



## Bertha Mae Hays

March 4, 1936 - June 7, 2011

Bertha Mae Hays, 75, of Butler, PA, went to be with her Lord and Savior on Tuesday, June 7, 2011 at VNA Inpatient Hospice.

She was born March 4, 1936 in Herman, PA, the daughter of the late Charles E. Porter Sr. and Pearl (Barrett) Porter.

Bertha attended Community Alliance Church. She loved spending time with her family and her adopted family. She loved her Lord. She was a waitress for many years, worked in home care with many patients and was a pharmacy tech at Rite Aid for 7 years. She was a member of VFW Post 249 Women's Auxiliary.

Surviving are her husband, John "Jack" G. Hays; 4 daughters, Pamela (Richard) Miller, Lori (Kenneth) Meredith, Loretta (Randy) Bachman and Robin (Richard) Bargo all of Butler; a son, Ronald (Debb) Maire of IN; 14 grandchildren and 10 great grandchildren; a sister, Harriet Maxwell of Butler; a brother, John Porter of AZ; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was also preceded in death by 6 sisters and 3 brothers.

A memorial service will be held Friday, June 10 at 1PM at the Community Alliance Church, 800 Mercer Rd., Butler.

In her own words, Bertha requested that in lieu of flowers, all contributions may be made to the VNA Hospice, 115 Technology Dr., Butler, PA 16001.

Arrangements by Young Funeral Home, Ltd., Butler.

# Tribute Wall



“ Dear Lori and Family,

*I am so sorry for your loss. May the love and prayers of others be of comfort to you at this time.##imported-begin##Theresa##imported-end##*

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June 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Dearest Loretta & Family,

*We who know you-know how beloved family is to you and so we express our deepest sympathy to all of you, but also praise God for the child HE has brought home to HIM.##imported-begin##Nancy and Terry##imported-end##*

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“ Dear Cousins, and Uncle Jack,

*Our hearts may be sad by the loss of our Beautiful Bert. She touched all of us in special ways that each of us will carry in our hearts forever. Remember we may not be able to talk or see her any more but She is with us allways.*

*Love Always Patrick & Claudia##imported-begin##patrick & Claudia Shaughnessy##imported-end##*

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“ We have been blessed to know Bert all these years as neighbors and friends. Many times I talked to her when things would weigh me down. She would always take time to listen, and say something like, "It will be OK, God promised No cross too heavy to bear." I can't even begin to tell you how many times I hear those words in my head. Many times I still draw strength from this. Take this with you as I have and you will see in times like these. I will miss my hugs and kisses on the cheek. I'll miss you Bertie. Tell Mom I love her.##imported-begin##Bob Wymer##imported-end##

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“ Dear Jack and family,

*I was so sorry to hear about Bert's passing. I wanted to come to the service, but had to work. I just wanted to tell you how warm and friendly Bert always was to me over the years, She was always so much fun to talk to. I will never forget her. All my best to you and your family during this difficult time.##imported-begin##Terri (Spohn) Dixon (Walt & Louise Spohn's daughter##imported-end##*

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June 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ Robin & Family....we are so sorry for you loss. We will be praying for comfort for you all during this tough time. Love, Randy, Donna & boys##imported-begin##Donna Root##imported-end##

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June 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM



“ To the Hays Family:

*I am writing to offer my deepest sympathy to you because of the loss of Mrs. Bertha Mae Hays. It is so sad when someone you loves dies. Yet comfort from God's Word assures us that this is temporary.*

*Because we enjoy our dear loved ones, we want to be with them forever. May you find comfort in knowing that this is our heavenly Father's will too, that all in the grave will hear his voice and come out to a resurrection. (John 5:28,29)##imported-begin##Evelyn Hall##imported-end##*

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