



Helen Rose Blair

July 16, 1920 - April 19, 2013

Helen Rose Blair, age 92, of Clarion, passed away on Friday, April 19, 2013, at the Clarion Hospital.

Born July 16, 1920, in Clarion; she was the daughter of William and Eleanora Hartle Fagley. She was the last surviving member of her immediate family.

Helen married Harry James Blair in 1938 in Clarion. He preceded her in death on April 17, 2001. They were happily married for 63 years.

She grew up in Clarion. Helen graduated from Immaculate Conception in Clarion. After high school she began work for G.C. Murphy on Main Street, Clarion, where she worked for 25 years. She retired in 1983.

Helen was member of the Immaculate Conception Church. She enjoyed spending time with her family, doing crossword puzzles, playing cards, watching Jeopardy and taking afternoon drives. She was known for her delicious Pumpkin Pies.

Helen is survived by her daughters, Ella and her husband, Edgar, Yochim of Clarion; Carole Guntrum and Howard of Rimersburg; four grandchildren, Eric Yochim of Clarion, Wendy (Yochim) Bowser of Cocoa, FL; Brade Guntrum and his wife, Mare, of Sligo; Mike Guntrum and his companion, Andrea Payne, of Rimersburg; and six great grandchildren, Colin Guntrum, Gavin Guntrum, Gage Guntrum, Trevor Bowser, Shannon Bowser, and Tyler Dietrich.

Also surviving are a half-brother, Paul Fagley of Kentucky; two half-sisters, Bernice (Fagley) Heinrich of Clarion and Linda (Fagley) Shovestull of Strattanville; and several nieces and nephews, including Ron Hartzell and his

wife, Donna, of Shippenville, Pat Slater of Florida, and Jim Fagley of Curlsville.

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by four brothers, James Fagley, William Fagley, Charles Fagley, Robert Fagley, Walter Fagley; and two sisters, Marie Fagley and Ruth (Fagley) Hartzell. Family will receive friends from 2 to 4 p.m. and 6 to 8 p.m. on Tuesday, April 23, 2013, at the Robert V. Burns Funeral Home, 638 Wood Street, Clarion.

Christian wake service will be held at 3:45 p.m. on Tuesday, April 23, 2013, in the funeral home.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, April 24, 2013, in the Immaculate Conception Church, Clarion, with Rev. Monty Sayers, pastor of the Immaculate Conception Church, presiding.

Interment will be held in the Immaculate Conception Cemetery in Clarion.

Tribute Wall

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“ *My thoughts and prayers are with her family. She was a beautiful lady whom I loved very much and thought very much of. She will be very sadly missed. R.I.P. Aunt Helen. All my love, P*

Pam Ward - April 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Sorry for your loss. I'm glad that you girls got to have her for many years.*

Larry Ambrose - April 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Thoughts and prayers are with you all. God Bless you all! Jackie*

jackie smith - April 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM