



## Jimie Ann Rantis

April 16, 1933 - April 28, 2025

Jimie Ann Rantis, age 92, of Bluefield, WV died peacefully at her home on April 28, 2025. Born in Bluefield on Easter Sunday, April 16, 1933, she was the daughter of James and Chrysanthe Rantis. She graduated from Beaver High School in 1951, then graduated from Concord College with a business degree and from West Va. University with a Masters Degree in Business. She taught Business classes at Gulf Coast Community College, Panama City, Florida for 20 years. She returned to Bluefield in the early '80s to be near her family and friends, where she taught at Bluefield College for 5 years.

Ms. Rantis enjoyed playing cards, especially Bridge, for many years and loved to walk for exercise. She was a member of St. Mary's Orthodox Church. She was preceded in death by her parents and her oldest sister, Helen Stamoulis.

Ms. Rantis is survived by her sister, Sophia Rantis of the home, her nephew, Pete Stamoulis, Bluefield, many cousins in Greece and America, and her loving and devoted caregivers: Lisa Gammon, Cassandra Meyers, Laura Pannell, Remona Robinson, and part-time caregiver, Jennifer Repass. Special thanks to the Amedysis Hospice team members for the excellent care they provided.

Graveside services will take place on Friday, May 2, 2025 at Woodlawn Memorial Park at 11:00 AM with Father Michael Foster officiating. There will

be a Mercy Meal to follow at the Church (187 Justin Lane, Bluefield, WV, located above Harbor Freight off of U.S. 460). All are invited.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to St. Mary's Orthodox Church in memory of Ann Rantis.

Those wishing to share memories or condolence messages with the family may do so by visiting [www.MercerFuneralHome.com](http://www.MercerFuneralHome.com) Mercer Funeral Home & Crematory is serving the family of Ms. Jimie Ann Rantis.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 30. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Mercer Funeral Home Chapel  
1231 West Cumberland Road  
Bluefield, WV 24701

## Funeral Service

APR 30. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ I am so sorry for the loss of this precious lady. Her sister Helen and my Mom were in the same care facility for a few years. Such a nice family. She will be missed. 🙏💔

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**Ann Taylor** - April 29, 2025 at 10:39 PM