



Eva C. Church

October 10, 1921 - April 6, 2017

PECK: Eva Cecelia Church, age 95, died Thursday April 6, 2017 at Milestone Manor in Croswell.

She was born October 10, 1921 in Flint, daughter of the late Thomas & Mariah (Hartley) Martindale. She and Robert B. Church were married April 25, 1941 in Detroit. He passed away January 6, 1990.

In addition to being a loving mother and grandmother, along with farming, she ran a nursing home for over 20 years and helped with the family egg business. She also had foster kids for a number of years.

She is survived by two sons, Robert V. (Mary) Church and William A. (Bonita) Church both of Croswell; two daughters, Sharon (Lyman) Beach of Waterford and Nancy Woodruff Pringle of Peck; 10 grandchildren, Sally (Paul) Overland of Lexington, Deann (Pat) Schultz of Tennessee, Dale Beach of Pontiac, Robert (Mindy) Church of Croswell, Richard Woodruff of Croswell, Jeremy (Jodi) Woodruff of Jeddo, Matthew (Lynsie) Woodruff of Howell, Dan Woodruff of Burtchville, Eva (Carter) of Croswell, and Jon Church of Lexington; many great grandchildren, and great great grandchildren; sister in law Jenny Martindale.

Eva was preceded in death by her 3 brothers, Tom, Earl, and Roy Martindale, and 3 sisters, Ester Kimmel, Donna Alexander, and Bernice Martindale.

Funeral Services will be 11:00 AM Tuesday April 11, 2017 at the Pomeroy Funeral Home, Croswell. The Rev. Nick Genoff, pastor of Buel U. Methodist Church, will officiate. Burial will be in the Christian Memorial Cemetery, Peck.

Visitation will be 2- 8 PM Monday and 10 – 11 AM Tuesday at the funeral home.

Cemetery Details

Christian Memorial Cemetery

Peck, MI

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **10**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Pomeroy Funeral Home - Croswell
6 S. Howard Ave.
Croswell, MI 48422
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Tribute Wall

BG

“ As a young person, I was at Church's frequently with friend Sharon. Eva was always cheerful and very busy. I loved her cute giggle and good nature. She made the best food (second only to my mom, Ha!) I remember her making crepes. I thought that was a lot of work for how fast they disappeared. Delicious. Eva will always be remembered with fondness. My sympathy goes out to her children.....Sharon, Bobby, Billy and Nancy. God be with you.
Barb Perry Goetz
May 2, 2017

Barbara Goetz - May 02, 2017 at 08:17 PM

FK

“ from Tennessee DeAnn & Pat & kids purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of Eva C. Church.



from Tennessee DeAnn & Pat & kids - April 09, 2017 at 09:42 AM

DS

“ Grandma loved Canaries, singing old church hymns, and caring for others. She taught me how to love. I will miss her. Every time I hear "brining in the sheaves" or a bird sing I think of her.
DeAnn Beach-Schultz



DeAnn Schultz - April 09, 2017 at 08:30 AM

RW

“ *Eva was one of the best Sunday School teachers at Buel. She taught little ones about God and was just like everyone's grandmother. God has taken a good lady home to Heaven.*

Ruth Walls - April 08, 2017 at 11:42 PM

GC

“ *Our Aunt Eva was terrific person. As a little boy, to me her home was food heaven. Never so many different kinds of things and so much of it for each meal. She could bake and cook anything better than just about anyone, and always so tasty. She was a marvel. Cant remember a time she wasn't neat and tidy, no matter how hard she worked, and her home was very neat. Her home was a place people liked to come to visit. She overcame polio and still worked hard as a farm wife raising 4 active kids & a very demanding husband. Even in her "golden years" she had a quick wit and was good with an amusing aside. She was a person who often had a smile on her face. I'll never forget our Aunt Eva. - Garry Church (nephew)*

gl church - April 08, 2017 at 06:13 PM

KG

“ *Kathleen Genaw lit a candle in memory of Eva C. Church*



Kathleen Genaw - April 07, 2017 at 09:37 AM

KG

“ *Eva was always so willing to help anyone. My husband and I we're visiting her and she gave us a glass of grape juice. I had told her I wanted to learn how to make it. The next time we visited she showed me how to do it. I always know how to make my own grape juice thanks to Eva. Sorry for your loss. She has a wonderful family and her Legacy lives on and you.*

Kathleen Genaw - April 07, 2017 at 09:36 AM