



## Betty L. McDonnell

September 22, 2015

Betty L McDonnell, 91, of Lancaster, PA, passed away Friday, September 18, 2015 at Manor Care Nursing following a brief illness. Betty was born February 15, 1924 and raised in the Cabbage Hill section of Lancaster, and was the daughter of the late Peter P. and Laura (Krentz) Studer. She was the wife of the late Richard V. McDonnell who worked as Lieutenant of the Lancaster City Fire Department, and deceased in 1983.

Richard (Dick) was the love of her life and Betty loved telling stories of their life together. After graduating from McCaskey High School, Betty worked at the former Hamilton Watch Company and Watt and Shand Department Store, but was a homemaker most of her life. Betty enjoyed cooking, baking, big band music and spending time with her family and friends. Betty always attracted people to her because of her friendly personality and wonderful sense of humor. She was a member of Church of the Apostles United Church of Christ in Lancaster.

Surviving is a son, Russell J McDonnell, married to A. Beverly, a grandson, Russell J McDonnell II, married to Monica, Quarryville, a granddaughter, Kelly S. Marcum, married to Kevin, Lancaster. Betty had two adoring nieces, Carole Matt (Henry), Bareville, and Cheryl Hartman (Andy) of Lancaster. Also surviving are five great grandchildren, four step great grandchildren, four step great grandchildren and one step great great grandchild. Preceding Betty in

death is a brother, Richard C. Studer.

Funeral Services will be held on Wednesday, September 23, 2015 at 11:00 AM from the Groffs Family Funeral Home, 528 W. Orange St., Lancaster PA 17603. A Viewing at the Groffs will be Wednesday from 10-11:00 AM. Burial will be in Millersville Mennonite Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, please make any contributions to the Alzheimer Association.

# Tribute Wall



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