



## Dorothy M. Strohm

October 23, 1911 - July 27, 2008

Dorothy (Brenner) Strohm, 96, of New Castle, died Sunday evening in The Waters of New Castle.

Dorothy was born October 23, 1911 in Straughn, a daughter of the late William and Edith (Hiatt) Brenner.

She graduated from Sugar Grove in 1929, a two room schoolhouse just west of New Castle. She worked 15 years for a local attorney Paul Benson then was a bookkeeper at Coca-Cola for 37 years retiring in 1981. She was a member of St. James Episcopal Church and was active locally and in the Diocese and was also a long-time member of the American Business Women's Association. She loved to read and said she "tried to read every book at the library but did not quite make it." However, for many years she read one book per day. She also enjoyed knitting and crocheting.

She is survived by two cousins, Gloria Bates of Indianapolis and Thelma Ankrom of Greenville, N.C.; and a nephew, Mike Johnson of Southern Indiana.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Chester H. Strohm in 1961.

A memorial service will be held during the Sunday service, August 3, 2008 at 10:00 a.m. in St. James Episcopal Church with Rev. Janet Richardson officiating. Burial will follow in St. Anne Cemetery. Arrangements are in the care of Sproles Family Funeral Home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the St. James Memorial Fund with envelopes available at the funeral home. You may send a personal

condolence to the family at [www.sprolesfamilycares.com](http://www.sprolesfamilycares.com).

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