

# Powell

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SULPHUR SPRINGS - Imogene "Jean" Elizabeth Powell, 84, of Sulphur Springs and formerly of Mount Pleasant, died Friday, Dec. 10, 2010, in Sulphur Springs.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday, Dec. 13 at Curry-Welborn Funeral Home with Bro. Glen Griffith officiating. Interment will follow at Forest Lawn Memorial Park under the direction of Curry-Welborn Funeral Home. Pallbearers will be David French, Ray Adams, Larry Jones, and Wayne Jones.

Mrs. Powell was born on April 4, 1926, in Titus County, the daughter of Butler and Ethel Skelton Smith. She married Fred Cox on May 20, 1944; he preceded her in death on March 21, 1963. She later married John Powell on March 13, 1965.

She is survived by her husband, John Powell of Sulphur Springs; a daughter and son-in-law, Shirley Burns Francis and George Francis of Sulphur Springs; two grandsons, Todd Burns and spouse, Mindi of Capistrano Beach, Calif. and Brandon Burns and spouse Kelly of Fort Worth; three step-grandchildren, and nine step-great-grandchildren, and six step-great-great-grandchildren; and four sisters, Sue French and special brother-in-law, Forest French Jr., Nancy Matthews, all of Mount Pleasant, Opal Jones of Copeville and Yvonne Farris of Shreveport, La.

She was preceded in death by her first husband; her parents, two brothers, James and Jerry, and two sisters, Tom Lilly and Betty Doss.

Visitation will be one hour prior to the service at the funeral home of Curry-Welborn.

Memorials may be made to the Scottish Rite Foundation and the Supreme Council: The Supreme Council, 33 degree, 1733 16th Street NW, Washington, D.C. 20009-3103.