

Anna May Thompson, daughter of Theodore H. "Ted" (1907-1975) and Fern (Barnhart) (1912-1936) Thompson, was born 13 March 1936, Bellevue, Eaton County, Michigan. Anna's parents were wed in 1932 and had two children, Fred and Anna, before Mrs. Thompson succumbed to pulmonary tuberculosis, 8 September 1936, while a patient at the American Legion Hospital, Battle Creek, Calhoun County, Michigan.

Anna graduated from Okemos High School in 1954. She married Eugene



ANNA M. THOMPSON
"Annie"
*Isn't it strange what a
smile and big brown eyes
can do?*
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Robert Hopkins in November 1956, Okemos, Ingham County, Michigan. Eugene, and his twin sister Eugenia, were born 22 December 1931, Michigan. Anna and Eugene celebrated 3 children and 41 years together before Eugene died 29 August 1998, Clare County, Michigan.

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EUGENE HOPKINS, HARRISON GIRL REPEAT VOWS IN OKEMOS CHURCH

A recent candlelight ceremony performed by Rev. Muriel L. Carr in the Okemos Community church united Miss Anna May Thompson in marriage to Eugene Robert Hopkins.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore H. Thompson of rural Harrison, and her bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Williams Mason, 620 Spring st.

Given in marriage by her father, Anna May wore a gown of rose point lace over satin and her illusion veil fell from a seed pearl tiara. She carried a shower bouquet of white carnations and red roses.

The bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Robert S. Tingley of Ionia, was matron of



honor in pale yellow lace over taffeta, and bridesmaids were Mrs. Fred Thompson in blue and Mrs. Keith Russell in peach.

Fred Thompson was best man and attendants were William Hopkins and Keith Russell.

Ushers were Dale Mitchell, Harvey Ellsworth and Robert Tingley.

A reception for 100 guests was held in the church parlors after which the newlyweds left for Buffalo, N.Y.

They will make their home at 4638 Bristol st.

Anna died 20 July 2004, Clare County. Anna and Eugene were interred Surrey Township Cemetery, Farwell, Clare County.

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Anna May (Thompson) Hopkins, age 68, of Farwell died on Tuesday, July 20, 2004 at home in Farwell. She was the daughter of Theodore Thompson and Fern (Barnhart) Thompson.

Anna was a person who liked to cook and sew. She loved to fish and watch deer that came into her yard.

She is survived by her sons Randy Hopkins and Theodore Hopkins, both of Farwell and her daughter Cheryl (Bob) Simons of Sunfield; three grandchildren and one great grandchild; a brother Fred Thompson of Williamston and brother-in-law William (Joyce) Hopkins of Barryton. She is preceded in death by her husband Eugene, parents, brother Leon and

grandson Robert Simons.

Arrangements are being handled by the Coker Funeral Home of Farwell. Funeral services were held on Thursday July 22, 2004 with pastor Tim Fall officiating. Interment will be in Surrey Township Cemetery in Farwell.