



Emily Pauline Francis

September 21, 1929 - February 22, 2016

Emily Francis, age 86, of Newport, passed away Monday, February 22, 2016. She was of the Baptist faith.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Clinton Francis; parents, Ben and Vernie Epley; brothers, Oliver (Doc) Epley, Ben Epley, Jr., and Wilburn "Bill Jack" Epley; sister, Dora Jane Keys, Mary Samples, Annie Butler, and Jean Clevenger.

She is survived by her children, Glen (Margaret) Francis of Rogersville, Clinton (Lynn) Francis, Jr., of Dandridge, Jan (Bill) McMahan of Newport, Treva Ford of Newport, Donnie (Teresa) Francis of Newport, and Darrell Francis of Newport; sister, Lillie Mae Holt; twelve grandchildren, thirty four great-grandchildren, six great-great-grandchildren, several nieces, nephews, and other family and friends.

Funeral Services will be at 7:00 pm on Thursday, February 25, 2016 in the Manes Funeral Home with Rev. Steve Blanchard and Rev. Rob Chambers officiating.

Burial will be at 11:00 am on Friday, February 26, 2016 at Resthaven Memorial Gardens.

The family will receive friends from 5-7 pm on Thursday at Manes Funeral Home prior to the services.

Family and friends may sign the guest register online at www.manesfuneralhome.com.

Arrangements by Manes Funeral Home.

Tribute Wall



“ *Emily Pauline Francis*

November 17, 2022 at 06:00 PM



“ *To all of Miss. Emmy's Family: So sorry to hear of Miss. Emmy's passing. She was a wonderful Neighbor and friend for many, many, years. We didn't get to make it to the viewing. Our hot water heater went out and we had no hot water. Our thoughts and prayer*

Christie Williams - February 27, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *So sorry to learn of your loss. She is now at peace. No more pain. We will keep the family in our thoughts and prayers.*

Kay and Kim Gregg - February 26, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *Emily Pauline Francis*

Keva Moss Shorter - February 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ *Prayers for your family during this time of loss your mom was a special women heaven has a wonderful angel*

trayce mantooth - February 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AJ

“ So very sorry for the loss of your beloved mother, Jan and Treva. I will be praying for all the family at this difficult time. May God bring you all much comfort and peace. Angie Jones

Angela Harrison Jones - February 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

AJ

“ Angie Jones has sent this Expressions of Sympathy card.

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RC

“ Jan, Bill and I are so sorry to learn of the passing of your mother. We pray that our Heavenly Father, will surround you and your family, with his loving care, comfort and peace! Donnie & Bill collett.

Rev. Wm. and Donnie Collett - February 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ Emily Pauline Francis

Jimmy Hux - February 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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AM

“ *Jan and family, I was sorry to hear about your mother. You have been such a faithful caregiver and daughter to her. I will be praying for your family. Alice, Cheyenne, and Christian*

Alice Ford Miller - February 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

DD

“ *Emily Pauline Francis*

Danny and Gwen Dover - February 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PD

“ *So sorry for your loss Hold on to those wonderful memories*

paula dunn - February 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *Emily Pauline Francis*

Jan Carpenter - February 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Jess, Pat and Bryon Moss - February 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LH

“ *Emily Pauline Francis*

Louise Hux - February 25, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CD

“ *we will miss you*

cisco dockery - February 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

EC

“ *Sorry to hear about your mom.*

Eddie Carrell - February 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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TD

“ *Emily Pauline Francis*

Tiffany Dover - February 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *Our deepest sympathies. Our prayers are with you.*

Janie and Ray Suttles - February 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PL

“ *Sorry for your loss.*

Peggy W. Lane - February 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

PW

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you now and in the days ahead..*

Parker & Nanette Wilds - February 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LM

“ *Jan sorry for your loss*

Liz McNabb - February 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SD

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you all. Love you!*

Steve, Delana, Ethan and Kennedy Dishner - February 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LC

“ *Randy and I are so sorry to hear of Emily's passing. Praying for all of the family.*

Libby Clark Clevenger - February 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

LB

“ *Love and prayers for you and yours - I understand your pain - but hope you can find contentment in the peace that she is made whole again. Our Heavenly Father made all things new.*

Loretta Ball - February 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

FE

“ *It is never easy to lose someone you love so dearly. Your family is in our thoughts and our prayers. I believe that you were blessed to have been a member of this family.*

Fletcher and Penny Ervin - February 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *I know that this is a bittersweet time, but God will fill your mind with wonderful memories left behind by a Godly mother. My prayers and thoughts are with you as you celebrate her homegoing.*

Joy Hopkins - February 24, 2016 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ *So sorry to read of Emmy's passing. The family is in my thoughts and prayers.*

Carolyn Maloy Fox - February 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ *Emily Pauline Francis*

Sarah Hartsell - February 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ *We are very sorry for the loss of your loved one. Our thoughts and prayers are with all the families at this difficult time.*

Mary Ann & Jay Chrisman - February 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

SJ

“ *My deepest sympathies go to the Francis family. May God wrap his loving arms around you and give you strength during this difficult time.*

Shanessa Johnson - February 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *Emily Pauline Francis*

James Williford - February 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *So sorry for your loss. All of you are in my prayers.*

Janie Holt - February 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM