



Opal Louise Potesta

March 16, 1933 - March 17, 2024

Opal Louise Potesta, 91, of Charleston went home to be with the Lord on Sunday, March 17, 2024 at her residence.

She was born in Leon, WV to the late John and Mary Plants Jenkins. She was also preceded in death by her husband of 57 years, Silvi Potesta; infant daughter and brothers, William, Earl, Clinton, Howard, Charles and James Jenkins.

Opal was employed as a Buyer for the former Diamond Department Store and retired from the former Kelley's Men Shop in Charleston. She was a member of St. Anthony's Catholic Church, Charleston.

Surviving are her special nieces, Kim Potesta-Pauley; nephews, Timothy Potesta, Ron Potesta (Terry); niece, Carlotta Yonkers and numerous other nieces and nephews.

Funeral service will be held at 11:00 a.m., Thursday, March 21, 2024 at Bartlett-Nichols Funeral Home, St. Albans with Father Thomas Kalapurackal officiating. Entombment will follow in Cunningham Memorial Park, St. Albans.

Visitation will be from 10 to 11:00 a.m. Thursday prior to the funeral service at the funeral home.

The family would like to give a special thanks to Gloria Ferrell, Doris Kowgill, Barbara Widdecombe, Stacy Tolbert and HospiceCare for all their love and support during this difficult time.

In lieu of flowers she suggested a donation to St. Anthony Catholic Church, Capital Improvements Fund, 1000 6th Street, Charleston, WV 25302.

You may visit Opal'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 Potesta family.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 21. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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

Funeral Service

MAR 21. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *(little) Opal Jenkins Hamshaw lit a candle in memory of Opal Louise Potesta*



(little) Opal Jenkins Hamshaw - March 19, 2024 at 11:08 PM

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Rest in heavenly peace 🕊 Aunt opal

(little) Opal Jenkins Hamshaw - March 19, 2024 at 11:11 PM

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“ *Jenkins nieces purchased the Country Basket Bl ooms for the family of Opal Louise Potesta.*



Jenkins nieces - March 18, 2024 at 06:34 PM