



Gertrude Beck Newman

April 6, 1922 - July 15, 2012

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Gertrude Beck Newman, age 90, of Morrilton, passed away Sunday, July 15, 2012. She was born April 6, 1922, in Solgohachia, a daughter of Searove and Elizabeth Gangluff Zimmerman. She was a retired textile worker and a member of St. Mary Catholic Church.

Survivors include her daughters, Mary (Norbert) Burgener of St. Vincent, Betty (Billy) Gilmore of Plumerville; six grandchildren, sixteen great-grandchildren, and seven great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, husbands Frank J. Beck and Ezra "Doc" Newman; two brothers Alex and Victor Zimmerman; and sisters, Sue Parcell, Geneva Oxford, Mable Boudra, and Annie Barnes.

Funeral Mass will be 10:00 a.m., Wednesday, July 18, at St. Mary Catholic Church, with Father Jim Burnie officiating, with burial at St. Mary Cemetery by Harris Funeral Home of Morrilton. Visitation will be from 6:00-7:00 p.m. Tuesday evening at the funeral home with a rosary to follow at 7:00 p.m.

Tribute Wall



“ *Gertrude Beck Newman*

January 30, 2023 at 02:08 AM



“ *Mary & Betty Ann, I am so very sorry to hear of your Mother's passing. Betty Ann, I remember her, from when we worked at Corner Drug. And Mary, I remember you talking about her, when we worked at ESD.. You & your families are in my thoughts & prayers. May God give you comfort & strength, during this difficult time. Judee Stacks Stephens*

Judee Stacks Stephens - June 29, 2018 at 09:41 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. You are all in my prayers.*

Anna DuVall - June 29, 2018 at 09:41 PM



“ *Mary and Betty, Just know that you and your entire family will be in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. Heaven has gained another angel.*

Cindy Reynolds Upchurch - June 29, 2018 at 09:41 PM

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“ All my love to this precious family. Sammie was an absolute joy to visit with in the Nursing Home, and I looked so forward to seeing her. She was the sunshine in my day, and we shared many laughs over many things. Our most favorite thing to talk about, beside her wonderful family and daughters, was the cinnamon rolls at Brown's Restaurant in Russellville. We would laugh and she would say, "I ate the whole thing and even had ice cream on top". I always teased her about getting to go so often and I did not. What a beautiful and special woman she was. I will miss her so much, but girls, she will always be close in your heart. I thank God for the time I had to spend with her. God Bless you all.

Becky Lewandowski - June 29, 2018 at 09:41 PM



“ We are so sorry for your loss. Remember you have some wonderful memories of your mother. I know you will miss her greatly. Mothers are a wonderful gift. Howard and I live in Hot Springs Village and I hope to visit with you Mary some time when I am passing through to the cemetery.

Sincerely,
Lou Ann and Howard Buell
501-915-8219

July 17, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Love and prayers are with all of you during this difficult time but just know she is happy with her other loved ones and being in Our Lord's company.

July 16, 2012 at 12:00 AM