



Frances Riggs

October 24, 1926 - January 6, 2015

Frances Riggs, 88 of Ashland, died Tuesday January 6, 2015 at Hospice Care Center. She was born October 24, 1926 in Wytheville, VA the daughter of the late Charles E. and Evelyn Poston Aker. She was a co-founder of Rigg's Machine Shop, attended Bridges Christian Church and was a homemaker. She was also a member of the birthday girls club; loved gardening, antiques and glassware; loved her Kentucky Wildcats; and loved being around her family especially the grand children, great grandchildren and great great grandchildren. In addition to parents, she was also preceded in death by her husband, John A. Riggs; a sister, Betty Wright; two brothers, Charles E. Aker and George W. Aker; a granddaughter, Belva Louise Coburn; and a great grandson, Jonathan Tucker Riggs. She is survived by three daughters, Shirley Coburn and husband Don of Ashland, Carolyn O'Neal and husband Ron of Catlettsburg, and Ellen Jane Burgett of Longwood, FL; one son, John Bert Riggs and wife Irene of Ashland; one sister, Mary Ward and husband Roy of Ashland; eight grandchildren, Ron, Robbie, Kelly, Scott, Brian, Traci, Lisa, and Johnny; 18 great grandchildren; two great great grandchildren; and a very special caregiver, Cindy Riffe of Boyd County, KY. Funeral services will be conducted 1:00 PM Friday January 9, 2015 at Miller Funeral Home with Pastor Mark McKinney and Steve Fraley officiating. Burial will follow in Ashland Cemetery. The family will receive friends from 11:00 AM until service time Friday at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to Community Hospice @ 1480 Carter Ave. Ashland, KY 41101.

Cemetery Details

Ashland Cemetery

1518 Belmont St
Ashland, KY

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 9. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Miller Funeral Home
1941 Carter Ave
Ashland, KY 41101
(606) 324-2141
jim@mhfhome.com

Service

JAN 9. 1:00 PM (ET)

Miller Funeral Home
1941 Carter Ave
Ashland, KY 41101
millerfuneralhome@windstream.net

Tribute Wall

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“ Bert, Carolyn, and Shirley,

So sorry to hear about Frances. She was a wonderful neighbor and friend. I know how you all are feeling and what you're going through, so if I can do anything just let me know.

Paul Prince - January 08, 2015 at 08:53 PM

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“ Denver And Sandy Jones lit a candle in memory of Frances Riggs



Denver and Sandy Jones - January 08, 2015 at 11:18 AM

DJ

Our Hearts are broken for this wonderful family, Praying God carries you through this very difficult time, May God keep his arms of love around you. Love and prayers.

Denver and Sandy Jones - January 08, 2015 at 11:22 AM



“ Frances was a **WONDERFUL** woman who we will miss very much! She always made Jon and I feel like we were a part of this family. She always made you feel welcomed. Everyone that knew her was truly blessed.



Kathleen Young Adams - January 08, 2015 at 07:23 AM