



Dorothy E. Keilbach

February 4, 1920 - July 25, 2019

Dorothy E. Keilbach, 99, of Dilliner, (Moffit-Sterling), Pa. passed away peacefully Thursday, July 25, 2019 at her daughter's home in Carmichaels, where she had resided for the past three years. Her Lord and Savior called for her saying, "Well done, my good and faithful servant." Born in Outcrop, Pa. on Feb. 4, 1920, she was a daughter of the late Ralph and Ruby (Wilkinson) McLaughlin.

She was a dedicated member of the Mount Pleasant United Methodist Church in Dilliner, and the United Methodist Women and Quilter's Circle. Dorothy was well known in the area for the beautiful quilts and delicious pies that she made. An avid fan of the Pittsburgh Pirates, she loved quilting, crocheting and baking, and always had a suitcase packed for an adventure. Dorothy was a home demonstrator for many years, and later a dietician assistant at Ruby Memorial Hospital. She was sharp and alert up to her last day, and always a pleasure to talk to and visit with.

Surviving are her three children and their spouses, Phyllis and Joe Golik of Elizabeth, Pa., Deborah and Bud Swaney of Carmichaels, and Duane and LouAnn Keilbach of Elijay, Georgia; ten grandchildren, 23 great-grandchildren and ten great-great-grandchildren. Her family considers her to be "a classic example of an awesome and loving lady."

Her husband of 51 years, Philip J. Keilbach, passed away on July 30, 1987. Also deceased are two brothers, Grover "Kip" and George McLaughlin, and a granddaughter, Rebecca Lyn (Robson) Benamati.

The family will receive friends in the Richard R. Herod Funeral Home, Point Marion, on Sunday, from 2 – 4 and 6 – 8 PM, and Monday in the Mount Pleasant United Methodist Church, 292 Mt. Pleasant Road, Dilliner, from 10 until the 11:00 A.M. hour of service, with Rev. Regan Fike officiating. Interment follows in Wolf's Cemetery, Dilliner.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be offered to the Mount Pleasant United Methodist Church, % Neila Vernon, 443 Dilliner Hill Road, Dilliner, PA 15327.

Cemetery Details

Wolf's Cemetery

160 Cemetery Hill Road
Dilliner, PA

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 28. 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

JUL 28. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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501 Morgantown Street
Point Marion, PA 15474
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Visitation

JUL 29. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Mount Pleasant United Methodist Church
292 Mount Pleasant Road
Dilliner, PA 15327

Service

JUL 29. 11:00 AM (ET)

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292 Mount Pleasant Road
Dilliner, PA 15327

Tribute Wall

JT

“ We the members of the February Fourther's club will miss her and fondly remember her for her cheerful smile and frequent attendance at our annual event. We send condolences to her family and friends.

Joey Teets - February 01, 2020 at 11:41 AM

DZ

“ Dot was one of the sweetest ladies I have ever known. I have lots of pictures of her & my Dad at the reunions. They are all together now & missed by so many. Dot is at peace with her Lord. Love to all!!!!

Debra (Emme) Zaher - July 27, 2019 at 10:33 AM



“ Comfort & Light 30" Sonnet was purchased for the family of Dorothy E. Keilbach.



July 26, 2019 at 08:18 PM



“ Cross Wind Chime - Bronze was purchased for the family of Dorothy E. Keilbach.



July 26, 2019 at 08:09 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Dorothy E. Keilbach.*



July 26, 2019 at 07:47 PM



“ *Jay & Mary Kirkpatrick purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Dorothy E. Keilbach.*



Jay & Mary Kirkpatrick - July 26, 2019 at 10:35 AM



“ *To Debbie and family...you all are in our thoughts and prayers. May God's promise of eternal life comfort you. ❤️*

Gene and Cathy Barno - July 26, 2019 at 06:17 AM



“ *Guiding Light Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dorothy E. Keilbach.*



July 25, 2019 at 05:31 PM



“ *To Deb I am so sorry of your loss. Prayers go out to you and your family on healing .*

Charlotte Tedrow - July 25, 2019 at 05:25 PM

TB

“ To Debbie and all of her family. You have my sincere sympathy.



Teresa Bellish - July 25, 2019 at 04:50 PM

LI

“ Our family has so many wonderful memories of this special lady. She was a pillar in our community for many years. She was very kind and loving to everyone. Dorothy taught me what it was to be a strong woman and have faith in the Lord. We will personally miss her wit and wisdom.

Lisa - July 25, 2019 at 03:39 PM

LS

“ She was a very special Lady that I will miss greatly, watching and playing Let's make a Deal and her beating me at the Price is Right. There are so many things I can say , so I will just say I love you Dorothy and until we meet again....

Lori Shuppe - July 25, 2019 at 03:32 PM

LS

So sorry to hear this. She is by far one of the most beautiful individuals that lived with us in Moffitt and so many wonderful memories we all have of her and her family. Prayers for all her family. She will be so greatly missed. Another ANGEL and rightfully so <3

Linda Standish - July 25, 2019 at 05:06 PM

RL

I have good memories of Mom K. I enjoyed playing cards with her every time that Phyllis and I visited with her. So glad that I was able to visit with her last year when I was up North. She was an inspiration to me.

RoseMarie Little - July 27, 2019 at 12:02 PM