



## Ethel Lou Chipps

October 11, 1932 - August 18, 2020

Ethel Lou Chipps, age 87, of Buckhannon died on Tuesday, August 18, 2020. She was born on October 11, 1932, in Buckhannon, WV a daughter of the late Enoch William and Minnie Gay Lantz Reed. She was preceded in death in 1983, by her husband James Chipps, and also two daughters Nellie Golden and Joyce Chipps.

She is survived by three sons: Howard Smith and Charles Smith both of Buckhannon, WV and James (Skip) Chipps of Baltimore, MD; Grandchildren: Michael Smith, Allen Smith, Amanda Golden, Shane Smith, Shawn Smith, Justin Smith, Jessica Smith, Cameron Smith and many great grandchildren; one sister Anna Ruth Johns of Greencastle, PA

Though her smile is gone forever

and her hand I cannot touch

I still have so many memories

Of the one I loved so much.

Her memory is now my keepsake

Which with I'll never part.

God has her in his keeping

I have her in my heart.

Sadly missed, but never forgotten.

# Cemetery Details

**Mt. Olive Cemetery (Hinkleville)**

## Previous Events

### Graveside Service

AUG 21. 11:30 AM (ET)

Mt. Olive Cemetery (Hinkleville)

# Tribute Wall

RS

“ HOWARD AND WILLIAM, SO SORRY TO HEAR OF THE PASSING OF YOUR MOM, LOVE AND PRAYERS. ROSE LOFTON SHOLES

ROSALEE SHOLES - August 23, 2020 at 06:16 PM

MS

“ Ethel was such a sweet lady. I consider myself blessed to have known her.

Mary Gaudet Shoulders - August 20, 2020 at 06:42 PM

JG

“ Sorry for your loss. I will always remember Ethel. She was a good friend of mine.

Janet Gregory - August 20, 2020 at 11:18 AM

EA

“ William, Sandy, and family,  
I am sorry for your loss. I remember your Mom as a sweet quiet woman. Know that all of you are in my thoughts and prayers as you say goodbye to your Mom.  
Libby(Lofton) Abel



Elizabeth Abel - August 20, 2020 at 08:22 AM

EA

goodbye .

Elizabeth Abel - August 20, 2020 at 08:26 AM

HD

“ HILDA M. DAWSON lit a candle in memory of Ethel Lou Chipps



HILDA M. DAWSON - August 19, 2020 at 07:34 PM

HD

“ I worked with Ethel at Moore Business forms and we were friends from then on. she was a really good woman with a sense of humor you had to know her well to understand. I remember when "The streaker song came out, and when she went up the aisle in finishing Dept. at Moore's the guys would stand on their machines and yell "Don't look Ethel" she took it all in good stride. she was a remarkable lady, I attended her wedding to Jim Chipps and was so glad to see her so happy, she deserved it, sadly she lost him much to soon. Heaven has another Angel tonight. Rest in Peace my friend.  
Hilda Mae Dawson

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**HILDA M. DAWSON** - August 19, 2020 at 07:32 PM

 Debi  
LaBuz

“ i knew her mostly my entire life. always thought the world of her. she always had a smile and kind word for me. we had many wonderful visits together.. she will be greatly missed. i remember her collecting elephants. i still think of her every.time i see an elephant. she was one of kind..

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**Debi LaBuz** - August 19, 2020 at 02:35 PM