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A graveside service was held Tuesday, November 26, 2007 for Wilhelmina "Billie" Elizabeth Burch, 97, at 2:00 p.m. at Fairlawn Cemetery in Liberty.

She was born January 18, 1910 in Newton, the daughter of the late Willie E. Gray and Tarner E. Lee Gray. She retired from Southwestern Bell Telephone Company with over 30 years of service as an operator. She was a past member of the United Methodist Church in Liberty.

Mrs. Burch passed away on Wednesday, November at Seven Acres Nursing Home in Houston. Her husband, Orland R. Burch predeceased her in 1998 as well as her seven other brothers and sisters.

She leaves behind her beloved daughters, Deborah J. Barrett of Houston and Tamah E. Risinger of Portland; her grandchildren, Davy, Mary, Bill, Tammy, David, Russell and Cynthia; numerous great-grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Her services were entrusted to the care of Sterling Funeral Home, Dayton.