



Eileen Whiteway Cottingham

December 22, 1924 - February 21, 2021

Eileen Whiteway Cottingham of Hueytown, AL went to be present with her Lord on Sunday, February 21, 2021. She was born December 22, 1924 in Corner Brook, Newfoundland in Canada. She met her husband, Meade B. Cottingham, while he was stationed there during WWII. They moved to Hueytown at the end of the war and lived there happily raising their three sons, Meade, David and Gary. Eileen was a loving mother, grandmother, great grandmother and great great grandmother known to those dearest to her as "Nanny". Her family was her life and she was always present for life events large and small for them.

Eileen was preceded in death by her parents, William and Gertrude Whiteway, two brothers, three sisters, husband, Meade B Cottingham daughter-in-law, Patricia Cottingham, and great-grandson Holden Cottingham. Eileen is survived by her children Meade Cottingham, David Cottingham and wife Janie, and Gary Cottingham; grandchildren Kimberly Stewart and husband Mickey, Ken Cottingham and wife Dana, Sam Cottingham and wife Amanda, Matt Cottingham and wife Stephanie, Lori Polk and husband Brad, Amy Fuqua and husband Chip, and Jason Cottingham; great-grandchildren Brittany Farris and husband David, Justin Stewart and wife April, Holland and Hayden Cottingham, Caitlyn and Leah Cottingham, Sophie Cottingham, Andrew, Emmie, Bennett, Giovanni, Hadley, and Sadie Polk, Edgar and Amos Fuqua, and Caydence and Brooklynn Compton; great-great-grandchildren Slade and Cannon Farris; sister, Bernice Kesling, and brother, Jim Whiteway.

Eileen is lovingly remembered by friends and family near and far.
Graveside service will be Tuesday, February 23, 2021 at 1:30 p.m. at
Highland Memorial Gardens. Bro. Bill McCall officiant. Services are
under the direction of Bessemer Brown Service Funeral Home, Bessemer, AL.

Tribute Wall

RL

“ So sorry for your loss. Prayers for you 🙏

Raymond Laird - September 17, 2021 at 10:45 AM

BF

“ So sorry for your loss but she told me the last time we talked that she was ready for the Lord to take her home. Prayers for the family.

Beverly Franklin - September 17, 2021 at 10:45 AM

MB

“ My deepest condolences to the family. God Bless.

Marolyn Box - September 17, 2021 at 10:45 AM

SH

“ I'm praying for the family.

Sharon Hornsby - September 17, 2021 at 10:45 AM

GL

“ Mead David Gary and Families, Sorry to hear of Aunt Eileen's passing we will always remember the great visits we had with her over the years, our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time we will surely miss her God Bless. Love brother James, Gloria David, Bernice and Brian, Ellie and Family.

Gloria and David Lasaga - September 17, 2021 at 10:45 AM