



Betty Benfield Gibbs

Feb. 7, 1932 - Nov. 29, 2017

Betty Benfield Gibbs, 85, of Morganton passed away Wednesday, November 29, 2017. Born in Burke County, NC on February 7, 1932, she was the daughter of the late James Rufus Benfield and Ella Ann Anthony Benfield. Betty was a member of Salem United Methodist Church and she enjoyed dancing, crocheting, and being with friends.

Betty is survived by a daughter, Peggy Ann Wilson of Morganton; 4 grandchildren; 6 great-grandchildren; 6 great-great-grandchildren; and a sister, Jackie Ollis.

In addition to her parents, Betty was preceded in death by her husband, Olen A. Gibbs; 2 sons, Clarence and Ronnie Gibbs; 2 brothers, Clarence and Guy Stamey; 3 sisters, Barbara Franklin, Beulah Durham, and Margaret Powell; and an infant brother.

The family will receive friends from 11 a.m. to 12 p.m., Saturday, December 2, 2017 at Salem United Methodist Church. The funeral will be held at 12 p.m. in the church with the Rev. Norman E. Jones officiating. Burial will follow in the church cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Salem United Methodist Church, 1206 Salem Road, Morganton, NC 28655 or to Office of Development, Shriners Hospitals for Children, 2900 Rocky Point Drive, Tampa, FL 33607.

Sossoman Funeral Home and Crematory Center is assisting the family with the arrangements.

Tribute Wall

No tributes added yet.