

BETTY G. MORRIS-BURROUGHS

Heaven received another angel on February 16, 2013 as Betty G. Morris-Burroughs, 81, of Charleston, formerly of Marmet, passed away at Charleston Area Medical Center after a brief illness.

She was born May 4, 1931 in Nicholas County, WV to Burke Grose and Mary Woods Grose. She was one of five children being raised on a farm on Armstrong Creek in Nicholas County. Betty was predeceased by her parents; her brothers Darrell Lee and Robert Hamilton; and her husband of 42 years, Harry Lee Morris. She is survived by her husband of 10 years, Edward Deward Burroughs; her sons Darrell Lee (Janet) of South Charleston and Lonnie Wayne of Dunbar; brother Roger Ellison of Charleston; sister Freda Christine Cutlip of St. Albans; granddaughter Lauren Narciso Morris of South Charleston and several nieces and nephews.

She was a member of Marmet First Baptist Church for many years where she participated in numerous committees and groups within the church. Betty retired from West Virginia State Tax Department. Prior work experiences included Campbell Oil Tool, CAMC and Kanawha Valley Hospital. Betty was a devout Christian and an inspiration to many with her strong faith. She was a loving mother, a devoted wife, and a wonderful grandmother and mother-in-law. Betty was an outgoing woman with a great sense of humor and a very hard worker.

The family would like to thank Dr. Duncan, Dr. Lilly, Dr. Lewis, Dr. Johnston, and Dr. Tierney for their care of Betty.

There will be a visitation at Marmet First Baptist Church on Wednesday, February 20 from 6:00-8:00pm. Funeral service will be at 2:00pm on Thursday, February 21 at White Funeral Home in Summersville, WV with Pastor Dana Gatewood officiating. Interment will follow at Walker Memorial Park. Friends may call one hour before the service at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests donations to Marmet First Baptist Church 8716 MacCorkle Avenue Marmet, WV 25315 or Special Olympics Kanawha County 301 Kanawha Avenue Nitro, WV 25143.

