



## Blanche Ann Webb Gravely

August 16, 1918 - April 30, 2009

Blanche Ann Webb Gravely, 90, of Huntington, passed away Thursday, April 30, 2009 at St. Mary's Medical Center. She was born August 16, 1918 in Mullens WV, the daughter of the late Cal and Phoebe Wills Webb and was the ninth child of ten siblings, six sisters and three brothers. She was educated in Mullens, met and married her husband of 63 years, J.S. Gravely, also of Mullens. She then pursued her schooling as a hairdresser, working and owning her own shops until she retired. She enjoyed watching all sports and often talked of playing basketball for Mullens when she was in high school. (She wasn't afraid to guard anyone.) She was a member of the Mullens Garden Club and loved to work with flowers and make floral arrangements. She and her husband lived in Mullens until 1972 when they moved to Beckley, WV living there until 1992, before moving to Huntington, WV. She was a member and attended Bates Memorial Presbyterian Church of Huntington. She is survived by her husband J.S. Gravely, one child, Jennifer Lynn Barton, and husband Harvey of Huntington, WV, grandchildren: Autumn Conley and husband Jon of Ona, WV, Brooke Merlino, husband Erik, of Lexington, KY, Paul Barton of Huntington, WV and Melissa Smith and husband Clay of St. Louis, MO.; great grandchildren; Spencer and Payton Conley, Emma Kathryn and Isaiah Smith. Funeral services will be conducted on Tuesday May 5, 2009 at 11:00 AM at Henson Mortuary 6357 East Pea Ridge Road, Huntington, WV, with the Rev Mike Ducheneau officiating. Friends may call from 6-8 PM on Monday, May 4, 2009 at the Henson Mortuary. Graveside services will follow

in Blueridge Memorial Gardens in Prosperity, WV, at 2:30 PM. The family would like to extend their gratitude to all of the caregivers at Wayne Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, for all of the wonderful care she received. It is well with the Lord. Henson Mortuary of Barboursville, WV is assisting the family with arrangements. Condolences may be expressed to the family by visiting [www.hensonmortuary.com](http://www.hensonmortuary.com).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Blanche Ann Webb Gravely*

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October 23, 2023 at 01:49 AM



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My deepest condolences to you in the lost of your wife, Mom,  
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Methodist Church - so I remember all of you very well. Jennifer  
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I remember Blanche very vividly. I always thought she was so pretty  
and had such a lovely smile. How wonderful it is that you had her for  
so many years! I know she will be sorely missed. God Bless All of  
you during this time.  
Lana Vanover Shrader Raleigh, NC*

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**Lana Vanover Shrader** - May 04, 2009 at 07:59 PM



“ *My heartfelt condolences to the Gravely Family. Blanche was a  
sweet and very modest lady. It was a blessing to get to know her  
and meet her family during her stay at the nursing home. May God's  
love comfort them during this time.*

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**Susie Matthews** - May 04, 2009 at 06:14 PM

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**Lana Vanover Shrader of Raleigh, NC** - May 04, 2009 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ Brooke and Autumn, We are thinking of you and hope wonderful memories comfort you during this difficult time.  
Love, Larry & Tricia Ferguson

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**Tricia & Larry Ferguson** - May 03, 2009 at 09:08 AM

TK

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**Tricia & Larry Ferguson of Catlettsburg, KY** - May 03, 2009 at 12:00 AM

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**Brenda Lipscomb** - May 02, 2009 at 03:18 PM

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**Tom and Janie Farmer** - May 02, 2009 at 02:20 PM

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**Brenda Lipscomb of Salem, VA** - May 02, 2009 at 12:00 AM