Hottinger, Helen Francis

Helen Francis [sic] Hottinger, 65, died Friday at her home following a long illness.

She was born in Locus Grove, Ohio. She was a former resident of Interlachen, having lived there for 10 years, coming from Gainesville, prior to moving to Atlantic Beach. she was a former member of the Oak Ridge Baptist Church in West Putnam County. She was a retired telephone operator having been employed in Gainesville at the University of Florida, Alachua General Hospital and Southern Bell. She and her late husband, Donovan Hottinger, had previously donated land for the expansion of the Oak Ridge Cemetery in Interlachen.

She is survived by a daughter, Cheryl Elaine Hottinger of Chillicothe, Ohio; three sons, Robert Donovan Hottinger of Gainesville, Michael Lyle Hottinger of Ansted, W.Va., Jeffrey William Hottinger of Atlantic Beach; three sisters, Nora Garman of Vidalia, Ohio, Shirley Dunseith of Highland, Ohio, Mary Knoph of Sabina, Ohio; five brothers, George Shoemaker, Frank Shoemaker, Russ Shoemaker and John Shoemaker, all of Sabina, Ohio, and Robert Shoemaker of Columbus, Ohio; and five grandchildren.

The funeral is 2 p.m. today at the Oak Ridge Baptist Church in Interlachen with Rev. Arthur Queen officiating. Burial will follow in the Oak Ridge Cemetery.

Masters Funeral Home in Interlachen is handling arrangements.

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