



Emma Glunt

May 18, 1924 - January 19, 2013

Emma Gene Glunt, age 88, former longtime resident of Henderson, KY, passed away at 9:30 PM, Saturday, January 19, 2013, at Reflections at Carolina Forest in Conway, SC.

Gene was born on May 18, 1924 in Providence, KY. She attended Hebbardsville Elementary School, and graduated from both Weaverton High School and Evansville Business College. She was a member of: Hospital Auxiliary, Henderson County Homemakers Association, Elks Club, Moose Lodge, Odd Fellows, Lions Club, Henderson County Country Club, Sportsman Club, and Monthly Supper Club.

Her many accomplishments include being the Secretary/Treasurer of the Western Kentucky Funeral Director's Association and a Kentucky Colonel. Gene also received a Golden Award for contributions to St. Labre Indian School. She was a Kentucky Licensed Funeral Director and Co-Owner with her husband Maynard of Springfield Funeral Home in Sebree, Benton-Glunt Funeral Home, Tapp Funeral Home, and Moss Funeral Residence in Henderson.

She was preceded in death by her husband of 66 years Maynard Vaughn Glunt, daughter Paula Jean Glunt her parents Lawrence Robert and Pauline Bassett, and brother Robert Bassett.

Survivors include:

2 Daughters: Janet Liles

Jennifer L. Glunt

1 Daughter-in-Law: Robin Glunt All of Myrtle Beach, SC

2 Grandchildren: C. Neil Kellen II and wife April Kellen Henderson, KY

Andrea K. Long Surfside Beach, SC

4 Great Grandchildren: Trevor Kellen, Mason Kellen, & Jaylyn Kellen
Henderson, KY

Katherine Long Surfside Beach, SC

Relatives and friends are invited to Gene's Life Celebration from 2:00 PM to 8:00 PM Friday, January 25, 2013 and again on Saturday starting at 9:00 AM at Benton-Glunt Funeral Home. The funeral service will be held at 1:00 PM on Saturday the funeral home with the Rev. Alan Chamness & Rev. Phil Hoy officiating. Burial will follow at Fairmont Cemetery in Henderson, KY.

Previous Events

Life Celebration

JAN **25**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Benton-Glunt Funeral Home
629 S. Green Street
Henderson, KY 42420

2:00 P.M. Tuesday May 8, 2018 Funeral Service

JAN **26**. 1:00 PM (CT)

Benton-Glunt Funeral Home
629 S. Green Street
Henderson, KY 42420

Tribute Wall



“ *Emma Glunt*

November 29, 2022 at 08:01 AM



“ *Janet and Jennifer,*

It has been such a long time since we have been together. Having recently traveled to FL, where Mom and Dad spent their last years, my memory bank was overflowing, but it also brought back memories of simpler days in Henderson where the "cousins" would play (and fight) at reunions and family gatherings. It is difficult to lose your parents, regardless of their health or age. Your loss is understood all too well by those that have walked the path before you, and my heart goes out to y'all. I am also intrigued by both of you and me living in South Carolina, albeit on opposite ends of the state. As I get older the desire to catch up on lost time with family and friends grows. Hopefully we can plan on meeting in either MB or Greenville and fill in the gaps. I shared a few stories with my wife regarding some of the more memorable visits to see y'all, which I won't go into now. I loved your mom and dad and y'all too. I have fond thoughts of that part of my life. Please call or email if you get a chance and feel free to stop and say hello if you pass through Greenville. 864-304-2601 will get me most anytime, email is attached. God Bless, Love y'all. The invitation to call or email is extended to Michael Dean, Aunt Mac and Uncle Lawrence, and others ... would love to catch up.

Ben and Patsy Glunt - Greenville, SC - nephew - January 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RN

“ Janet, Jennifer and family, I want to let you know that you all will be in our thoughts and prayers. I loved Aunt Gene's sense of humor the way she loved her family and ours and always let you know what she was thinking.

I'm sorry that we will not be able to make our way there at this time. If there is anything we can do please let us know.

*Love,
Ross, Kyle, Lynnsey, and Macie Glunt*

Ross Glunt - St. Cloud, FL - Nephew - January 26, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MN

“ Janet and Jennifer, plus all other family members, Maxine and Lawrence Vaughn wish to extend their heartfelt sympathy and love for you and your families. Likewise from Meredith, Shaye, Matthew and myself. We all will always remember your mother lovingly. She was a great sister in law and aunt/great aunt to our family. Sorry we could not be there to celebrate her life. God bless each and everyone. Your cousin, Michael

Michael Vaughn - Green cove springs, FL - Nephew - January 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ When Gene and Maynard along with stockholders bought Benton Funeral Home, my dad, Tommy Sights, was one of the stockholders. He had just lost his wife, my mother, and needed something to fill the void. He worked many hours with them as they struggled to get the business going. I will never forget how kind and supportive Gene and Maynard were to him, treating him like family. He thought the world of both of them and I will always be grateful to them for their kindness. i No matter how old you are it is never easy giving up your parents. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Otis and Carol Walker

Carol Sights Walker - Henderson, KY - Acquaintance - January 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM

PI

“ Janet and Family, Please accept my sincerest condolences. I was so sorry to learn of your loss. Hold those memories of your Mother close to your heart. I lost Bo earlier this month and can only offer my deepest sympathy. I will keep you in my thoughts and prayers.

Pat Cymbala - IN - January 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TN

“ Janet, Jennifer and family; Aunt Gene was so much fun, she had a wonderful sense of humor. I loved to hear her laugh. I most vividly remember how kind and entertaining she was to Sherrie and me when we would come to Ky for the summer. I love you all, please let me know if there is anything I can do for you.

Toni Glunt Royster - Henderson, KY - niece - January 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ *Janet and Andrea, thinking of you both during this time. Prayers are sent from all of the Maternal Child Health nursing staff at Conway Medical Center.*

Mary Hawkins-Gray - Myrtle Beach, SC - Coworker - January 24, 2013 at 12:00 AM