

## Mary Elizabeth “Libby” Ellison Lilly

January 29, 1925 – December 3, 1991

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### Libby Ellison Lilly

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth “Libby” Ellison Lilly, 66, of 105 Christian Road, Beckley, died 10:40 p.m., Tuesday, Dec. 3, in a Beckley hospital, following a short illness.

Born Jan. 29, 1925, at Nimitz, she was the daughter of the late William McKinley and West Virginia Lilly Ellison.

Mrs. Lilly spent her childhood at Nimitz, was of the Baptist faith, a graduate of Hinton High School and was a 45-year resident of the Maxwell Hill Community and was a homemaker.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Russell Blake Lilly on April 20, 1983.

Survivors include a son, Roger B. and his wife, Mary Sue Lilly of Salem, Va.;

a daughter, Rebecca Mandeville of 102 Goldcrest Drive, Beckley; six grandchildren; one great-grandson; a sister, Vera Ellison of Nimitz, and two brothers, Arlie and Benny Ellison, both of Nimitz.

Services will be 11 a.m. Friday at the Melton Mortuary Chapel, Beckley with the Rev. Arnold Cooper officiating. Burial will follow in the Crews Cemetery, Nimitz.

Friends may call 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. today at the Melton Mortuary, Beckley.

Friends of the family will serve as pallbearers.



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