



Mary Ann Brightwell

October 21, 1937 - June 6, 2018

Mary Ann Brightwell, 80, of Nitro WV ascended into heaven with her family by her side on Wednesday, June 6, 2018.

Mary Ann was born October 21, 1937 in Nitro WV to the late Cecil and Beulah Goodall. She was also preceded in death by her brother Johnny Bill Goodall.

She was a graduate of Nitro High School, class of 1955. She attended First Baptist Church of Nitro and was a former member of Otterbein United Methodist Church.

Mary Ann was a devoted wife to the love of her life of 60 years, H. E. "Gene" Brightwell; and loving mother to 3 children, Gary (Mary), Pam (Steve) and Eric. As a wife and mother, she dedicated her life in support of her family, in which she built an eternal foundation of love and happiness.

Besides her husband and children, she is also survived by the light of her life grandchildren; David, Alex and Daylen Brightwell, Justin (Amber) Cavender and great grandchildren, Layla and Easton.

A celebration of Mary Ann's life will be held at 2:00 pm Monday, June 11, 2018 at Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home, St. Albans with the Rev. Bobby Goldsburg officiating. Burial will be in Cunningham Memorial Park, St. Albans.

Friends may call from 3 to 5 pm Sunday at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers the family suggest donations to the American Heart Association, PO Box 15120, Chicago, IL 60693.

You may visit Mary's tribute page at chapmanfuneralhomes.com to share memories or condolences with the family.

Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home, family owned and located at 409 Sixth Ave., St. Albans is honored to serve the Brightwell family.

Cemetery Details

Cunningham Memorial Park

815 Cunningham Lane
Saint Albans, WV 25177

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 10. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (ET)

Bartlett-Chapman Funeral Home
409 Sixth Avenue
St. Albans, WV 25177
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Funeral Service

JUN 11. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Ann Brightwell*

October 06, 2023 at 08:41 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mary Ann Brightwell.*



May 02, 2020 at 09:05 AM



“ *Gene and family,*

We are so sorry for your loss. We didn't know Mary Ann well, but feel she was a "special" person, loving wife, good mother - a positive influence in raising such a beautiful family - children to be proud. I did enjoy our chats when we did meet up. We liked having your family as our neighbors, if only for a short time. We were all "Baker" parents and involved in Little League at some time - a time we were all a part of. Years fly by, but memories are forever. Mary Ann will be missed by many. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family at this very sad time.

Don and Pat Lewis

patricia I. lewis - June 13, 2018 at 03:47 PM

BC

“ *Gene and family,*

Tim & I are so sorry for the loss of Mary Ann. We are sorry we can't be there for the funeral but hope to catch up with you when we come back up to visit Tim's family. We are praying for the family.

Bobbie & Tim Carper

Barbara Carper - June 10, 2018 at 11:20 PM

SI

“ *Steve W. Iman lit a candle in memory of Mary Ann Brightwell*



Steve W. Iman - June 09, 2018 at 11:31 PM

SI

Gene. Sorry for your loss. Prayers will lessen the pain.

Steve W. Iman - June 09, 2018 at 11:35 PM

ST

Gene, Gary, Pam, and Eric, My condolences go out to all of you on the death of Mary Ann. While it may have been expected, I know there is an aching hollow void left with her passing. The only thing more precious to her than you was her God. Certainly there is peace of mind in the midst of your pain to know she is in the presence of her Savior.

My apologies for not being at the viewing or service. I thought the viewing was at one today but the paper said it was yesterday. My schedule did not allow me to come for the funeral. I am so sorry for this mix-up.

Again, my heart goes out to all of you. If there is anything I can do please do not hesitate to reach out to me.

Steve Thornton

steve thornton - June 11, 2018 at 02:24 PM

DT

Gene, sorry to hear of your loss, having lost my wife recently, I can relate to your sadness, stay strong my friend.

Don Tulloh

Don Tulloh - June 12, 2018 at 10:39 PM



“ 62 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Chapman Funeral Homes - June 09, 2018 at 02:38 PM

PT

“ To my classmate and friend: Gene, we all are saddened with the passing of Mary Ann. May I offer, in behalf of our Class, sincere condolences to you, family and friends. May the Good Lord bless and keep her.

Phil Tulloh, Class President

Phillip Tulloh - June 09, 2018 at 10:38 AM

SP

“ My deepest heartfelt sympathy to all of her family she was a great mother and next door neighbor may she rest in peace

Suzanne Preston - June 08, 2018 at 10:33 PM

SP

“ Suzanne Preston lit a candle in memory of Mary Ann Brightwell



Suzanne Preston - June 08, 2018 at 10:30 PM

ER

“ Best Mother a Son could ever have.

Eric - June 08, 2018 at 02:42 PM