



## Betty J. Furia

May 24, 1925 - September 20, 2016

Betty J. Furia, 91, of Uniontown, and formerly of Greensboro, Pa., died Tuesday, September 20, 2016 at the Horizon Personal Care Home in Fairchance, following a brief illness. Her daughter, Janice, granddaughter Megan and niece Cindy were at her bedside at her passing. Born in Greensboro on May 24, 1925, she was the daughter of the late William and Goldia (Marshall) Phillips.

A 1943 graduate of Mapletown High School, Betty began her long career for the U.S. Postal Service in 1955 as a clerk, and retired as Postmaster of the Dilliner Post Office in 1987 after 32 years of service.

Her enthusiasm for life was well known. She loved going to Ruby Tuesday with her daughter for a “Ruby Relaxer” – her favorite drink. She also enjoyed her many trips to the Meadows and Lady Luck. Betty loved slot machines, scratch off lottery tickets, and playing her favorite Pick-4 lottery numbers. To quote the daughter of a dear friend, “Betty had a lot of good innings” in her 91 years on Earth, and, as Betty stated many times, “I’ve had a good life.”

Her husband, Angelo Furia, passed away in 2008. Also deceased is her son, Bradley G. Furia; grandson, Geoffrey M. Dankovich; and brother, Austin Phillips.

Left to cherish her memories are her daughter, Janice L. Dankovich, with whom she made her home; a granddaughter, Dr. Megan Dankovich and her husband Dominic Argentieri of Rockville, MD, and their daughters, Sonya and Sibyl Argentieri; a nephew, Bill Phillips of Pittsburgh,; a niece, Cindy Kovach and husband Andy of Morristown, NJ; and her “granddogs” Bruiser and Belle. Betty also leaves behind many friends, old and new, who loved and cherished their time with her.

Friends will be received in the Richard R. Herod Funeral Home, Point Marion, on Friday from 2 – 4 and 6 – 8 PM, and Saturday from 9 – 11 AM, the hour of service, with Rev. William Parker officiating, and a special blessing offered by Fr. Nicholas Argentieri. Honoring her wishes, there will be no graveside services. Private interment will be in Greene County Memorial Park, Jefferson, Pa.

The family would like to extend special thanks to the owner and staff of Horizon Personal Care Home for the compassion and care provided to Betty during her brief stay. Thanks also to Amedisys Hospice for the expert care given to her and for the emotional support provided to the family.

Memorials may be offered to the Guiding Eyes for the Blind, Amedisys Hospice of Masontown, Pa., or the Greene County Humane Society, where Betty adopted her beloved Roscoe.

# Cemetery Details

## Greene County Memorial Park

PA Route 188 at T610  
Jefferson, PA 15344

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **23**. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Herod-Rishel Funeral Home  
501 Morgantown Street  
Point Marion, PA 15474  
(724) 725-5245  
rishel@atlanticbb.net  
<https://www.herod-rishel.com>

## Visitation

SEP **23**. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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## Visitation

SEP 24. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Service

SEP 24. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ My name is Kristen Furia and I am Betty and Geno Furia's first grandchild. I also have a son, their great-grandson and we both miss her very much. She was a wonderful woman but was influenced by certain members of our family who wanted everything that she had. Her love and the time my son and I spent with her meant more than any amount of money. Geno, my son who is named after his grandfather (Betty's husband Angelo aka Geno), misses them everyday and cherishes the memories of the times that we enjoyed with them for years. We love love and miss you Nan and Pap!

Kristen Furia - February 07, 2023 at 08:00 PM



“ Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Betty J. Furia.



September 23, 2016 at 10:15 AM



“ Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Betty J. Furia.



September 22, 2016 at 11:48 AM

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“ *Nancy, John and Fr. Nick purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Betty J. Furia.*



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**Nancy, John and Fr. Nick** - September 22, 2016 at 10:19 AM