



Mary Frances Bobich 'Frances'

March 7, 1944 - June 4, 2024

Big Stone Gap, VA-

Mary Frances Bobich 'Frances' age 80, passed away on Tuesday, June 4, 2024 after a long a courageous battle with her declining health.

Frances was born in Wise County Virginia the daughter of the late; John Henry Phillips Sr. and Martha Kerns Phillips, she was one of eight children. Frances was a devoted mother and caretaker of her children, grandchildren, and siblings. She worked as a bus driver for the Wise County School System until her retirement. She will be deeply missed by all her family and friends.

In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by daughter; Mary Frances Craft, son, Steve Craft, sisters, Helen L. Craft, Judy Vaughn, & Brenda Ramey, brothers, John Henry "Bud" Phillips, & Gene Phillips.

Left to cherish her memories are sons, Mike Craft, Wendell Craft and wife Brenda, Tim Craft, Chris Craft and wife Missy, & Nicholas Bobich, grandchildren, Leslie Ingle, Ashley Craft Sturgill (Brandon), Melissa Craft, Tiffany Craft, Brittany Craft Jennings (Paul) , Stephen Craft, Cody Craft (Shelby),& Olivia Bobich, ten great- grandchildren, brother, Scott Phillips and wife Margaret, Joyce Edwards and husband Johnny, Angie Phillips, along with several other nieces, nephews, close relatives and friends.

The family would like to express their gratitude for the care received from her time at Ridgecrest Manor especially her beloved granddaughter Ashley.

The family will receive friends on Monday, June 10, 2024 at Holding Funeral Home (17 E. 3rd St. N.) from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. for the visitation.

The funeral service will be conducted following in the funeral home's chapel with Bro. Curt Flanary officiating.

Her committal service will be held following In Powell Valley Memorial Gardens.

Pallbearers will be: Nick Bobich, Tim Craft, Wendell Craft, Chris Craft, Cody Craft, & Stephen Craft, honorary pallbearers : Mike Craft, & Josh France

An online register is available for the family at www.holdingfuneralhome.com

Holding Funeral Home of Big Stone Gap, is honored to serve the family of Frances Bobich.

Cemetery Details

Powell Valley Memorial Gardens

5650 Powell Valley Road
Big Stone Gap, VA 24219
(276) 679-0030

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 10. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Holding Funeral Home, Inc.
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Funeral Service

JUN 10. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Holding Funeral Home, Inc. created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Frances Bobich 'Frances' ”



Holding Funeral Home, Inc. - June 10, 2024 at 11:50 AM

 Lisa Stultz

It's hard to believe that it's been 40 years since I first remember meeting Frances. She became like a mom to me and a treasured friend. I'm grateful for all the memories of her that I have.

Lisa Stultz - June 15, 2024 at 03:15 PM

 RM

I love the video and I loved her dearly from her niece Robin

Robin Mullins - October 06, 2024 at 06:53 PM

 MH

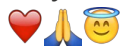
“ KNOWN THE FAMILY QUOTE A FEW YEARS ..I LOVE THEM ALL ..I AM SO SORRY FOR Y'ALL'S LOSS. HEAVEN GAINED AN ANGEL ..REST IN PEACE FRANCES. LOVE YOU ALL ”



Michelle Hobbs - June 09, 2024 at 01:49 PM

MB

“ Francis was a beautiful caring lady so sorry for your loss prayers for the family and friends



Melinda Bowman - June 06, 2024 at 03:25 PM

ML

“ I drove a school bus with her and her sister, wonderful women. My thoughts and prayers go out to her family God bless all

Miranda lunsford - June 05, 2024 at 09:07 PM

TS

“ Tiffany Stidham lit a candle in memory of Mary Frances Bobich 'Frances"



Tiffany Stidham - June 05, 2024 at 06:30 PM