevin Bies of Vero Beach, Florida, Kelly & husband Jon Grastle of Portland, Oregon and Richard Allen Gunkel II & wife Connie of North Kingston, Rhode Island; four great grandchilderen, Ashlee Lestor, Megan Grastle, Mark Grastle and Stephanie Gunkel; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded by her husband whom she married in 1925, Arbary Wayne Gunkel in 1987; her parents, Claud & Edna Blanche Glass Tucker; and five siblings. Services will be 1:00 PM, Tuesday, February 14, 2006 at Robert D. Loose Funeral Homes and Crematory, South Chapel, 200 West 53rd Street, Anderson, with Pastor Sue Jones officiating. Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery, Anderson. Visitation will be from 4-8 PM, Monday, February 13, 2006 at the

funeral homes, south chapel. Memorial contributions may be made to the  
Madison County Humane Society. [www.LooseFuneralHomes.com](http://www.LooseFuneralHomes.com)

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“ Liz and I would like to extend our thoughts and prayers for Aunt Pauline. I know her and my grandmother, Edna, were very close, and she was always a wonderful woman. I in particular remember a time when I was very little that my grandfather took me fishing up at her place, and we later went to see her husband Arb in the nursing home. I just had to show him the fish I had caught that day. I could not have been more than 5 or 6 at the time. I know Aunt Pauline always asked about me when I was at Purdue and later about us after Liz and I got married and moved to Indianapolis. I will miss her sincerity and spirit. She lived life truly how it was meant to be lived. She never let her age slow her down once, and I respect her immensely for that. We can only hope we can still go as hard as she did well into her nineties.

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**Liz and Travis Miller** - June 26, 2014 at 12:00 AM