



Jessie Walker Bruce

October 23, 1926 - January 1, 2016

Jessie Walker Bruce, 89, of Hurt passed away Friday, January 1, 2016 at Centra Lynchburg General Hospital in the presence of her family.

Jessie was born October 23, 1926 to Lula Arthur Walker and Walter Coles Walker. She was married to Morris Thomas Bruce who preceded her in death.

She is survived by three daughters, Brenda Collie (Garry) of Altavista, Kathy Clay (Jack) of Hurt, and Connie Krantz (Kirk) of Lynch Station; a sister, Rubye Arthur of Hurt; a special cousin and friend, Jeanette Martin of Forest; and many nieces and nephews.

She was known as Granny Jessie to her six grandchildren, Jennifer Hutchinson (Chris), David Midkiff (Kathryn), Jason Collie, Michael Krantz (Mabel), Lauren Krantz, and Karla Clay; five great grandchildren, Cataleya Krantz, Lani and Walker Midkiff, and Abigail and Arynne Hutchinson.

Jessie was preceded in death by a son, Everette Barton Bruce; a sister, Douglas Walker Jarrett; three brothers, Garland Walker, Charlie Walker, and Walter Price Walker; and a nephew raised as a brother, Kenneth Walker.

A funeral service will be conducted at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, January 3, 2016 at New Bethel United Methodist Church by the Rev. Harold Thornton and the

Rev. Brady Willis with interment to follow in the church cemetery.

The family will receive friends from 6:30 until 8:00 p.m., Saturday at Finch and Finch Funeral and Cremation Service, Altavista and other times at the residence of her daughter, Brenda Collie, 99 Quail Ridge Dr., Altavista.

The family suggests that those wishing to make memorials consider the Alzheimers Assn., 1160 Pepsi Place, Suite 306, Central and Western Virginia Chapter, Charlottesville, VA 22901 or New Bethel United Methodist Church, c/o Kaye Scruggs, 3185 Grit Rd., Hurt, VA 24563.

Cemetery Details

New Bethel United Methodist Church Cemetery

7061 Dews Road
Hurt, VA 24563

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 2. 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Finch and Finch, Altavista
809 Main St.
Altavista, VA 24517

Funeral Service

JAN 3. 2:00 PM (ET)

New Bethel United Methodist Church
7061 Dews Road
Hurt, VA 24563

Tribute Wall



“ *Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service created a Tribute Video in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - January 02, 2016 at 10:43 AM

BC

“ *Brenda, Cathy & Connie,
I was just talking to my brother, and he told me about your Mother. I was so sorry to hear this. I will be praying for you all. I know what you are going through. I lost my Mother at age 76 in 2003.
In Christian Love,
Bessie (Bradner) Cox*

Bessie B. Cox - January 07, 2016 at 08:50 PM

JB

“ *Jo Barnard lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



Jo Barnard - January 06, 2016 at 09:55 AM

JB

Brenda, so sorry to hear of the passing of your Mom. I just now hearing this. You and family will be in my prayers that the Lord will comfort you all every day.

Jo Barnard - January 06, 2016 at 09:58 AM

DS

“ *Danny&Mary Singleton lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



Danny&Mary Singleton - January 04, 2016 at 08:50 AM

BM

“ *Bud And Dean Moon lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



Bud and Dean Moon - January 04, 2016 at 07:57 AM

KW

“ *Kathy And Ray Walker lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



Kathy and Ray Walker - January 03, 2016 at 02:47 PM

CA

“ *Cathy East; AES lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



Cathy East; AES - January 03, 2016 at 12:48 PM

LR

“ *Linda Rice lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



Linda Rice - January 02, 2016 at 07:36 PM

LR

Thinking of you'll with much love.

Linda Rice - January 02, 2016 at 07:37 PM

MM

“ *Brenda and family, So sorry for the loss of your beautiful mother. You are in my thoughts and prayers.*



Mary Moses-Hicks - January 02, 2016 at 06:08 PM

GR

“ *Brenda, Kathy and Connie,
So sorry to hear about "jett". I have some very
good memories of times I have been in her
presence. She was such a sweet lady. My
thoughts and prayers are with you at this
time. May God continue to be with you all.*

*Love,
Geneieve*

Geneieve Rowland - January 02, 2016 at 02:32 PM



RW

“ *Ralph Woods lit a candle in memory of Jessie
Walker Bruce*

Ralph Woods - January 02, 2016 at 01:33 PM



FS

“ *Family Of Rachel Shelton lit a candle in
memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*

Family of Rachel Shelton - January 02, 2016 at 12:11 PM





“ 1 file added to the album *Life Tributes*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - January 02, 2016 at 10:34 AM



“ 2 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - January 02, 2016 at 07:41 AM

JE

“ *Jesseandsueowens lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



jesseandsueowens - January 02, 2016 at 06:04 AM

DW

“ *David Walker lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



David Walker - January 02, 2016 at 02:06 AM

JC

“ *Jo Ann Rice CNA lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



Jo Ann Rice CNA - January 01, 2016 at 10:48 PM

SF

“ *Sandra Farris lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



sandra farris - January 01, 2016 at 09:24 PM

TW

“ *Brenda, Kathy, and Connie so sorry to hear about the passing of Aunt Jett. May God Bless You And Comfort You All Through This. I will always remember her as one of the sweetest persons I've ever known. You all will be in our thoughts and prayers. Ted and Cheryl Worsham*



Ted Worsham - January 01, 2016 at 07:52 PM

KH

“ *Keith & Mary Hall lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



Keith & Mary Hall - January 01, 2016 at 07:51 PM

SF

“ Sorry for your loss. Jessie fought a long hard fight may she rest in peace.



Shirley Forloines - January 01, 2016 at 07:40 PM

RS

“ Rose And Victoria Saunders lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce



Rose and Victoria Saunders - January 01, 2016 at 05:10 PM

NR

“ Nancy Dawson Rolfe lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce



Nancy Dawson Rolfe - January 01, 2016 at 05:06 PM



“ 43 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Finch & Finch, Inc. Funeral & Cremation Service - January 01, 2016 at 04:50 PM

JS

“ Janice Smith sent a virtual gift in memory of
Jessie Walker Bruce



Janice Smith - January 01, 2016 at 03:40 PM

EB

“ *Brenda & family,*

*I am so sorry for your loss. You all took such
good care of your mother. You are in our
thoughts and prayers.*

*Love,
Edwin & Sue Blackstock*



Edwin & Sue Blackstock - January 01, 2016 at 03:17 PM

PD

“ *Phyllis & Glenn Dalton lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



Phyllis & Glenn Dalton - January 01, 2016 at 03:15 PM

PH

Brenda, Kathy & Connie so sorry to hear of Aunt "Jett's" passing. I have so many fond memories growing up next door. In this time of loss may God comfort your hearts with the thought that love lives on.

Phyllis - January 01, 2016 at 03:18 PM

PD

“ *Brenda, Kathy and Connie so sorry to hear of Aunt "Jett's" passing. I have so many fond memories growing up next door. In this time of loss may God comfort your hearts with the thought that love lives on.*



*Love & Blessings
Phyllis B. Dalton*

Phyllis & Glenn Dalton - January 01, 2016 at 03:14 PM

JR

“ *JoAnne Rorer lit a candle in memory of Jessie Walker Bruce*



JoAnne Rorer - January 01, 2016 at 02:38 PM



Brenda so sorry for you loss.

Darrell & JoAnne Rorer - January 01, 2016 at 02:40 PM