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Lucille Catauro, 78

REDLINE - Lucille Agnes Mabel Catauro, daughter of Charles and Bertha (Luckinbill) Bristol was born Sept. 18, 1911 near Kirkman. She died Sept. 6. 1990 at Baptist Memorial Home at age 78 years, 11 months and 19 days. She attended rural school near Kirkman, and graduated from Harlan High School in 1930 with a Normal Training Certificate. She then taught rural school in Jackson and Washington Twp. for several years. In 1936, she moved to CA, where she became employed at a defense plant. In 1939, she then moved to Cincinnati, OH., to work in defense there.

While in Cincinnati, she met Dominic Catauro, a soldier in the U.S. Army. April 7, 1942, they married. Shortly thereafter, Dominic was sent overseas. Aug. 7, 1943, she received word that her husband had been killed in active duty in Italy. She then moved to Abilene, TX., where she enrolled at the Abilene Christian College, where she graduated with a degree in art. She then taught art in a Christian college in FL., for two years before moving to Taos, N.M., where she took orders from private people, art centers, and department stores for all the painting she could produce. In 1979, she retired from the art world and moved back to Harlan. In Feb. of 1989, she became a resident of the Baptist Memorial Home, and this has been her home since that time. She was a member of the Harlan Church of Christ.

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by a sister, Velma, and a brother, Charles, Jr. Surviving her are four sisters, Catherine (Mrs Virgil) Wilcox of Harlan; Margaret Lansman of Oletha, KS.; Ercyle Brace and Delores Conrad, both of Harlan; nieces and nephews and other relatives.

Funeral services were held Sept. 8, 1990 at Pauley Funeral Home with Roy North of the Harlan Church of Christ, officiating. Burial was in Redline cemetery with James Brace, Richard Berry, Scott McGrew, Roger Lansman, Gary Damgaard and Charles Summers, serving as casketbearers.