



Mary G. (Gregory) Phillips

January 27, 1926 - December 20, 2013

Mary G. (Gregory) Phillips, 87, of Town Hill, died late Friday evening, December 20, 2013 at Geisinger Medical Center, Danville, where she had been a patient since Monday.

Born January 27, 1926 in Harveyville, Luzerne County, she was a daughter of the late Clarence M. and Mabel (Jones) Gregory. She was preceded in death by her two husbands: Lee F. Sorber in April 1950 and Ira C. Phillips in December 1988.

She attended the one room school at Harveyville and later graduated from Shickshinny High School in 1943.

Mrs. Phillips worked as a seamstress and had been employed by the former D&M Dress Company and later Aikens Dress Company in Berwick. She had also worked for the Wise Potato Chip Company in Berwick. She retired around 1978.

She was a member of the Town Hill United Methodist Church. She was a past president of the American Legion Auxiliary, Post 495, Shickshinny for three terms. She was also a member of the ILGWU.

Mrs. Phillips was well known for her pie baking.

Surviving, are her daughter, Beverly L. Sorber, of Town Hill; 2 brothers: James A. Gregory, of Zieglerville and David C. Gregory, of Perkiomenville; 2 nephews that she raised: Larry Davenport and his wife, Mary, of Berwick and Kenneth Phillips and his wife, Linda, of Mountaintop.

In addition to her parents and husbands, she was preceded in death by 2 brothers: John and George Gregory and by two half siblings: Milton Gregory and Carola Harvey.

Memorial Services will be held at a later date and will be announced by the McMichael Funeral Home, Inc., Benton. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in her memory to the American Legion Auxiliary, Post 495, 575 S. R. 239, Shickshinny, PA 18655.

Tribute Wall

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