



Joyce Irene Hilliard

May 28, 1937 - June 24, 2023

Joyce Irene Hilliard, 86, of Butler, passed away Saturday, June 24, 2023 at her residence.

She was born May 28, 1937 in Zelienople, the daughter of the late Russell and Edna (Willetts) Keefer.

Surviving are five sons, Charles (Gloria) Hilliard of Clintonville, Louis (Rebecca) Hilliard of Butler, Michael (Sharon) Hilliard of Butler, William (Kathy) Hilliard of Butler and Russell Hilliard of Butler; number of grandchildren; great and great-great grandchildren; a sister, Alice Leonberg of Mars; a brother, Jim (Lil) Keefer of West Sunbury and her friend, Laurie Festog of Butler.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Baynard Hilliard, who died August 31, 1985, and a brother, Ed Keefer and sister Gladys Gray.

There will be no services.

Tribute Wall

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“ *May you rest in healthy peace my friend. I'm glad we were friends. Will never forget you. You were my best friend Big T. (Big Trouble) My nickname for you and I was 'Little T. We went through a lot. Especially you. Forever in my heart. Til we meet again.*

Laurie Festog - July 04, 2023 at 06:30 PM

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“ *I am sorry to know of Joyce's passing. I knew her to be consistently cheerful and a lot of fun to talk with. I'm going to miss her. Deepest sympathy to Mike and all her family and friends. May she enjoy blissful eternal rest.*

Gina Klopfer - June 26, 2023 at 08:07 PM