



Zama Griffin

February 2, 1917 - April 14, 2009

Zama Adell Griffin, 92, of Dallas passed away on April 14, 2009 in DeSoto. She was born in Corsicana on February 2, 1917 to Jim Phillips and Lena Brown Phillips. Zama retired from the City of Dallas Water Department after 21 years in 1987. Graveside Service will be held on April 18, 2009 at Rose Hill Cemetery in Blooming Grove at 11:00 a.m. She was preceded in death by her husband Arthur Fred Griffin and a son Arthur Fred Griffin Jr. She is survived by one son Fred Griffin of Dallas.

Tribute Wall



“ *Zama Griffin*

October 08, 2023 at 12:04 PM



“ *Dearest Zama was a wonderful lady who called me "James", could make me smile, and always encouraged me to present my best for the world to view, which was a wonderful thing. I can still remember her smile and it still encourages me to be a better person.*

Her paintings were household treasures and are still today.

With love and blessings, Jim (James).

Jim Lumpkin, wife Ellen, and children - April 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *Please call me or e mail me. I have tried to call you several times through the years but must be doing something wrong because I've never reached you. I didn't know your mother but heard my mother, Dot Varnell Walton, at Barry speak of both your parents many times. Actually, I believe we are related through your dad. One of my grandfathers' sisters married a Griffin. I have lots of family history I will be glad to share with you. Again, how fortunate you are to have been able to keep your mother so long.*

Anne Wilson - April 14, 2009 at 12:00 AM