



Lois E. Best

December 22, 2007

Lois E. Best, age 81, of Butler, died at 9:25 PM on Saturday, December 22, 2007 at Good Samaritan Hospice at Concordia.

She was born Tuesday, October 5, 1926 in Erie, PA, the daughter of the late James B. Flynn and the late Neva Townsend Flynn.

She was a member of Faith United Presbyterian Church. She enjoyed playing bridge, traveling, loved listening to music, playing violin and clarinet, golfing, dancing, sewing, crafting and cooking. She was a 1949 graduate of Penn State University, with a major in Home Economics and a minor in Science. She belonged to the Butler County Home Economics Club.

She retired as a Home Economics teacher, having taught in Evans City from 1949-1960 and at Mars High School from 1962-1983.

Surviving are her husband, C.W. "Jim" Best of Butler whom she married August 12, 1950; twin daughters, Mrs. William (Sandra) Gamble of Butler and Mrs. David (Sally J.) Settimio of Altoona; her son, Richard and his wife, Lynne Best of West Sunbury; 10 grandchildren; 2 sisters, Mrs. Bob (Ruth) Bell of Erie and Mrs. Richard (Patty) Metzgar of Durham, NC; and her brother, James Flynn of California.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a sister, Phyllis Guerin.

Friends will be received from 2-4 and 7-9 PM on Wednesday, December 26 at the Young Funeral Home, Ltd., Butler, PA. Services will be held at the funeral home on Thursday, December 27, 2007 at 11 AM with Rev. James Campbell, retired pastor of Faith United Presbyterian Church officiating.

Entombment in the Butler County Memorial Park.

Contributions may be made to the Good Samaritan Hospice or the Skilled Nursing Unit at Concordia, 134 Marwood Road, Cabot, PA 16023.

Information available at www.youngfuneralhomes.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Lois was a good friend and will be missed. Our condolences go to Jim and the family.*

Mary and Jim Griffin##imported-begin##Jim & Mary Griffin##imported-end##

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“ *Our sincere condolences to Sally and family during this difficult time. Our thoughts & prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Lynn and Ron Nagle##imported-end##*

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“ *My thoughts and prayers are with all of you.*

I knew Lois from PASR and my visits with Marcia Semple to your home. As a former teacher in the Mars Area Middle School, I also knew Lois because of school in service days.

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“ Dear Uncle Jim, Rick, Sandy & Sally,

This is hard to believe... however a wonderful lady has joined our Father in heaven and on the first day of winter, the shortest day of the year, which probably seemed like the longest day of your lives. I can't be there in person but wanted to tell you I am thinking of you all.

In remembrance: the excitement of the birth of the "twins" and I couldn't wait for you to grow up so I could come and help Aunt Lois take care of you. I looked forward to and loved every summer going to your house for 3 weeks. I had new food experiences like "ice milk" instead of ice cream. And the home made ice cream at the church social across the big street from your house. And we all know Aunt Lois was famous for putting onions in her fried potatoes or anything and I always picked them out one at a time... this always made her laugh.. Well guess what... now I like onions too. I miss the good old days and remember all the fun we had. I really loved Aunt Lois a lot. I will be thinking of you all in the days to come. And you are the only family that called me DeeDee.

Blessing on all of you today and always.

Gods Peace to Aunt Lois. Let's get in touch.

Love, Diana###imported-begin###Patrick & Diana Rollins###imported-end##

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