



Emma Jean Black

Emma Jean Black Psalms 23 "The Lord is my shepherd." The writer of Psalms, King David made a choice "The Lord is my shepherd" He was Lord each and every day. Emma Jean made the same choice; her lifelong desire was that everyone would make the same choice. Emma Jean Black, 77 of Huntington, born January 10, 1935 and died May 21, 2012 was the daughter of the late Mary Jane Poole Dean and Dock Dean of Kenova. In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by her beloved husband of 58 years, Gene Black; four sisters, Carrie Sisler, Carol Kelley, Billie Dove Skaggs, and Stella Bocook; seven brothers, Charles Dean, Paul "Pat" Dean, Jason Dean, James Dean, Clarence Dean, Dock Dean, Jr., and Bill Dean; and triplet grandsons, Jason, Jacob and Josh Black. Emma Jean was a devoted wife and mother always taking care of her family. She is survived by two daughters and sons-in-law, Rebecca and Randy Davis of Huntington, WV and Plura Jane "Sis" and Tim McClanahan of Catlettsburg, KY; two sons and daughters-in-law, Rev. Richard and Lisa Black of Kenova, WV and Robert Michael and Kathy Black of Huntington, WV; her sister, Juanita Brown of Ceredo, WV; a brother-in-law, Gary Black of Huntington, WV; her grandchildren, the sunshine of her life, Dr. Billy and Kelly Rutherford, Ricky Black, Randy and Erin Black, Charles Ryan Davis, Zachary Michael Black and Sarah Elizabeth Black all of Huntington, WV; her precious great grandchildren, whom she loved with all her heart, Liam Jack Rutherford, Michael Gene Black and Julia Belle Rutherford; a special loving sister-in-law, Sandy Lincoln of Huntington, WV

and numerous nieces, nephews and friends; her special loving lifelong friends, Paul and Charlotte Roach of Huntington, WV and Les and Bonnie Kelly of St. Mary's, WV. Emma Jean attended Trinity Chapel Church in Lavalette, WV and loved her Lord. In addition to being a homemaker she helped her husband and retired from Gene's Automotive Service. The family sends a special thank you to her doctor and friend, Dr. C. Dewayne Tackett for his loving kindness to our family as well as his professional care and to the staff at HIMG. The family would also like to say a special thank you to the staff of St. Mary's Medical Center for their kindness, support and care. The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. Thursday, May 24, 2012 at the Spirit of Faith Church, 1800 Sycamore St. in Kenova, WV. Funeral services will begin at 1 p.m. at the church with Rev. Sam Peters officiating and Rev. Greg Wells assisting. Burial will follow in Hillcrest Cemetery, Kenova, WV. Pallbearers will be Jeff Dean, Ricky Black, Randy Black, Zack Black, Charlie Davis and Gary Black. Memorial donations may be made to the Emogene Dolin Jones Hospice House, 3100 Staunton Road, Huntington, WV 25702. Rollins Funeral Home in Kenova is assisting the family. Online condolences may be expressed at www.rollinsfh.com. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life: and I will dwell in the house of the Lord forever.

Tribute Wall

JS

“ To Becky, Plura and the entire Black family,
I am so sorry about the loss of your mom. I remember her when I
was in high school and she was a wonderful lady. I know you have
great memories and they will last forever. Prayers to you.

Jill Songer - June 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ Emma Jean will be greatly miss by all of us at Trinity Chapel
Church. Mary and I will keep your family in our prayers.

Greg and Mary Wells - June 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ Plura, I am so sorry for your loss. I have thought of you and your
mother and wondered how things were going. You and your family
are in my prayers.

Teresa Finley Childers - June 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ It was such an honor and priviledge to take care of your mother
while she was on our floor. She always had a smile on her face and
positive words to say to everyone. She absolutely loved her entire
family and her great grand babies especially but a smile on her
face. I will be praying for you all. It's very obvious that she is in
Heaven holding your daddy's hand.

Heather Hagley - June 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ *My sweet cousins, I know what pain you are going thru and the relief and peace you know she has now. Our family gardens are growing so fast, it's unbelievably! But, we know we will have that peace one day! I love you all. I'm sorry I was out of town till last night.*

Donna Falls - June 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM