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Mary Garrard Kearns, 97

Mary Garrard Kearns, 97, a resident-patient of Grand Haven Nursing Home, died on Saturday morning at the Harrison Memorial Hospital, following a long illness. She was preceded in death by her husband, Rector Kearns, and was a member of the Connersville Christian Church and the Connersville Homemakers Club.

Survivors include two sons, the Rev. Joe Rex Kearns of Cincinnati, Ohio and the Rev. Gene Kearns of Cynthiana; two brothers, John Garrard of Covington and Henry Ward Garrard of Cynthiana; five grandchildren: Mark, Lois, Corwyn and James Kearns and Dana Kearns Anderson. There are three great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted at 1:30 p.m. on Monday, Aug. 5, 1985, at the Whaley-McCarty Funeral Home by the Rev. Clifford Neat. Burial was in Battle Grove Cemetery.

Pallbearers were Donald Fields, Howard Fryman, Randall Boyers, Zelma McBee, L.R. Matthews and Eugene Hiten.