Mary Lorene "Rene" Hanking 74 of Cave City passed away Wednesday December 26, 2012 at her home after an extended illness. Rene loved God, her family and friends and her church. She was an inspiration to all who knew her. She will be remembered by her faith, joy and love in the midst of suffering. Rene was a member of the Barren County Baptist Church.

She is survived by her husband of 57 years, Charles; a daughter Karen Elaine Lievers (Russ) of Jeffersonville, IN; a grandson Aaron Joseph Lievers (Viki) of Georgetown, IN; a granddaughter Mary Hayley Lievers of Jeffersonville, IN; her mother Bernice Coomer of Hiseville; 5 sisters Jo Anne Gooden of Louisville, Judy Gossom of Oakland, Kathy Pollack of California, Teresa London (Randy) of Hiseville and Vickie Coomer Mosby of Glasgow; 4 brothers Kenneth Coomer (Ann) of Clarksville, IN, Phillip Coomer (Sharon) of Alvaton, and Michael Coomer and Tim Coomer (Cherri) both of Hiseville. Several nieces and nephews also survive. She was preceded in death by her father, Lawrence Coomer.

A celebration of Rene's life will be 10:00am Saturday at the A. F. Crow & Son Funeral Home with burial in the Hiseville Cemetery. Visitation will begin at 1:00pm Friday.