



## Verma Tenney Campbell

February 8, 1916 - November 11, 2016

Mrs. Verma Tenney Campbell, age 100, of the Tennerton Community, left this earth and completed her heavenly journey, on Friday, November 11, 2016. She was born in Buckhannon on February 8, 1916, a daughter of the late Fred Isaac and Jenny Belle Barton Tenney. She was preceded in death by her husband of 69 years, John Wilson Campbell, in 2002. In addition to her parents and husband, she was also preceded in death by four sisters and one brother. Surviving are two sons: Mike Campbell and wife Beverly of Parkersburg and Steve Campbell and wife Jennifer of Chattanooga, TN; four grandchildren: Alex Campbell of Lexington Park, MD, Andrew Campbell of Franklin, TN, Evan Campbell of Marietta, OH, and Jonathan Campbell of Chattanooga; and four great grandchildren: Adyson Grace and Mac Wilson Campbell, both of Franklin, Caleb Campbell of Lexington Park, and Reagan Thorn of Parkersburg.

Mrs. Campbell was a longtime employee of Strader's Department Store in Buckhannon and was an active member of the Buckhannon Church of Christ for sixty years. She was known by many as the "Jelly Lady," having canned hundreds of jars of jelly each summer through her 98th year. She delighted in sharing her jellies and jams with many of her friends.

The family would like to express their deep appreciation to Christine Conley, who was her devoted caretaker for the past several years and to Connie Roth who gave so much love and effort to her care.

The family will receive friends at the Heavner and Cutright Funeral Chapel on Monday, November 14, 2016, from 10-11:30 AM; a funeral service will begin at 11:30 AM, with Pastor David Hawkins officiating. Interment will follow in the Mt. Carmel Cemetery at Tallmansville. In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to WV Hospice, Samaritan's Purse, or the charity of your choice.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Carmel Cemetery

Tallmansville, WV

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 14. 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

Heavner & Cutright Funeral Chapel and Cremation Services  
940 Route 20 South Road  
Buckhannon, WV 26201  
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# Tribute Wall

PS

“ Steve , Mike and family.

*I am so sorry I did not know when Aunt Verma passed or I would have been there. She will be missed. I loved her and she always was so good to me. I loved to go to Straders, she always helped me pick out some really nice things. She always gave me encouragement and helped me in many ways.*

*Patsy Sponaugle Stiltner*

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**Patsy Sponaugle Stiltner** - January 11, 2017 at 12:16 PM

ME

“ Steve and Family

*My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

*Your Mom was a sweet lady. I remember her from her many years at Straders.*

*Martha Yokum Edgell*

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**Martha Edgell** - November 14, 2016 at 02:21 PM

JT

“ A few years ago - after my father, and Verma's younger brother, Mack Tenney passed away, I visited her in home. We chatted for almost two hours. She shared a number of memories and stories with me - some quite funny. One of my favorites was about an experience she had with my father when they were quite young. One day on the very long walk home from school in the winter, they came upon a pond that had frozen over. My father, wanting to show off for his older sister, told Verma to "watch this". He then proceeded to take off running across the pond. Well, about half way out, the ice broke and he fell in, drenching himself in freezing cold water. Verma laughed out loud at her silly brother. He had a very cold walk the rest of the way home.

Verma shared many stories with me during my several visits and my telephone calls. She was always in a good state of mind no matter what her challenges. She had many physical issues as she grew older but she laughed and told me that "it is tough to kill a Tenney".

I know her family will miss her greatly but they will have many wonderful memories of the very special lady that Verma was. Here is a picture from one of my visits.



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**Jim Tenney** - November 14, 2016 at 12:35 PM

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Hi, this is Elizabeth ( king) my grandmother name is Julia Vonda Tenney King her sister Verma 🙌 I didn't kno she lived till 100 yr old.. what a strong lady.. I love Tenney sisters aunt Virginia n verma ... im try find my favorite cousin Mike Campbell... my mom name is Annabelle king. Can please email me [adserrano66@gmail.com](mailto:adserrano66@gmail.com) to find me I wld love reconnect lost cousins ♡

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**Elizabeth stewart (king)** - July 07, 2023 at 10:38 AM

MC

“ Millie Helmick Calkins lit a candle in memory of Verma Tenney Campbell



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**Millie Helmick Calkins** - November 13, 2016 at 05:48 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Verma Tenney Campbell.*



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November 12, 2016 at 04:28 PM



“ *Jim and Deborah Tenney purchased the Bountiful Rose Basket for the family of Verma Tenney Campbell.*



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**Jim and Deborah Tenney** - November 11, 2016 at 06:18 PM



“ *Jessica Miles & Kroger Business Unit purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Verma Tenney Campbell.*



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**Jessica Miles & Kroger Business Unit** - November 11, 2016 at 03:58 PM