



Mary T. Drew

November 2, 2008

Mary T. Drew, age 95, of Arlington Good Samaritan Center, Arlington, OH and formerly of Wharton, OH died at Arlington Good Samaritan Center, at 7:30 a.m. on Sunday November 2, 2008.

She was born December 1, 1912 in Wharton, OH to the late Ralph and Emma (Warner) England.

She is survived by many nieces and nephews and great nieces and nephews. 2 brothers preceded her in death, Russell G. England and Joseph A. England. She was a graduate of Wharton High School and attended Ohio Northern University, majoring in music.

She was a member of the Big Oak United Methodist Church, rural Forest, OH and served the church as their organist and pianist for many years.

Mrs. Drew was a homemaker and taught piano and organ for many years to over 100 boys and girls. She enjoyed the outdoors especially all plants, trees and flowers. The village of Forest honored her for her service in restoring Gormley Park in Forest.

A memorial service will be held Sunday November 16, 2008 at 1:00 p.m at the Big Oak United Methodist, rural Forest, OH with the Dr. Hugh W. Bowland officiating.

Private interment service will be in the Wharton Richland Union Cemetery-Wharton, OH.

There will be no visitation.

In lieu of flowers memorial contributions may be made to Big Oak United

Methodist Church in care of Clark Shields Funeral Home 301 S.Patterson St.
Forest, OH 45843

To extend a condolence or share a memory visit www.shieldsfh.com.

Tribute Wall



“ I had the privelage of caring for Mary at the Good Samaritan Nursing Home. She was such a positive, enthusiastic participant in our activities. Mary was quick to offer a kind word, and I don't ever remember hearing her complain. She was able to share her music with the other residents, playing quite frequently for them. She also enjoyed going to the Arlington school to help the children with their reading. Her wonderful way with children was evident. Most importantly, you could see Mary's faith in the way she lived. She added much to our Bible studies and devotions with her wisdom. I will miss Mary very much. I am thankful for her example and for the chance to know her.

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“ I spent lots of years taking lessons from Mary! She was always kind and very sweet. She taught me that practice makes perfect and she knew when I had skimped. She will be missed.###imported-begin##Theresa Rawlins Knopf###imported-end##

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