



Pauline Cregger Jacobs

May 15, 1925 - January 10, 2012

Pauline (Polly) Cregger Jacobs, age 86, of Salisbury passed peacefully into God's hands on January 10, 2012 at Genesis Eldercare after a long battle with Alzheimer's disease.

Mrs. Jacobs was born May 15, 1925 in Saltville, VA to the late James M. and Mable Cumbo Cregger. She graduated from Saltville High School, where she was a star basketball player. She earned her RN degree from Roanoke Memorial Hospital. Nursing was her passion and she enjoyed many years of nursing at Rowan Memorial Hospital, the Veterans Hospital and for Dr. Kyle Black.

Polly was married for over 50 years to the love of her life, James L. (Jake) Jacobs, who died on October 27, 2004. As long as she was able, she was an active member of Landmark Church and was formerly an active member of Park Avenue Methodist Church.

Surviving are her sister-in-law and caregiver, Yvonne Potts Cregger, several nieces and nephews and her long time, faithful friend, Peggy Cress. She was preceded in death by brothers James, Fred and Garland Cregger and sister Thelma Williams, Lucille Cheek and Dorothy White.

Memorial services will be held at the mausoleum at Rowan Memorial Park on

Friday, January 13, 2012 at 2:00 PM conducted by pastor Mike Robinson of Landmark Church. Visitation will follow the memorial service.

Memorials may be made to Donor's Choice.

Heartfelt thanks are extended to the staff at Genesis Healthcare for their friendliness and kindness toward Polly.

Tribute Wall



“ Mrs. Polly was a very sweet lady and will be missed greatly. When I was real little Mrs. Polly and her husband Jake wold babysit me, and was the kindest woman and loved having me. I know when Id walk threw the hallways of Genisis she didnt remember me and it broke my heart but Im glad shes no longer suffering and is in Heaven with Jake.##imported-begin##Anna Bogle##imported-end##

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