



Bonnie Elisabeth Russell

November 20, 1944 - March 3, 2024

Bonnie Elisabeth Russell, 79, of Lexington, KY, passed away on Sunday, March 3, 2024 in Nicholasville, Kentucky after an 8+ year battle with Alzheimer's.

She was born in Quantico, Virginia to the late James and Elisabeth Stone. She is also preceded in death by her brother-in-law Thomas Eckblad.

Bonnie was a nurse for 35 years and a member of the Grace Baptist Temple in Saint Albans, WV. She loved teaching Bible classes while serving as director of women's ministry at the Bethlehem Church in Randolph, NJ. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, and sister. She received the Lord as her Savior at age 6 in her mother's Good New Club held in Saint Albans, WV. She was a graduate of the Moody Bible Institute in Chicago IL and the Marshall University School of Nursing in Huntington, WV.

In lieu of flowers, contributions can be made to the Child Evangelism Fellowship of North Jersey, P.O. Box 3271, Wayne, NJ 07474-3271.

Surviving are her loving husband of 56 years, Lyman Henry Russell of Lexington, KY; sons, Lyman "Russ" Russell III (Gina Beth) of Lexington, KY, James Russell (Deena) of Hardyston Twp, NJ, and Joseph Russell of Liberty, MO; sisters, Jean Eckblad, Rosemary Ziegler and Sarah Rogers; grandchildren, Nathan Russell, Matthew Russell, Seth Russell, Claire Brown, Logan Russell and Kaylee Russell; and great grandchildren, Colton Russell, Brooks Russell and Eden Krieger.

A funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m. Tuesday, March 12, 2024 at Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home, St. Albans WV with Pastor Brian Dean of the Grace Baptist Temple officiating. Burial will follow in Cunningham Memorial Park, Saint Albans.

Friends may visit with the family one hour prior to the service at the funeral home.

You may visit Bonnie's tribute page at BartlettNichols.com to share memories or condolences with the family.

Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home, family owned and located at 409 Sixth Avenue, St. Albans is honored to serve the Russell family.

Cemetery Details

Cunningham Memorial Park

815 Cunningham Lane
St. Albans, WV 25177

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home
409 Sixth Avenue
Saint Albans, WV 25177
(304) 727-4325

Funeral Service

MAR 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

FH

“ We were raised up in the same church . Highlawn community Chaoel . We also graduated together from St. Albans HighSchool Class of 1962 .. her mother was also my Sunday school teacher at the Chapel .I know she is with the Lord absent from the body present with the Lotd . My Prayers are with the sisters and family Left behind till they meet again . Frankie Hale Hardin Culloden. Wva . Sorry I was not able to attend the service❤️🙏

Frankie Hale Hardin - March 12, 2024 at 11:34 AM

SM

“ Sheena Tiffany Sherry Ryan Shawn Michael purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Bonnie Elisabeth Russell.



Sheena Tiffany Sherry Ryan Shawn Michael - March 11, 2024 at 04:24 PM

JA

“ I remember Bonnie as a woman who very much loved the Lord and loved sharing His love with children in after school Bible clubs. How many of her "children" will be in Heaven because of her love of Jesus and for them? My children grew up with hers in their early years at Bethlehem Church. How joyous that she is now with Jesus and we have the hope of seeing her once again in Heaven. Jayne Alles

Jayne I Alles - March 09, 2024 at 01:02 PM



“ Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Bonnie Elisabeth Russell.



March 08, 2024 at 04:48 PM

LH

“ Love, the Corno’s, Adam’s & Holicks purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Bonnie Elisabeth Russell.



Love, the Corno’s, Adam’s & Holicks - March 08, 2024 at 03:32 PM

GS

“ Georgia Baptist Foundation Staff purchased the Sweet Tenderness for the family of Bonnie Elisabeth Russell.



Georgia Baptist Foundation Staff - March 08, 2024 at 12:04 PM

GS

“ Georgia Baptist Foundation Staff planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Bonnie Elisabeth Russell.

Georgia Baptist Foundation Staff - March 08, 2024 at 12:04 PM



“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Bonnie Elisabeth Russell.



March 07, 2024 at 11:40 AM

NS

“ From: Nancy and Karl Shade planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Bonnie Elisabeth Russell.

Nancy and Karl Shade - March 07, 2024 at 11:40 AM

JE

“ I thank my God on every remembrance of you.” Philippians 1. I love you, Bonnie. Your loving sister Jean.

jeanie Stone Eckblad - March 06, 2024 at 09:58 PM

RZ

“ I have only good memories of my oldest sister, Bonnie. She was loving and kind, selfless and giving. She spent her life in ministry and in helping others - as a nurse and as a Christian leader who taught many children’s Good News Clubs, led her church’s women’s ministry, and did countless other deeds of service. She loved music and sang beautifully. Every time I hear “Oh, Holy Night,” I remember Bonnie singing it as a solo in our church Christmas program when she was in high school. She loved opera and often would sing various arias as she worked around the house. When she received her first paycheck, she went out that same day and spent it all on gifts for all of us in her family. I still have what she got me. She was an avid reader, and we both often liked the same books and authors. I like to picture Bonnie in heaven seeing the Lord Jesus whom she loved and served for so many years and seeing our parents who went before her. There are no lasting goodbyes for Christians, so, “I love you, Bonnie, and I will see you later.”

Rosemary Ziegler - March 06, 2024 at 05:17 PM

GF

“ Joe, we are so sorry to hear of your mom’s passing. Our thoughts, prayers and hugs are with you and your family! Love, Gary & Brenda Flickinger

Gary & Brenda Flickinger - March 06, 2024 at 11:36 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Bonnie Elisabeth Russell.



March 06, 2024 at 10:47 AM