

# **Louise Bigony Bickel**

**April 11, 1911 – October 13, 1998**

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## **LOUISE BIGONY BICKEL**

Frances Louise Bigony Bickel, 87, died Tuesday, Oct. 13, 1998, after a short illness, in a hospital in Granbury, Texas.

Her parents, both deceased, were Dr. John Francis Bigony and Martha Ellen (Mattie) Charlton Bigony of Hinton.

She was born April 11, 1911 and reared in Hinton. She was a graduate of Hinton High School and the Johns Hopkins University School of Nursing. She had lived most of her adult life in Texas.

Survivors include her husband, Dr. Robert D. Bickel of Dallas, Texas; a son, Michael D. Bickel of Allen, Texas; daughter, Mrs. Nancy B. Taylor of Washington DC; and daughter Sarah B. DeStefano of Flagstaff, Arizona; and grandchildren, David, Tracy, Michael, Bryant, Lindsay and Galen, and a great-grandson Tyler. A nephew, Joseph C. Bigony of Hinton, and nieces, Mrs. Martha (Tom) Briers of Hinton, Mrs. Sally B. Hartel of Beaumont, Texas; and Mrs. Barbara B.(John) Edmonds of Richmond, VA.

She was preceded in death by brothers, Dr. John Charlton Bigony, Joseph Clair Bigony, Paul Ellsworth Bigony and Philip Norman Bigony.

Memorial services were held Oct. 16th, in the Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd, Granbury, Texas. The body was cremated and ashes placed in the church altar.

Arrangements were by Martin's Funeral Home, Granbury, Texas.

Memorial donations may be made to the Summers County Library, Hinton.