



Evelyn P. Smith

October 17, 1921 - January 12, 2016

On Tuesday, January 12, 2016, Evelyn P. (Anselm) Smith, age 94, of Union Twp. Beloved wife of the late Homer L. Smith, Sr.; mother of Butch (Shirley) Smith and Dorothy (Paul) Shaffer; grandmother of Holly (Greg) Peiritsh, Heather (Brian) Spargur, Kari Shaffer, and Lauren (Robert) Ament. She was also blessed to have six great-grandchildren: Gabrielle, Jocelyn and Jacob Peiritsh, Autumn Spargur, and Evan and Brooke Ament. She leaves behind her brother-in-law Jack (Jane) Smith, and sister-in-law Helen Smith, as well as many nieces and nephews. She is preceded in death by her in-laws, Herman Smith, Jr. and Thelma (Ed) Bittner. Evelyn was an active member during her life at South Hills Assembly of God and James Chapel United Methodist Church, and was a strong believer in the power of prayer. A devoted Christian, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother, she also spent some of her earlier years in California working as a riveter during World War II, before dedicating her entire life to the family she loved so much. Now reunited with her husband of 61 years in the Kingdom of Heaven, her family will mourn her loss but celebrate all she now has gained. Friends received Thursday 2-4 and 6-8 pm at the GRIFFITH FUNERAL HOME, INC., 5636 Brownsville Road (at 6th St.), South Park Twp. (412) 655-4600 where services will be held on Friday at 1 pm. The family requests donations in Evelyn's name to South Hills Assembly of God. Condolences may be offered for the family at www.GriffithFH.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 14. 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Griffith Funeral Home, Inc.
5636 Brownsville Road
Pittsburgh, PA 15236
(412) 655-4600
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Visitation

JAN 14. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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Service

JAN 15. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Dorothy, Paul, and Family,

We are so sorry for your loss. Losing a parent is not easy, but we hope that knowing your dear mom is with your father brings you comfort. We had the great pleasure of meeting your sweet mother in her later years, and spending many hours with her. We will never forget her kind and happy demeanor. She had a definite "special" I call it, about her. May she rest in peace. Love you!

*Patti and Bob McCune
Downingtown, PA*

Patti and Bob McCune - January 13, 2016 at 09:34 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Evelyn P. Smith.



January 13, 2016 at 01:17 PM

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“ I have nothing but fond memories of my dear Aunt Evie. My mom misses her. She spoke to her every day and will miss her calls. I give you all the MOST love and prayers as I know she is with Uncle Homer and her family and is at peace.



Linda Smith - January 13, 2016 at 11:36 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Evelyn P. Smith.*



January 12, 2016 at 11:08 PM



“ *My deepest sympathy for your loss, Dorothy, to you and all of your family. I count it a blessing to have known your mother and will always remember her as a loving, caring Christian and a wonderful example as she shined in her love for her Lord and Savior.*

Susan Tomsic - January 12, 2016 at 09:29 PM



“ *Sorry for you loss. Praying for your family.*

Kathy Marcus - January 12, 2016 at 08:33 PM