



## Naomi Marie McDaniel

August 7, 1924 - October 31, 2009

Anderson - Naomi Marie Lewark McDaniel, 85, Anderson, passed away October 31, 2009 at St. Johns Health System, Anderson after an extended illness. She was born August 7, 1924 in Randolph County, and resided in Anderson most of her life. In her late teens, Naomi obtained her radio operator's license. Her sharp intellect led her to be asked to take a class in Morse code which she learned in one day. She taught Morse code and could have been a commissioned officer, during WWII, but chose to stay in Anderson, raise her family and work at Delco Remy. She retired from Delco Remy Division of General Motors after 30 years of service. She loved games and her many friends. Her quick wit never left her. She enjoyed and excelled at word and number puzzles throughout her life. After a long illness, she died peacefully knowing she was well loved and with family at her side. Naomi was a member of the Anderson Church of the Brethren and Order of Eastern Star. She is survived by her sons, John Leigh Boram McDaniel of Anderson and Robert Lee Kathy McDaniel of Cape Coral, Florida; brother, David Lewark of Anderson; grandchildren, Tanner L. McDaniel, Bryan Renee McDaniel and Carrie Zane Brown; great grandchildren, Kris, Lauren, Samantha & Kathryn; several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Robert McDaniel; parents, LeRoy & Sophia Knotts Lewark; three sisters and two brothers. A private family burial will take place in Huntsville Cemetery. [www.LooseFuneralHomes.com](http://www.LooseFuneralHomes.com)



# Tribute Wall

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“ I remember Aunt Nay, as my mother called her niece. Our vacations growing up were to go visit my mother's family in Indiana. I always enjoyed the visit with Aunt Nay and even as a child thought she was a cool lady. I regret over the years not staying in touch. I would hope that her son Robert or "Little Bob" as he was sometimes called, if you read this would get in touch. I'm on facebook. I remember you being into Elvis and envied your hair cut. I remember that you actually used a hair cream labeled greasy kid's stuff.

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**James Jimmy Mansfield** - October 18, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ I am sending condolences on behalf of the Anderson Church of the Brethren. Although Naomi's involvement at our church predates my time here, other members remember her fondly and I simply want to express our sympathies to the family and offer our support. In that belssed hope...Pastor Robin Wentworth Mayer and the Anderson Church of the Brethren

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**Rev. Robin Wentworth Mayer** - November 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM