



## Briggs, Rebecca Kerns

November 8, 2011

Briggs, Gladys Rebecca Kerns, age 86 of Cameron, WV died peacefully Tuesday, November 8, 2011 at home with her loving family by her side.

She was born July 27, 1925 in Glen Easton, WV the daughter of the late Ulysses Abraham and Mary Cordelia Whetzel Kerns.

She was a Christian by faith; a loving mother, grandmother, and housewife; loved canning in the summer; baking homemade breads and sharing it with her family.

Gladys always gave to others before herself; loved time with her family and talking the Bible.

She will be sadly missed by all whom knew her; she was one special Mother for sure.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Harrison James Briggs; seven brothers, Hugh, Cecil, Archie, Curtis, Harley, Paul, and Friend; three sisters, Goldie Riggs, Gertrude, and Baby Kerns; a step-daughter, Pauline Dobbs; and two great-grandchildren, Tawny Lynn Marling, and Breigh Dobbs.

Survivors include four sons, Jack (Sue) Briggs, James Briggs, Roger Briggs, and John (Patty) Briggs, all of Cameron; four daughters, Margaret (Don) Robinson of Louisiana, Mary Barger, Patricia (Gary) Allen, and Sarah (Scotty) Marling Minton, all of Cameron; a sister, Dessie Truex; son-in-law, Dale Dobbs of Moundsville; sixteen grandchildren, Ronald, Gary and David Dobbs, Glenda

Coffield, Robert and Jimmy Hollister, Michelle Lacaze, Stephanie Williams, Jeff Allen, Richard and Jerry Marling; Keely, Brittany and Kacie Briggs, Lisa Briggs Simms and Becky Briggs. ; twenty-one great grandchildren; several great-great grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Family will receive friends on Friday from 2-4 and 7-9pm at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 400 Jefferson Avenue, Moundsville where funeral services will be held Saturday at 11am with Larry Holtz officiating.

Interment in Highland Cemetery, Cameron..

# Tribute Wall

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“ You are the dearest mother one could have, you made me respect and be tough in life, I will miss you so so much, but I know you are in heaven with daddy now. We all love you mom. God will help us make it through this world and meet our needs and then one day we will all rejoice and meet again.

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**Sarah &Scotty Minton** - November 10, 2011 at 06:30 PM

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“ ~Love and miss you dearly Grandma!~

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**Lisa and John Simms** - November 10, 2011 at 02:23 PM

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“ Thinking of each and every one of you and the love your Mom had for her family. I only remember good things about your Mother. You are a precious family and you will have one another to lean on.Love and Prayers,Jim, Mona & Family

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**James & Mona Shepard** - November 09, 2011 at 02:08 PM