



## Margaret E. Benson

November 5, 1915 - March 28, 2017

Margaret E. Benson, 101, of Wapakoneta, formerly of the Waynesfield area, died 1:40 p.m., Tues. March 28, 2017, at Auglaize Acres. She was born Nov. 5, 1915, in Wayne Twp., Auglaize Co., the daughter of Jason & Lena (Shellenbarger) Dudgeon, who preceded her in death. On Sept. 23, 1944, she married Benjamin F. Benson, and he died Oct. 24, 1987. She is survived by her daughter, Jayne E. Benson of Wapakoneta, and several nieces & nephews.

She was preceded in death by 4 brothers, Morgan, Edgar, Roger, and Chalmer Dudgeon, brothers-in-laws and sisters-in-law, Emma, Frances & Bernice Dudgeon, Robert (Delores) Benson, John (Elva) Benson, Sam Benson, & Gertrude (Howard) Smith, and 2 nieces, Lila Copeland and Maxine Dudgeon.

A homemaker, Margaret assisted her husband in farming. She was an excellent cook.

Funeral services will be 2:00 p.m., Sat. April 1, 2017, at the Bayliff & Eley Funeral Home, 1102 Lincoln Ave. (St. Rt. 501) Wapakoneta, Pastor Steve Nelson officiating. Burial is to follow in the Willow Branch Cemetery, Waynesfield. The family will receive friends from 12:00 p.m. until the time of the service, Sat. at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be directed

to National Down Syndrome Society.

# Cemetery Details

## Willow Branch

Waynesfield, OH

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 1. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Eley Funeral Home & Crematory  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall

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“ JANE, THIS IS DONNA(STILES) HABEGGER. JUST HEARD ABOUT THE LOSS OF YOUR MOTHER. SO SORRY ABOUT YOUR LOSS. YOU ARE IN MY PRAYERS.IVE LOST TOUCH WITH YOU, AND DID NOT KNOW HOW TO CONTACT YOU.

PLEASE GIVE ME A CALL LATER AFTER THIS IS OVER. WE ARE IN FLORIDA AS OF RIGHT NOW, WILL BE HOME SOON.  
419-643-2735

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**DONNA HABEGGER** - March 29, 2017 at 03:46 PM