



Mother Annie Belle Flynn

September 12, 1912 - December 18, 2011

Mother Annie Belle Flynn, 99, of 3925 Boulevard Avenue, Peoria, Illinois died at 11:20 AM on Sunday, December 18, 2011 at her home. She was born September 12, 1912 in Villa Ridge, Illinois to Robert and Joanna (Hunter) Threlkeld. She married John D. Flynn Sr. on May 13, 1936 in Villa Ridge, Illinois. Her husband preceded her in death on December 17, 1999.

Mother Flynn is survived by two sons, John, Jr. (Patricia) of Phoenix AZ and Joseph (Nora) of Peoria, IL; six daughters, Betty Thompson of Kansas City, KS, Jo Anne (Ben) Giles of Goodyear, AZ, Helen (the Rev. Leroy Davis) of Peoria, IL, Louise Flynn of Huntsville, AL, Marjorie (the Rev. Earl Willis) Willis of Starkville, MS and Deborah Flynn of Glendale, AZ; 21 grand-children; numerous great, great-great grand-children; nieces and nephews.

Two sons, Leonard and Edward; one daughter Annie Mae; two brothers and two sisters preceded her in death.

After raising her eleven children Mother worked as a teacher's assistant with the Peoria Head Start Program. She also worked at Beihl Cleaners.

Mother Flynn was an active member of the Friendship Missionary Baptist Church, where she served on the Mother's Board and President of the Missionary Society. She also served as President of the Greater Peoria

Missionary Society.

Mother Flynn, along with her husband was a member of the Girls and Boys Club of Greater Peoria where they received special recognition for support of the Performing Arts Troupe.

Funeral services will be held at 11 am on Friday, December 23, 2011 at Peoria Friendship M.B. Church. A visitation will be held Thursday evening, December 22, 2011 from 5-7 pm at Simons Mortuary and one hour prior to the service on Friday at the Church at 10 am. Rev. Dr. Claude E. Russell, Jr., Pastor will officiate. Mother Flynn will be laid to rest at Lutheran Cemetery. Memorials may be made to her church. Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Lutheran Cemetery

914 S Pleasant St
Peoria, IL 61604-5954

Tribute Wall



“ *Mother Annie Belle Flynn*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ *Mother Annie Belle Flynn*

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *Grannie it has been twelve years since you continued your life cycle. This cycle is you being with our heavenly Father. I still miss you, hear your voice and remember your teachings everyday. Physically you are not here but you live in my heart and walk with me everyday. Everyday I wake with a grateful heart because you were my Mom and Grannie. I love and miss you girl. SMOOCHES*

JONI FLYNN-GILES - January 13, 2023 at 04:02 PM