FOOT PRINTS IN THE SAND

ONE NIGHT I HAD A DREAM

I DREAMED I WAS WALKING ALONG THE BEACH WITH THE LORD AND ACROSS THE SKY FLASHED SCENES FROM MY LIFE.

FOR EACH SCENE I NOTICED TWO SETS OF FOOTPRINTS IN THE SAND, ONE BELONGED TO ME AND THE OTHER TO THE LORD.

WHEN THE LAST SCENE OF MY LIFE FLASHED BEFORE US, I LOOKED BACK AT THE FOOTPRINTS IN THE SAND. I NOTICED, THAT MANY TIMES ALONG THE PATH OF MY LIFE, THERE WAS ONLY ONE SET OF FOOTPRINTS. I ALSO NOTICED THAT IT HAPPENED AT THE VERY LOWEST AND SADDEST TIMES IN MY LIFE. THIS REALLY BOTHERED ME AND I QUESTIONED THE LORD ABOUT IT. "LORD, YOU SAID THAT ONCE I DECIDED TO FOLLOW YOU, YOU WOULD WALK WITH ME ALL THE WAY, BUT I HAVE NOTICED THAT DURING THE MOST TROUBLESOME TIMES IN MY LIFE THERE IS ONLY ONE SET OF FOOTPRINTS, I DON'T UNDERSTAND WHY IN TIMES WHEN I NEEDED YOU MOST YOU SHOULD LEAVE ME." THE LORD REPLIED, "MY PRECIOUS, PRECIOUS CHILD, I LOVE YOU AND I WOULD NEVER, NEVER LEAVE YOU DURING YOUR TIMES OF TRIAL AND SUFFERING. WHEN YOU SAW ONLY ONE SET OF FOOTPRINTS, IT WAS THEN THAT I CARRIED YOU."

IN MEMORY OF THE LIFE OF Loretta Mae Crouch

DATE and PLACE OF BIRTH July 19, 1939 - East Liverpool, Ohio

DATE and PLACE OF DEATH December 9, 2009 - Prairie Grove ,Arkansas

Loretta Mae Crouch

70, a resident of Prairie Grove, Arkansas went to be with her Lord on December 9, 2009 at her home in Prairie Grove, Arkansas. She was born July 19, 1939 in East Liverpool, Ohio, the daughter of Roy and Stella Morton Young.

She was affectionately known as "Granny" to everyone who knew and loved her. She was a loving, caring and unselfish woman. Her family was the most important part of her life, she was our rock and our friend and was always there when we needed her. She will be greatly missed by us and everyone who knew her. She worked at Kelly's Canning Company and retired from Campbell Soup Company.

She was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers, Robert and Roy Young, one sister, Alice Carnes and one great grandson, Kenneth "Will" Boyd.

Survivors include her husband, Frank Crouch of the home; two sons, Richard Coleman of Farmington, Arkansas and James Coleman and his wife, Tina of Fayetteville, Arkansas; three daughters, Hazel Fleshman and her husband, Tyrone of Youngstown, Ohio, Stella Coleman and her husband, Bryan of Tontitown, Arkansas and Teresa Coleman of Fayetteville, Arkansas; two brothers, John Young and his wife, Carol , James Young and his wife, Margareta; one sister, Maureen Kindle and her husband, Bill; nine grandchildren, Todd Bowling and his wife, Delena, Amanda Coleman, Hazel Boyd and her husband, Kenneth, James Coleman and his wife, Jennifer, Heath Coleman, Courtney Coleman, Roger Remington Jr. And his wife, Jennifer, Jennifer Blair and her husband, Michael and Shad Hayes; fifteen great grandchildren, Alana, Emily, Delaney, Triton, Michael, Rylee, Jacob, Hunter, Aundre, Katelyn, Trace, Kristen, Hannah, Madalyn and Lauren.