



Delma Bernice Garrison

September 12, 1914 - January 14, 2014

Garrison, Delma Bernice, 99, of New Martinsville, WV, died Tuesday, January 14, 2014 at Genesis in New Martinsville.

She was born September 12, 1914 in Marion County, WV, the daughter of the late Harrison and Essie Myers Gump.

Delma was a member of New Martinsville United Methodist Church; United Methodist Women; and Eastern Star Chapter 50, New Martinsville. She loved to read, quilt and grow roses.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Hugh C. Garrison on September 11, 1971; four brothers and two sisters.

Survivors include two daughters, Janice (Richard) Rawe of Knoxville, TN and Mary Sue (Daniel) Beckley of Longmont, CO; four grandchildren, Krystal Mackey, Bill Mackey, Eric Rawe and Amy Rawe; 6 great grandchildren; and a sister, Isolene Michael of Morgantown, WV.

Family will receive friends on Friday from 12 p.m. until time of funeral service at 1:00 p.m. at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 751 Third Street, New Martinsville, with Pastor Melissa Shortridge officiating.

Interment in Greenlawn Memorial Park, New Martinsville.

Our heartfelt thanks to Diana Wade for her Special Loving Care.

Memorial contributions may be made to New Martinsville Public Library, 160 Washington Street, New Martinsville, WV 26155.

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Memorial Park

N. State Route 2
New Martinsville, WV 26155

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 17. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Grisell Funeral Home - New Martinsville
751 Third Street
New Martinsville, WV 26155
(304) 455-1800
<https://www.grisellfuneralhomes.com/>

Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Mary Sue, Janice, and family. Your Virginia relatives remember Delma very fondly. She was a kind and gentle lady. I remember Hugh fondly as well. And, I trust they have been reunited.*

Hunter Hollar (also for my mother, Thelma, and my brother Barry)

Hunter Hollar - January 23, 2014 at 09:54 AM

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“ *Sending my condolences to Mary Sue, Janice, and the Family. I can close my eyes and remember being in your Mom's kitchen as we made cole slaw for supper. We were having dinner at your house before a game. I was so honored to be invited and included. She was an amazing seamstress--whipping up our basketball cheering uniforms--six full circle skirts and fitted vests--tailored to fit each girl. Did we feel spiffy! Thank you, Delma. Carolyn Wells Simsarian*

Carolyn Wells Simsarian - January 18, 2014 at 11:28 AM

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“ *Aunt Delma was loved and admired. She was a great cook and no one could make better pies than she could. May your many happy memories give you comfort in this time of sorrow. Joe and Vanessa Belcastro*



Joe & Vanessa - January 15, 2014 at 08:33 PM



As Joe and Vanessa stated Aunt Delma was a very special person and Aunt. She was my and my sister Eileen's Aunt on both sides of our family she was my Dad's sister and Uncle Hugh her husband was my Mom's brother I used to call their daughters Mary Sue and Janice my double cousins. Eileen and I would love to be able to come to WV we cannot but our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Aunt Delma we sure will miss you Apple Pie she could make the best one it melted in your mouth, I sure wish I could have had you teach me how to make pie dough because mine is terrible. We will always cherish your memories. Love Wilma Lea and Eileen and families

Wilma Lea Walker - January 17, 2014 at 08:07 AM