



Mildred E. Chest

October 10, 1923 - February 26, 2020

Mildred E. Chest, 96, of Byard Street, Johnstown passed away Wednesday February 26, 2020 at Nathan Littauer Hospital, Gloversville surrounded by her loving family.

She was born in the Town of Florida on October 10, 1923 a daughter of Clarence and Ethel Hillman Ouderkirk and was educated in the Town of Glen. Mildred was a lifelong area resident and lived in St. Johnsville before moving to Johnstown.

Mrs. Chest was employed as a textile dyer at Palatine Dye for several years.

She enjoyed dancing, garage sales, and browsing through Avon books. Most of all, Mildred enjoyed spending time with her family and friends.

In addition to her parents, she was predeceased by a daughter, Colleen; two brothers, Clarence and David; and three sisters, Shirley, Beatrice, and Carolyn.

Survivors include her children, Cheryl A. Sitterly of Bushnell, FL, Darlene L. Chest of Johnstown, and Lawrence T. Chest (Kristina) of Fultonville; a brother, Robert (Nancy) Ouderkirk of Fort Plain; a sister-in-law, Janet Ouderkirk of Palatine Bridge; thirteen grandchildren, William, Kellie, Tracey, James, Anthony, Geoffrey, Noell, Matthew, Lawrence P., Kara, Courtney, Mackenzie, and Colleen; twenty five great-grandchildren; five great-great-grandchildren; and several nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Cremation was performed at Park View Crematorium, Schenectady. Calling hours will be held on Saturday from 10 am – 12:15 pm at the Robert M. Halgas Funeral Home, Inc. 111 County Highway 106 (Corner of Route 29 & Black Street), Johnstown followed by a memorial service at 12:15 with Trustee Linda Eastman. Memorial contributions may be made to the Brennan Memorial Humane Society, in care of the funeral home.

Previous Events

Calling Hours

FEB **29**. 10:00 AM - 12:15 PM (ET)

Halgas Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall

LC

“ We were very saddend to hear about the passing of your Mother. Asking God to give you strength and the ability to remember the times she made you laugh.....Sending love to you all. Jim and Lynda Coolman..

Lynda Coolman - March 12, 2020 at 09:49 PM

SC

“ Cheryl, Darlene & Larry, we are so sad to hear about Aunt Mil. Due to distance and everyday life, we were not able to see her as much as we would have liked. But whenever we did see her, she was always smiling and welcoming with a big hug and kiss. That is just the way she always was. She will be missed but take comfort that she will be welcomed into heaven by her brothers and sisters. RIP Love Shaune & family

Shaune Collins - March 05, 2020 at 07:15 PM

SA

“ Oh she was such a nice person working with I enjoyed her company n being with her I remember her being so sweet she makes me laugh at times like her not wanting to pick up her spoon n had her meal I would just feed her n she would smile n start chatting
She was so sweet May her soul Rest In Peace

Sandy - February 28, 2020 at 09:48 PM

DC

“ Mom i am going to miss u so n i love you n i am going to miss u yelling my name in the middle of night love Darlene chest n family

Darlene chest - February 28, 2020 at 08:50 PM

KS

“ Mom, you will forever be missed! May you fly high with the Angels and Rest In Peace ! You were the greatest mother anyone could ever ask for ! We all love you so much ! Love you always and forever ! Love Larry and Family ! ❤️💋🙏

kristiana santibianchi - February 28, 2020 at 09:40 AM

MC

“ We always had something special. I am so lucky to be her granddaughter.




mackenzie chest - February 27, 2020 at 09:05 PM

BW

“ Millie was a big part of our lives growing up in St. Johnsville. Her and my mom (Betsy) were great friends and spent a lot of time together. R.I. P. Millie until we meet again ❤️❤️



Bernadette Williams - February 27, 2020 at 01:27 PM


Stephanie
Dunn

“ Stephanie Dunn lit a candle in memory of Mildred E. Chest



Stephanie Dunn - February 27, 2020 at 11:53 AM