



## Mary Ann Albert

January 10, 2018

Bluefield, WV- Mary M. Albert, age 94, of Bluefield WV passed away Wednesday January 10, 2018 at Ruby Memorial Hospital in Morgantown, WV after a short illness. Mary was born in Bluefield, WV on October 9, 1923 to Paul and Carmella Malamisura. She graduated from Beaver High School and attended McClains Business College. She worked from an early age and was the Office manager at SS Kresge and Co.in Bluefield and she retired as a bank teller from the Bank of Tazewell County in Bluefield VA after more than 25 years of service.

She was preceded in death by her husband William E. Albert to whom she was married from June 17, 1947 until his death on June 16, 2013 as well as her sisters Margaret Weikle and Rose Pendleton, and several nieces and nephews.

She is survived by her brother Patsy Malamisura of Bluefield and her sons William E. Albert II and his wife Toni, and Randy Albert and his wife Cindy all of Bluefield. She is survived by her three grandchildren, David Albert and wife Stephanie of Dublin Ireland, Christie Gunter and husband Aaron of Bluefield, and Ryan Albert and wife Brittany of Wilmington NC. She is also survived by 5 great grandchildren, Conor, twins Cordelia and Cormac and twins Reese and Rowan and a host of nieces and nephews. She is also survived by her sister in law Ruth Albert of Greensboro, NC, whom she thought of as a sister and her longtime friend and caregiver Vittoria Lijoi, whom she considered the daughter she never had. She is also survived by a dedicated group of

caregivers who allowed her to live at home her entire life, Libby Perdue, Sherri Conley, Ronda Rose, Joanne Wishnevsky, Elaine Pettrey and Tasha Hicks all of who became a part of her family and to whom we will always be grateful. She was a devoted mother and grandmother who enjoyed cooking, walking and just simply staying on the move. She was an avid sports enthusiast and loved the Bluefield Beavers and especially enjoyed watching her sons and grandchildren compete on the field of play. She loved to travel and would go anywhere on the drop of a hat.

Mary was a lifelong member of Sacred Heart Parish in Bluefield where her funeral mass will be held at 11 AM on Monday January 15th. The family will also be holding visitation at Mercer Funeral Home from 6:00 to 8:00 PM on Sunday January 14th where a Christian Wake service will take place at 7:30 PM.

In lieu of flowers the family requests that donations be made to the Sacred Heart Church Food Pantry, 1003 Wyoming Street, Bluefield WV 24701.

Pallbearers will be Ryan Albert, Duke Albert, Rocky Malamisura, Paul Pendleton, John Mastrandrea, Aaron Gunter, and Gary Denardo.

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 of Bluefield is serving the family of Mrs. Mary M. Albert.

# Cemetery Details

## Roselawn Memorial Gardens Cemetery

Princeton, WV

# Previous Events

## Visitation

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

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

## Mass

JAN 15. 11:00 AM (ET)

Sacred Heart Catholic Church  
1003 Wyoming Street  
Bluefield, WV 24701

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Ann Albert*

October 05, 2023 at 06:08 PM



“ *Randy, I just heard the news this morning. While I never had the good fortune of meeting your mother the tributes tell a story of love, kindness, and vigor. I'm so sorry for your loss and I will keep you and your family in my thoughts and prayers. My deepest condolences.*

**Larry Cavallo** - January 15, 2018 at 08:03 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss.... thoughts and prayers are with the family.  
Tom Albert and family*

**Tom Albert** - January 14, 2018 at 10:39 PM



“ *I have known Mary for a long time and she was one special person. I know that she had great strength and a great attitude.. I am sorry for your loss. Love and prayers.*

**Dorothy Chudina** - January 14, 2018 at 03:33 PM



“ My heart was broken when I read of Mary's death. I worked with her at Bank of Tazewell County in 1965. Never will I forget her kindness and helpfulness to me as a teenager on my first job. Her sense of humor, love and support, meant more than I can express. The last time I saw her, she and Bill came by the bank to see me the day of my retirement celebration. She was with me in the beginning and end of my career as a banker. I thank God for her, my dear friend.

*Jo Jones, a "Friend - in Christ"  
Tazewell, VA*

Jo Jonees - January 14, 2018 at 10:05 AM



“ Garden Accent - "My Mother kept a garden..." was purchased for the family of Mary Ann Albert.



January 13, 2018 at 07:24 PM



“ Aunt Mary will be greatly missed! She always held a special place in my heart. I loved our visits to see her and Uncle Bill! She had such energy and was always so welcoming and kind. I will treasure the many special memories. Rest in peace sweet Aunt Mary!  
love, Sharon Albert Hicks

Sharon Hicks - January 13, 2018 at 10:36 AM



“ We have many fond memories of Mary especially those of watching baseball games and our get togethers! She was

Gary and Daveen Denardo - January 13, 2018 at 09:14 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Ann Albert.*



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January 13, 2018 at 07:47 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss. You never get over losing your mother. Cherish your memories.*  
*Pat Cassidy*

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**Pat Cassidy** - January 12, 2018 at 07:27 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Ann Albert.*



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January 12, 2018 at 02:43 PM



“ *Bill and family ~*  
*I am so sorry for the loss of your mother. I will keep you in thoughts and prayers over the days, weeks and months to come. Cherish your memories...*  
*Alva (Cassidy) Jones*  
*Sumter, SC*

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**Bob/Alva Jones** - January 12, 2018 at 01:54 PM



“ *Serene Reflections Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Ann Albert.*



January 12, 2018 at 12:47 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Mary Ann Albert.*



January 12, 2018 at 12:16 PM



“ *Randy & Cindy, Billy & Toni and families; We are sorry for the loss of your Mom(grandmother) she was one of a kind. A very loving and always giving person, doing anything she could for others was what she strived to do all the time. Aunt Mary thought she could never do enough for anyone while she was in the process of going out of her way to help you. Every time we would visit Aunt Mary made us feel so welcome we always enjoyed our visits. What a great cook she was and a good sense of humor! I can image the wondrous reunion between Uncle Bill & Mary, such a beautiful love story was their life. We mourn with you in our earthly loss, yet her heavenly gain. May God comfort you with your loving memories. Love, Joy Albert Nester & son, Bernard.*



**Joy Nester** - January 12, 2018 at 04:04 AM

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“ *Bill, Randy and Family,*  
*I am sorry to hear that your sweet and fiery momma is no longer with us. I loved her outspoken zest for life from the first time I met her. Mary and I would walk the city park while Ryan and Ian were practicing little league football. At that time, She was in her 70's and I was half her age. It was all I could do to keep up with her. I loved Both Mary and Bill. They were amazing people. I'm glad they together now. Sending my heartfelt condolences on your loss. Her memory will stay with me for many years to come.*

*Vanessa Godfrey*

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**Vanessa Godfrey** - January 11, 2018 at 08:09 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Ann Albert.*



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January 11, 2018 at 09:08 AM