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**MARY KATHRYN
(SHOCKLEY) ORR**

Mrs. Mary K. (Shockley) Orr, age 89 of Crockett, passed away Saturday, August 12, 2006 at 2:19 p.m. at ETMC Hospital in Crockett. Mrs. Orr was born September 7, 1916 in Tipton County to Fay Daniel and Jennie Marie Shockley. Mrs. Orr married Ray Leon Orr on January 3, 1935 in Sheridan, Indiana. After teaching in area schools for about 22 years, Mrs. Orr retired from Jefferson Elementary School. Mrs. Orr belonged to the Indiana State Teachers Association and the Kokomo Teachers Association. After her retirement, she and her husband were volunteer workers for 25 years at St. Joseph Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Orr did a lot of sewing in her lifetime and enjoyed playing hymns on the piano. Before her teaching career began, she and Leon raised three children. Mrs. Orr only started college courses after their youngest began school. Mrs. Orr loved to work in flower and vegetable gardens. Mrs. Orr was always active in church work, either at South Side Christian Church in Kokomo or West Point Christian Church in Russiaville, teaching, singing, cooking, playing piano, or directing plays. Mrs. Orr loved all her family and always opened their home to a summer visit from brothers, sisters, nieces, nephews and grandchildren.

Survivors include her husband Leon Orr, of Crockett; two sons and spouses Harold and Judy Orr, of Kokomo and Mike and Pam Orr, of Crockett; son-in-law Phil Smith and wife Kathy, of Markle, Ind.; six grandchildren and spouses Brent and Rachel Smith, Brian and Jennifer Smith, Melissa Orr, Matthew Orr, Dan and Kim Clark, and Bryan and Katie Culpepper; 11 great-grandchildren, Nikkie Palmer and husband Nathan, Kayla Orr, Mariah Smith, Marisa Smith, Kody Orr, Bethany Smith, Addison Clark, Luke Smith, Isaac Smith, Kayci Clark, Tabitha Smith; three great-great-grandchildren Garrett Palmer, Dylan Palmer and Sydney Palmer; numerous nieces and nephews; sisters, brothers and spouses Lenora Shockley, of Lakeland, Fla., Guy Everett (Mike) Shockley, of Phoenix, Ariz., Beatrice (Biddy) Flick, Fay Jr. and Pat Shockley, all of Indianapolis, Mariya Welliver, of

Kokomo; sister-in-law Elva Orr, of Russiaville. Preceded in death by her parents Fay Daniel and Jennie Marie Shockley; daughter Wanda Kay Smith; one brother Leroy (Jum) Shockley; sister-in-law Reba (Rayl) Shockley; two brothers-in-law Vern Orr and LaVon Orr; and one brother-in-law Melvin Flick. Funeral Services for Mrs. Mary Kathryn Orr were held Saturday, August 19, at 10:00 a.m. at Sunset Memory Garder Funeral Home with Pastor Brian Smith of Indianapolis officiating. Interment followed in Sunset Memory Garden Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made to West Point Christian Church, 5112 N. 1250 E. Russiaville, Indiana 46979.