



Lettie Ruth Hylton

March 2, 1944 - December 17, 2023

Lettie Ruth Varney Hylton, Born on March 2, 1944, passed away on December 17, 2023 at her home in Matewan, WV. She was the daughter of Dymple S. Varney. In addition to her mother, she is preceded in death by her two daughters: Marsha Rice and Johnna Hylton.

Ruth loved her family. Most of all, she loved Jesus. She often said “Jesus is the boss.” She played guitar and piano. Ruth played gospel music in a host of area churches for many years. She helped many people through hardships, never forgetting that God sent people to help her. In the earlier years of her life, she worked as a bookkeeper at various different locations. Ruth also worked for the Mingo County Board of Education, driving the bus and handicapped bus for years.

Lettie Ruth is survived by her husband, Danny Hylton of Matewan, WV, her daughter Sharon Horn of Coal City, WV, her son Earnest “Bud” Hylton and his wife Bridgette of Mooresville, NC, her two grandsons Brady Crabtree and David Hylton, her two sisters Rena Crum and her husband Mike of Elyria, OH and Reva Muncy of Fort Gay, WV, and a host of nieces and nephews. Ruth attended the Jesus Name Tabernacle of Thacker, WV and Faith Mission Church of McCarr, KY.

Graveside services for Lettie Ruth will be held on December 22, 2023 at

Ellison Hatfield Cemetery in Newtown, WV. The graveside service will begin at 1:00 pm with the following officiating: Brother Jimmy Meade, brother Jim Fields, and brother Brian Hager. Sister Shirley Fox will be concluding the service with committal. Pallbearers include friends and family.

Previous Events

Grave Side Service

DEC **22**. 1:00 PM (ET)

Ellison Hatfield Cemetery
Ellison Hatfield Cemetery, WV

Tribute Wall

LJ

“ I’m sorry I’m just finding this out now. Her daughter Marsha was more of a sister Than a friend. Lettie was a sweet, humble, Christian woman.

LouAnn Justice - April 28, 2024 at 08:27 PM

SH

“ I miss you so much Mom. I still have the note you left on my table. You wrote: "I love you always. Mom." That goes both ways. "Mom, I love you always."

Sharon Horn - March 16, 2024 at 05:30 PM

AC

“ I find comfort knowing she is in her heavenly home and at peace with the Lord. Hugs and love to you all. I'm so sorry for your heartache. Wish we could be there with you today. Scott and Amy

Amy Crum - December 22, 2023 at 06:18 AM

LL

“ Prayers going up for Sharon and all of her family

Lyn Lewis - December 21, 2023 at 05:39 AM

BH

“ SIS. RUTH WILL BE MISSED, SHE WAS A BLESSING TO THE JESUS NAME TABERNACLE , ALWAYS HELPING OUT WITH THE MUSIC, SINGING HER FAVORITE SONG, JESUS IS THE ONLY NAME I KNOW , AND ALWAYS SAYING, JESUS IS THE BOSS. REST IN PEACE SIS. RUTH HOPE TO SEE YOU SOON. BRO. BRYAN AND SIS. CARRIE HAGER

BRYAN HAGER - December 20, 2023 at 08:26 PM