



## Janice Mercedes Eads

September 13, 1927 - February 14, 2023

Janice Mercedes Eads, 95, of Tornado passed peacefully February 14, 2023 at Lavender Hills Memory Care in Teay's Valley, with family and caring staff by her side.

A lifelong resident of Tornado, graduate of St. Albans High School, and a member of Humphrey's Memorial Methodist Church from birth until death. She was a homemaker and devoted mother of three who also worked outside the home prior to and following raising her family. She was employed by Union Carbide, the Diamond Department Store, Overnight Trucking and G.E. Ray Construction.

Mercedes life centered around devotion to her family, her church, and the community that she loved so dearly. Sunday dinners at "Mommaw's house" with family and friends gathered around her kitchen table was joyous and life affirming in her eyes. Quilting, gardening and maintaining her home and property were lifelong pursuits that brought her contentment and happiness. She will be missed, and her absence will leave a void, yet family and friends rejoice in the knowledge that she is now at peace. Her life was indeed a life well lived.

Surviving: sons Terry Richard Eads (Betsey) of Scott Depot; James David Eads (Shelia) of Salem; S.C., Gregory Alan Eads (Amanda) of Charleston;

seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

Service will be at 2:00 p.m. Saturday, February 18, 2023 at Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home, St. Albans with the Reverend Kerry Bart officiating. Entombment will follow at Cunningham Memorial Park, St. Albans.

Friends may call from 1 to 2:00 p.m. Saturday at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations to Humphrey's Memorial United Methodist Church Memorial Fund, Tornado W.Va. 25177

You may visit Mercedes's tribute page at [BartlettNicholsFuneralHome.com](http://BartlettNicholsFuneralHome.com) to share memories or condolences with the family.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Cunningham Memorial Park, Lower Mausoleum Chapel

815 Cunningham Lane  
St. Albans, WV 25177  
(304) 727-4349

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 18. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

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

## Funeral Service

FEB 18. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Janice Mercedes Eads.* ”



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“ *144 files added to the album Life Tributes* ”



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**Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home** - February 17, 2023 at 02:42 PM



“ *Sentiments of Serenity Spray was purchased for the family of Janice Mercedes Eads.* ”



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February 17, 2023 at 01:25 PM



“ *I remember going to her house with my mom Garnett Roberts and visiting. Her sons were friends with my older brothers. She was a very sweet lady and had one of the best houses to go visit when trick or treating. She was a great asset to the Tornado community. Prayers to the family. Amy Roberts Lowery*

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**Amy Lowery** - February 16, 2023 at 09:53 AM