



Ruth V. (Hoffman) Buckwalter

May 21, 1923 - June 25, 2012

Ruth V. (Hoffman) Buckwalter, 89, of Third Street, Benton, died Monday, June 25, 2012 at her residence surrounded by family.

Born May 21, 1923 in Linfield, Montgomery County, she was a daughter of the late Hans and Ruth V. (Babel) Hoffman. She was preceded in death by her husband, Jesse T. Buckwalter on January 4, 1993.

Mrs. Buckwalter had lived in Trappe, Montgomery County until 1993 when she moved to Benton. She had assisted her husband with the operation of his sawmill in Trappe, PA for many years.

She was a member of Benton Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) and the Christian Women's Club of the Church. She was also a member of the Benton Pot Luck Club and was known for her crocheting and for the numerous afghans that she made.

Surviving are her two daughters: Janet C. Kriebel and her husband, Richard, of Benton; Deborah J. Hess and her husband, Owen, Benton; 6 grandchildren: Faith Schlichter and her husband, Kevin; Scott, Wendy and Kristen Kriebel; Jessica Geffken and her husband, John; and Jeremy Hess and his wife, Shanna; 11 great grandchildren and a sister, June Moser, of Lincoln, Delaware.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by a sister, Marion Kolessar and by a brother, James Hoffman.

Funeral Services will be held Sunday, July 8 at 4 P.M. at the McMichael Funeral Home, Inc., 4394 Red Rock Road, Benton (Rt. 487) with the Rev. Dr. David A. Mansfield, her pastor, officiating. A viewing will be held Sunday, July 8 from 2 P.M. until the time of the service at the Funeral Home. Graveside services will be held Monday, July 9 at 11:30 A.M. at the Brethren of Christ Church Cemetery, Graterford, Montgomery County, PA. In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made in her memory to the Benton Christian Church, Disciples of Christ, P. O. Box 264, Benton, PA 17814 or Columbia Montour Home Hospice, 410 Glenn Ave., Suite 200, Bloomsburg, PA 17815.

Cemetery Details

Brethren of Christ Church Cemetery

Graterford, PA

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 8. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

McMichael Funeral Home, Inc.
4394 Red Rock Rd.
S.R. 487
Benton, PA 17814
(570) 204-0858
info@mcmichaelfuneralhome.com

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *McMichael Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ruth V. (Hoffman) Buckwalter*



McMichael Funeral Home, Inc. - June 25, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BO

“ *BonnieHousewart)Young lit a candle in memory of Ruth V. (Hoffman) Buckwalter*



BonnieHousewart)Young - July 04, 2012 at 12:10 PM

BB

“ *Bill Bathel lit a candle in memory of Ruth V. (Hoffman) Buckwalter*



Bill Bathel - June 30, 2012 at 04:47 PM



“ *Deb, Owen and Families,
So sorry for the loss of your Mother and Grandmother. She was a
great lady with a great family!
Lots of love to you all,
Brian, Steph and Chase Brooker*

Stephanie Brooker - June 27, 2012 at 09:10 PM

LA

“ *Deb, Owen Janet, Rich and the entire family,
Our heartfelt sympathy to all of you in the loss of Ruthie. She has
left a legacy of love and strong beautiful family values that glue a
family together and will be passed on from generation to generation.
Her wonderful smile and warm heart will be miss by everyone.
God Bless,
With love,
The Alberts Family*

Lyn and Glenn alberts - June 27, 2012 at 06:50 AM

MC

“ *Debbie & Owen, So sorry for your loss.
Art & Memie Christie*

Memie Christie - June 26, 2012 at 11:43 AM

BK

“ *Janet & Debbie and families,
Our sincerest sympathies go out to you all. Will be praying for you
during this time of grief and loss.
Love,
Roger & Bonnie(Buckwalter) Krout*

Bonnie Buckwalter Krout - June 26, 2012 at 08:14 AM

VK

“ Dear Families...SO very SORRY for your GREAT LOSS of your Mother and Grandmother...know our thoughts,prayers and love are with all of you.

Love, Veronica Snyder Kile and Kermit Kile and Helen Snyder

Veronica Snyder Kile - June 25, 2012 at 10:59 PM

LB

Janet and Dick,
Sorry to Learn of the passing of Mrs Buckwalter after an obvious full and caring lifetime. As with all of us her legacy is measured in large part by the quality of the family she leaves behind. She was an exceptional lady. Our best to both of you.

Loren & Jane Bly

Loren L. Bly - June 26, 2012 at 06:07 AM

OH

Just wanted to say thank you for being my second mom. With out Deb I would have never had the opportunity of knowing you for the last 42 years..Rest in peace your home now.

Owen Jr.

Owen Hess - June 29, 2012 at 08:18 AM