



Clara P. Swigart

August 24, 1927 - November 22, 2013

Clara (Blair) Swigart, 86, of Shippenville, died Friday, November 22, 2013, at the Golden Living Center in Shippenville.

Born August 24, 1927 in Porter Township; she was the daughter of the late Henry and Pearl Kifer Blair.

Clara was married on December 31, 1955 to Harold E. Swigart, who preceded her in death on July 5, 2002.

She was a member of the United Methodist Church in Shippenville. She enjoyed participating in church activities and visiting with her many good neighbors at Pine Terrace. Her greatest joy came from being with her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Clara is survived by her son, Ted Swigart and his fiancé, Patty Scarbaro, of Sonoita, AZ, her daughter, Carol Carnahan and her husband, Doug, of Shippenville; a son-in-law, Rollie Wolf of Ohio; four grandchildren, Shylo Neely and her husband, Al, Kurtis Carnahan and his wife, Jessica, Mason Wolf and his wife, Stephanie, and Bobby Joe Sherrard; and five great grandchildren, Zachary Neely, Kyden and Kacen Carnahan, and Holly and Bella Wolf.

Also surviving is a brother, Wilber Blair of the Golden Living Center in Shippenville; a sister, Mary Miller of Pulaski; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Clara was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, a beloved daughter, Cindy Wolf; eight brothers, Fred Blair, Samuel Blair, Forest Blair, Arthur Blair, Paul Blair, Orrin Blair, Robert Blair, and Burton Blair; and four

sisters, Mildred Divins, Freda Stewart, Esther Blair, and Wanda Clark.

Family will receive friends from 4 to 7 p.m. on Tuesday, November 26, 2013 at the Robert V. Burns Funeral Home, 638 Wood Street, Clarion, and from 10 to 11 a.m. on Wednesday, November 27, 2013, at the United Methodist Church in Shippenville.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, November 27, 2013, in the United Methodist Church in Shippenville with Rev. Betsy Cooper, pastor of the United Methodist Church, officiating.

Interment will be held in the Herman Cemetery in New Bethlehem.

In lieu of flowers, memorials and donations can be made to the Clarion Forest VNA, 271 Perkins Road, Clarion PA 16214; or to the United Methodist Church, PO Box 208, Shippenville PA 16254.

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Tribute Wall

RH

“ *You have our deepest sympathy*

Richard and Ellen Horner - November 27, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ *I will miss you! I loved spending time with grandma Clara this summer. So many great memories.*

Bobby Joe Sherrard - November 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ *Sending our deepest sympathy. I have fond memories of south Fifth Ave. and the Swigart family. Harold and Clara were like extra parents to me growing up. Ted and I needed the extra supervision. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

Sam and Jeanne.

Samuel C Rubis - November 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM

BE

“ *Dear Kurt and Jessica....
So sorry to read of the passing of your Grandmother Clara....we extend our warmest sympathy to you....and to your whole family.....God Bless and comfort you all.....
In His Love,
Bill and Lois Eisenhuth*

Bill/Lois Eisenhuth - November 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ I have such fond memories of spending time at the Swigart home during those teenage years growing up on Fifth Avenue. Mrs. Swigart was such a warm and caring person to not only her own children but to their friends as well. Tim and I offer our deepest sympathy to all of you during this sad time.
Tim and Bobbi Smith

Tim and Bobbi Smith - November 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM