



## Hulda Mae Cramer

February 26, 1935 - July 23, 2024

It is with great sadness that we share the passing of Hulda Mae (Wassum) Cramer on July 23, 2024, at the age of 89, with her son David, by her side. Sadly, David passed away 3 days later on July 26, 2024. Hulda was born February 26, 1935 in Evans City, Pennsylvania, the daughter of the late Lawrence and Kathryn (Swanson) Wassum. In addition to her parents, Hulda was preceded in death by her husband, Richard T. Cramer, and son-in-law, James Rapinz.

Hulda is survived by her two sons, Larry (Cyndie) Cramer and Ken (Sandy) Cramer; her daughter, Suzy Rapinz and daughter-in-law, and Juli (David) Cramer; her sister, Ann (Larry) Palm; nine grandchildren, Suzie (Romaric), Katie, Brad (Jackie), Ian (Emily), Tom, Megan (Brian), Jenny, Michelle (Noel), and Emily; and six great-grandchildren, Grace, Hannah, Victoria, Isabelle, Jackson, and Maeve, as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

Hulda grew up in Newton Falls, Ohio, and was a 1953 graduate of Newton Falls High School. Hulda married Richard (Dick) Cramer on January 21, 1956, and together they had four children. Hulda was a homemaker and stay-at-home mom. She moved with her family to New Martinsville, West Virginia in 1968, and the family joined the First Presbyterian Church, where Hulda was active with the church choir and youth group. She was also a member of the Presbyterian Women's group, where she served as the treasurer for many years. Hulda volunteered at the Steelton Grade School library, and was known and loved by many of the students. As a self-taught pianist, she was able to

put that skill into action playing piano for her daughter's third grade play. Hulda was a proud band mom, and attended all the Magnolia High School football games and band competitions and was a member of the Band Boosters.

Hulda continued to be active in her children's lives even as they graduated from high school and college and started families of their own. She loved traveling and she went on multiple cruises and camping trips. She loved traveling with her family and went on many trips with her children and grandchildren. Hulda embraced everything in life with a free and happy spirit. One of her most cherished moments was serving as a flower girl at her granddaughter Megan's wedding this past April. Hulda's laughter, warmth, and support made every moment special, and she is deeply missed by her family and all those who knew her.

Family will receive friends on Saturday, September 7, 2024, from 12:00 NOON until 1:00 PM at Grisell Funeral Home & Crematory, 751 Third Street, New Martinsville, West Virginia, with a Memorial Service held at 1:00 PM.

# Cemetery Details

## Grisell Crematory

Moundsville, WV

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

SEP 7. 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/>

## Memorial Service

SEP 7. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Grisell Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Hulda Mae Cramer*



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**Grisell Funeral Homes** - September 05, 2024 at 04:59 PM



“ *171 files added to the album LifeTributes*



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**Grisell Funeral Homes** - September 05, 2024 at 12:46 PM

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“ *Jim & Claire Blatt planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Hulda Mae Cramer.*

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**Jim & Claire Blatt** - September 05, 2024 at 09:51 AM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Hulda Mae Cramer.



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“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Hulda Mae Cramer.



August 26, 2024 at 04:30 PM



“ I will miss her comments on FB, longtime friend. ❤️

@Marion Stemple - July 30, 2024 at 09:45 AM



“ The most beautiful woman! I am blessed to have been her friend!!

Lisa Rapinz - July 30, 2024 at 08:22 AM