



Betty A. Preston

May 23, 1939 - February 26, 2017

Betty Ann Preston, 77, of Shippenville Health and Rehabilitation, formerly of Clarion, went to be with the Lord on Sunday, February 26, 2017, at the Clarion Hospital surrounded by her loved ones.

Born, May 23, 1939, in Clarion she was the daughter of the late Robert W. and Eleanor June Davis Wiant.

Betty was employed at Owen's-Illinois in Clarion until her retirement in 2001.

Betty was a member of the Clarion Moose, where she enjoyed playing Bingo.

Surviving is the father of their children Edward Lee Preston of Clarion, and their three sons, Mark Preston of Somerset; Doug Preston and fiancé Linda LaVan of Clarion; Ken Preston and companion Sherry Irwin of Clarion; three daughters, Paula Sharrar and her husband Steve of Clarion; Patty Guth and her husband Mike of Shippenville; and Susan Lencer and her husband Henry of Leeper. A daughter-in-law Linda Preston of Strattanville; one granddaughter Amber Hathorn and her husband Jeff of St. Mary's; 10 grandsons, Matthew Preston, Kyle Sharrar and his fiancé Hannah Shirey of Strattanville; Eric Sharrar and his wife Rachel of Limestone; Andrew Preston and his companion Leah Dougherty of Clarion; Ryan Preston, Joey Preston and Travis Preston all of Clarion; Austin, Alex and Aaron Lencer of Leeper; one great granddaughter

Aleeah Preston of Hawthorn and three great grandsons Rowan Sharrar of Limestone, Landon Sharrar of Strattanville, Liam Preston of Clarion and a great granddaughter coming in April.

Betty is also survived by five brothers, Robert (Judy) Wiant of Marble, Jim Wiant of Ohio; John Wiant of Clarion; Paul (Sue) Wiant of California; David (Pat) Menge of Connecticut; one sister Joan Pletcher of Clarion two sister-in-law's, Bonnie Wiant of Clarion and Diana Wiant of Ohio and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, an infant sister, two brothers Richard (Dick) Wiant, Harold (Art) Wiant, three sister-in-law's Nancy Preston, Darlene Wiant, Janet Preston, two brother-in-law's Ronald Preston and Harold Pletcher and an infant grandson Cody Douglas Sharrar.

Friends will be received from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. and 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Wednesday, March 1, 2017 at Robert V Burns Funeral Home, 638 Wood Street, Clarion PA. A Christian Wake Service will be held at 6 p.m.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10am on Thursday, March 2, 2017 at the Immaculate Conception Church in Clarion with Reverend B. LaMounte Sayers, pastor of Immaculate Conception Church, presiding.

Interment will be in Cedarview Memorial Park, Strattanville, PA.

The family would like to thank the staff at Golden Living Shippenville/Shippenville Health and Rehabilitation Center for caring for Betty over the past years. And also would like to thank the staff at Clarion Hospital for their support and compassion shown during the last week of Betty's life.

Tribute Wall

MS

“ *I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Thoughts and prayers for your family.*

Marcia Seidle - March 07, 2017 at 12:00 AM

AB

“ *Our deepest sympathy during this most difficult time. With thoughts and prayers. The Delaney Family*

Amy Bish - March 03, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ *Our Deepest Sympathy on your loss!! All of you will be in our thoughts & prayers at this difficult time!! As long as you have Memories she will live on in your Heart!!! May she rest in peace!!!*

Regis & Pat Walters - March 01, 2017 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *My deepest sympathy to everyone who knew this beautiful woman. May God comfort you while you hold fast to the many wonderful memories of her love and life.*

Gloria Saylor - March 01, 2017 at 12:00 AM

BK

“ *So sorry for your loss , thoughts and prayers with Patty and her family*

Barb Kunselman - March 01, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LS

“ *My sympathies to the Preston family. I enjoyed working with Betty at the plant. Take care, Linda Steele*

Linda Steele - February 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ *The Preston Family,
I am sorry to hear of the loss of your Mother. May the her memories bring your family comfort while going through this rough time.*

Carla Smith

Carla Smith - February 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DB

“ *Patty,
Thinking of you and your family at this difficult time.*

Danielle Bunch - February 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ *My sympathy Bob and Judy and family. Prayers are with you.
Cynthua*

CYnthia Dittman - February 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DA

“ *My deepest sympathy to the Preston family. May she rest in Peace.*

Dick Atzeni - February 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SG

“ *So sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you all, Sharon*

Sharon Gordon - February 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ So sorry for the loss of your mom.. Betty was a wonderful lady she will be missed

Deb King - February 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

KL

“ So sorry for your loss. Betty was a special lady. She will be missed.

Karen Lengyel - February 28, 2017 at 12:00 AM

LT

“ All of you are in our thoughts and prayers! May you all find comfort in the many great memories! The Troesch Family

Lisa Troesch - February 27, 2017 at 12:00 AM

RS

“ Sorry for your loss. You are all in my prayers.

Ritt

Ritt Smith - February 27, 2017 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ Betty A. Preston

Elizabeth Anne Confair - February 27, 2017 at 12:00 AM

AR

“ Sorry for your loss. Thinking of you all. Love, The O'Neil family

Angie O'Neil Raybuck - February 27, 2017 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ She was loved and brought so much happiness to her family. Blessed to have met her. I'll never forget the stories Amber shared with me on an almost daily basis when we worked together. She brought joy to her heart in so many ways. I will remember those times💜💜💜.

Elizabeth Anne Confair - February 27, 2017 at 12:00 AM

SU

“ What a role model. She fought a tough fight and stayed with us to the very end. She had the strength of an army, now she is dancing with the angels and her grandson and other family members. She had a goal and she made it She struggled to stay with us until Father Monty could be here for her mass. I would not have traded my last week with her for anything. She was my world. Love you to the moon and back mom.

Sue - February 27, 2017 at 12:00 AM

CT

“ SORRY FOR YOUR LOSS..PRAYERS AND LOVE TO ALL THE FAMILY.. MOOSE LODGE 51..OFFICERS AND FREINDS

CAROL TROVER - February 27, 2017 at 12:00 AM