



# Phyllis Ann Blankenship

August 30, 1933 - May 21, 2020

Phyllis Ann Blankenship, 86 of Hurricane passed away Thursday, May 21, 2020 at Braley Care Home, Hurricane.

She was born in Putnam County to the late Harry Franklin and Flossie Joy Watterson Fisher. She was also preceded in death by her husband, William C. "Bill" Blankenship; sisters, Mary Holley and Virginia Black; brothers, Harry L., Granville M. and Robert E. Fisher.

Phyllis was Clerk and Carrier for the United States Postal Service, Hurricane with 30 years of service. She was also a custodian for the Putnam County Board of Education with 11 years of service. She was a member of the Order of the Eastern Star # 116, Hurricane for over 50 years.

She loved her grandchildren, working in her garden and going for long walks.

Surviving are her loving son and daughter-in-law, Robert "Bob" and Ruth Blankenship of Scott Depot; grandchildren, Kelly M. Gibson (Justin), Rachel N. Blankenship and Robert Blankenship (Kelcie); great grandchildren, Abigail, Hallie, Lilly and Emmy.

A private service was held at Valley View Memorial Park, Hurricane with Dr. Ed Grant and Dr. Ellis Conley officiating.

The family would like to give a special thank you to Chris Braley and his staff for taking such wonderful care of Phyllis over the last several years. Also they would like to give a special thank you to the nieces and nephews that showed a lot of love and compassion though our mom's illness.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests donations to HospiceCare, In Memory of Phyllis A. Blankenship, 1606 Kanawha Blvd., West, Charleston, WV 25387.

You may visit Phyllis'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 Blankenship family.

# Previous Events

## private service

MAY 23 (ET)

Valley View Memorial Park

2466 Main Street

Hurricane, WV 25526

# Tribute Wall

BD

“ So sorry to hear about your mom. She was a special lady, full of energy and an extremely hard worker. I enjoyed talking with her after school at Hurricane Middle.  
*Brenda Dlugos*

B. Dlugos - June 30, 2020 at 06:13 PM

GK

“ Bob, so sorry to hear about your moms' passing.... she was funny and sweet and a great bread baker!  
*Keeping you and your family in my prayers.*

Gancie Kearns - May 24, 2020 at 01:39 PM

DW

“ Sorry to hear of Phyllis passing, she was a bright light at the hurricane post office, her smile and quick wit are some of my best memories.

Donna Wageman - May 23, 2020 at 05:03 AM

Jl

“ I will always remember her smile and laugh at the post office !!! Comfort blessings to her wonderful family --- she was loved !!!



Jill - May 22, 2020 at 07:48 PM

BR

“ Our condolences to the family, Bob, Ruth and all! Phyllis was always so full of life!  
*God Bless you and comfort you!*

Becky Robertson - May 22, 2020 at 02:55 PM

DG

“ Phyllis love you and thanks for all the wonderful memories. They make me smile.  
*Condolences to the Blankenship family.*  
*Deanna and Dave Gillispie*

Deanna Gillispie - May 22, 2020 at 01:49 PM

DL

“ So sorry for your loss. Phyllis was a sweet lady and she new EVERYONE! God Bless your family 🙏❤️

Dorenda Moses Lee - May 22, 2020 at 01:22 PM

AR

“ Ashley Reed lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Ann Blankenship



ashley reed - May 22, 2020 at 12:28 PM

BW

“ Barbara Wyant lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Ann Blankenship



Barbara Wyant - May 22, 2020 at 08:24 AM

SJ

“ Bobby, remembering your wonderful mother and wishing you comfort. I have so many memories of your Mom at church during my teenage years. She had such a sweet smile and was always so kind and thoughtful.

Sandy (Holley) Johnson - May 22, 2020 at 08:14 AM

KN

“ Kathy Neeley lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Ann Blankenship



kathy Neeley - May 21, 2020 at 11:14 PM

KN

worked with her a few times, nice lady and a hard worker RIP Phyllis

kathy Neeley - May 21, 2020 at 11:16 PM



“ *Robin Varallo lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Ann Blankenship*



**Robin Varallo** - May 21, 2020 at 10:31 PM

JM

“ *My daughter and I adored Phyllis. We met while working at West Teays. Wonderful lady. Prayers for her family at this difficult time.*

**Julie Marino** - May 21, 2020 at 10:24 PM

RC

“ *Rex And Charlotte lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Ann Blankenship*



**Rex and Charlotte** - May 21, 2020 at 08:58 PM

HB

“ *Harold And Sue Bennett lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Ann Blankenship*



**Harold and Sue Bennett** - May 21, 2020 at 08:25 PM

O1

“ *Order Of The Eastern Star Hurricane 116 lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Ann Blankenship*



**Order of the Eastern Star Hurricane 116** - May 21, 2020 at 08:25 PM

TA

“ So sorry for your loss, she will always be Mom to me.  
Teresa Allison

Teresa Allison - May 21, 2020 at 08:07 PM



“ Mary Payne lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Ann  
Blankenship



Mary Payne - May 21, 2020 at 07:38 PM

PS

“ Philip And Gail Scott lit a candle in memory of Phyllis Ann  
Blankenship



Philip and Gail Scott - May 21, 2020 at 07:37 PM

RC

*I'll miss and have for years being called Fritz Mondale followed by a burst of sturdy  
burst of laughter.  
We've lost another GOOD ONE*

Rex Clagg - May 21, 2020 at 09:04 PM