



Vera Vest

June 14, 1932 - December 16, 2020

PRINCETON – Lillian Irene (Vera) Vest, 88, of Princeton, died Wednesday, December 16, 2020 at her home. Born June 14, 1932 in Tams, she was the daughter of the late Peter Sutyak and Barbara Perecinsky Sutyak.

Mrs. Vest worked as an x-ray technician for Memorial Hospital in Princeton and later retired from Princeton Community Hospital after 39 ½ years of service. She was an honors graduate from Mark Twain High School in Stotesbury and received her x-ray technician training at St. Luke's Hospital in Bluefield. Mrs. Vest had a strong work ethic and a kind heart for the less-privileged. She was an animal lover and is survived by her cat, Gypsi. She was of the Catholic faith and was the last surviving member of her immediate family. In her later years, she enjoyed watching baseball, especially the Pittsburgh Pirates.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband, Harry (Dick) Vest; seven sisters, Elizabeth Ihnat, Margaret Sutyak, Anna Bero, Julie Placidi, Mary Liloia, Barbara Peelish and Eva Sutyak; and five brothers, John Sutyak, Pete Sutyak, George Sutyak, Mike Sutyak and Joseph (Sonny) Sutyak.

Survivors include two sons, Michael (Micky) Vest and Steve Vest both of Princeton.

A graveside service will be conducted at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday, December 22, 2020 at the Sunset Memorial Park Mausoleum in Beckley with Fr. Matthew Rowgh officiating. Friends attending the service are asked to meet at the mausoleum.

Memorial contributions may be made in Vera's memory to the Mercer County Humane Society, 961 Shelter Road, Princeton, WV 24740.

Arrangements by Bailey-Kirk Funeral Home in Princeton. Online condolences may be shared with the family at www.bailey-kirk.com.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Park

1925 Harper Road
Beckley, WV

Previous Events

Graveside Service

DEC **22**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Beckley, WV

Tribute Wall



“ Vera Vest

December 27, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *I worked with Vera in Radiology for several years and she was the most dedicated and hardworking employee in the department. She was like the energizer bunny...she kept going and going! Vera was kind to everyone and a friend to all. I'm thankful I got to know her and work with her.*

One memory that comes to mind was how Vera liked drinking "cold coffee" long before it became a fad!

Micky and Steve, I am sorry for your loss of such a dear woman.

Kim Bay

Kim Bay - December 26, 2020 at 11:17 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Vera Vest.*



December 20, 2020 at 06:29 PM

VG

“ Micky and Steve,
My husband Mark and I both worked with your Mom at PCH many years ago. Even then she was hard to keep up with. Her work ethic was a great example for all of us young techs to model. We have many fond memories of working with Vera. She always spoke of her "boys". You were the light of her life. Vera was a good woman, may she rest in peace. We are sorry for your loss.

Vanessa Godfrey

Vanessa Godfrey - December 20, 2020 at 07:48 AM



“ Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Vera Vest.



December 19, 2020 at 06:01 PM

DR

“ Darlene and Chuck Rodebaugh purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Vera Vest.



Darlene and Chuck Rodebaugh - December 19, 2020 at 05:49 PM

RD

“ Micky so sorry to see the passing of your mom. Prayers for you and your brother. Rhonda Dunford

Rhonda Dunford - December 19, 2020 at 05:46 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Vera Vest.*



December 19, 2020 at 12:10 PM



“ *Aunt Vera has always been a special person to me and my family! May God comfort Mick and Steve! Love and blessings! Mike and Paula*

Paula Homan - December 18, 2020 at 11:45 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss she was a special lady and so good to us she will always have a special place in our hearts and never forgotten*



Terry&paggy gilley - December 18, 2020 at 05:51 AM



“ *Love, Melanie purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Vera Vest.*



Love, Melanie - December 18, 2020 at 12:19 AM

PH

“ Aunt Vera was the greatest to me that is why my youngest Daughter is named after her she is gone but will never be forgotten love you always Pat and Family

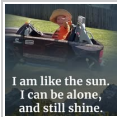
patricia hutman - December 17, 2020 at 10:58 PM

JV

“ Sorry for your loss. May God grant peace and love to you now and in the coming days.



Jeanette Vernon - December 17, 2020 at 05:00 PM



Jeanette Vernon is Tonya Hilling's mother.

Jeanette Vernon - December 17, 2020 at 05:02 PM

DW

Mick, Sue and I are so sorry for your mothers passing. We offer our deepest sympathy. Dick and Sue Widener

Dick and sue widener - December 17, 2020 at 06:03 PM

CS

Mickey, we are so very sorry about your mother. You took such good care of her! Our prayers are with you. Cathy and Buford

Saddler

Cathy Saddler - December 17, 2020 at 10:46 PM

MW

Aunt Vera and Uncle Dickie's house was my favorite place to visit on our summer trips to West Virginia growing up. They always made me feel at home. Aunt Vera was special and will be missed. Melanie W.

Melanie W. - December 18, 2020 at 12:26 AM

DV

I loved her so much. She was kind and loving when we visited. She was such a beautiful person. My prayers are with you.

Debbie

Debbie Vest - December 18, 2020 at 12:45 AM

MB

I worked at PCH for 10 years. I remember her as a nice, caring person and a hard worker. So sorry for your loss.

Marietta G Buckner - December 18, 2020 at 03:01 PM

JV

She was the best I loved talking to a bout our family on my visits had the best times staying there when I was growing up Aunt Vera and Uncle Dicky love us Ohio kids.

jack vest - December 18, 2020 at 08:41 PM