

From the Friday, October 22, 2010 edition of the Hays (Kansas) Daily News:

Viola May Burton, 91, Plainville, died Wednesday, Oct. 20, 2010, at Redbud Village, Plainville. She was born Aug. 1, 1919, in rural Stockton to John William and Cecelia Rosella (Kriley) Rogers. She married Lawrence Burton on Oct. 7, 1958, in Stockton. He preceded her in death in March 1980. She was a cook at Shaw Hotel and Coffee Shop of Plainville. Survivors include three sisters, Mary Naylor and Ellen Most, both of Plainville, and Bernice Thyfault, Longmont, Colo.

Services will be at 10 a.m. Saturday at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Plainville; burial in St. Ann Cemetery, Zurich. Visitation will be until 7 p.m. today at Mosher-Kemp Family Funeral Home, 320 S.W. Second, Plainville, KS 67663. A ladies guild rosary will be at 3 p.m. today at the funeral home. A vigil will be at 7 p.m. today at the funeral home. Memorials are suggested to Sacred Heart Catholic Church or Redbud Village in care of the funeral home. Condolences can be sent to the family at www.mosher-kemp.com.

From the Mosher-Kemp Family Funeral Home web site, downloaded 11 Jan 2011: Viola May Burton (August 1, 1919 -October 20, 2010) Viola May Burton, of Plainville, passed away Wednesday, October 20, 2010 at Redbud Village, in Plainville. She was 91 years old. Viola was born on August 1, 1919, the daughter of John William and Cecelia Rosella (Kriley) Rogers, in rural Stockton. She married Lawrence Burton on October 7, 1958 in Stockton. They enjoyed 21 years of marriage together until Lawrence passed away in March of 1980. Viola spent her entire life as a Rooks county resident. She worked as a cook at the Shaw Hotel and Coffee Shop of Plainville. She enjoyed gardening, having been known for her "green thumb". She was a former member of the St. Ann's Sodality of Zurich. Viola will be dearly missed by three sisters Mary Naylor and Ellen Most, both of Plainville, and Bernice Thyfault of Longmont, Colorado; and numerous nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; seven brothers Clair, Harley, Harvey, Raymond, Jack, Linus, and Bob; two sisters Naomi and Alma. A Mass of Christian Burial will be at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, October 23, 2010 at the Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Plainville with Father Galen Long officiating. Burial will be in St. Ann's Cemetery, Zurich. Visitation will be Friday, from 1:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. with a ladies guild rosary to be held at 3:00 p.m. A parish vigil service will be at 7:00 p.m., following visitation. This will all take place at the Mosher-Kemp Family Funeral Home, 320 SW 2nd, Plainville, KS 67663. Memorial contributions are suggested to the Sacred Heart Church or Redbud Village, and may be sent in care of the funeral home.