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Millicent A. Barr

90, passed away March 9, 2006 at Hospice Family Care. Preceded in death by her parents, Marie Elizabeth and John E. Barr. She was born December 1, 1915 in Cleveland OH. At 18 she won a beauty/actress contest and was sent to Hollywood. While there she met celebrities and proudly had a personal photograph taken with Clark Gable. She was not in movies at that time, but went to New York City and modeled the latest women's style clothing. Later she went to a small town in upstate New York and had a successful job as radio announcer and interviewed various celebrities including Gramma Moses. Mill returned to NYC and became managing editor of various women's style magazines. Later she moved to Los Angeles and for a number of years was head of public relations for UCLA "Hope for Hearing", upon retiring in 1978 she moved to Tucson and lived here the rest of her life in the same house. She played in Little Theater in the area and was a waitress in the movie "Tin Cup" with Kevin Costner. She was a good friend of Bill W. All of her circle of friends will miss her "The Grande Dame" of Tucson. A great lady. Break-a-leg, Mill! If you wish, contributions may be made to Hospice Family Care in the name of Millicent A. Barr.

BARR, Millicent A.