

## **Martha Virginia Steers Ward**

**August 14, 1928 – April 12, 2012**

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Martha Virginia Ward, 83 of Sandstone, died Thursday April 12, 2012 at Princeton Health Care Center following a long illness.

Born August 14, 1928 in Hinton, she was the daughter of the late Frank William and Lou Verna Adkins Steers.

Ms. Ward was a graduate of Hinton High School and was a homemaker. She was also a former aide at the Hinton Hospital. She was of the Baptist faith and was a lifelong resident of Summers County.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Franklin H. Ward. Also preceded by two brothers, Clinton Ray Steers and Frederick Steers.

Survivors include a son, Thomas Ward and wife Lucinda of Hinton and a daughter, Beverly Hickman and husband Nathan of Bland, VA. Three grandchildren; Scott Ward, Heidi Richmond and Raelynn Hickman. Two great grandchildren, Landon and Tyler Richmond. Two sisters, Mary Ann Taylor and husband Jay of Hinton and Elizabeth Lambert of Hinton.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 p.m. Sunday April 15, 2012 at Pivont Funeral Home Chapel in Hinton with Pastor Benny Allen officiating. Burial will follow in the Cooper Cemetery at Sandstone.