



## Mary Dossett Riggs

August 1, 1930 - December 11, 2014

Mary Dossett Riggs, age 84, of Henderson, KY, passed away at 12:12 AM, Thursday, December 11, 2014, at her home.

Mary was born in Sacramento, KY. In 1956 she and her husband William H. moved to Henderson where she was a homemaker and raised their children. She loved to dance to music of all types. She enjoyed going to the Casino Aztar to listen to different bands and dance. She enjoyed baking and was an excellent cook. Every Sunday she would prepare a meal for the entire family. Most of all Mary enjoyed her children and grandchildren and loved spoiling them. She retired after 17 years as a press operator from Gamco Products. She was a past member of the Moose Lodge and was a member of Bellfield Baptist Church. Mary thought highly of her physician Dr. Charles Futrell and her family would like to thank him and his staff.

Mary was preceded in death by her husband William H. Riggs in 2008, her parents, son Harold "Possum" Riggs, 3 sisters, and 3 brothers.

Survivors include:

1 Son: Jimmy W. Riggs and wife Tina R.

2 Daughters: Brenda Riggs

Janet Williams and husband John A., Jr. all of Henderson, KY

Sister: Sarah Nelson Bremen, KY

Caregivers: Misty Cox and Christina Riggs

8 Grandchildren

12 Great Grandchildren

## Nieces and Nephews

Relatives and friends are invited to Mary's Life Celebration from 2:00-8:00 PM, Sunday and again on Monday starting at 9:00 AM at Benton-Glunt Funeral Home. The funeral service will be held at 1:00 PM on Monday, December 15, 2014 at the funeral home with the Reverend Jack Ross officiating. Burial will follow at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Henderson, KY.

Pallbearers will be: Ed Fray, Randall West, John A. Williams, Jr. Daniel West, Jimmy Riggs, Jr., and Michael Williams, Wayne Riggs. Honorary pallbearers will be: Catherine Meserve, James Meserve.

Expressions of sympathy may take the form of contributions to Make A Wish Foundation.

Arrangements entrusted to Benton-Glunt Funeral Home, A Life Celebration® Home, online condolences may be made at [www.bentonglunt.com](http://www.bentonglunt.com)

# Previous Events

## Life Celebration

DEC **14.** 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home  
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Henderson, KY 42420  
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## Life Celebration

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

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Dossett Riggs*

November 29, 2022 at 08:01 AM



“ *Dear mom just wanted to tell you I love you and miss you so much each holiday I think it will get easier but it doesn't cause you were always here with us and helping me cook you taught me so much and I'm thankful that you did and you made me the person that I am today we all love and miss you merry Christmas to you and dad 2018 .*

**Janet williams** - November 30, 2018 at 06:46 PM



“ *Janet Williams lit a candle in memory of Mary Dossett Riggs*



**Janet williams** - November 30, 2018 at 06:40 PM



“ *Katelynn Riggs lit a candle in memory of Mary Dossett Riggs*



**Katelynn Riggs** - October 14, 2015 at 01:27 AM

BR

“ *Not only did I lose my mom, but I lost my very best friend in the whole wide world. I will cherish the things we did together forever. I will think of you every day and you'll always be in my heart. I love you mom, and I'm going to miss you. May you rest in peace.*


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**Brenda Riggs** - December 14, 2014 at 08:27 AM

  
Christina  
Riggs

“ *I love you grandma.*




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**Christina Riggs** - December 13, 2014 at 08:04 PM

  
Christina  
Riggs

“ *Mom youve been my strength. The rock on which i stand and ive gained so much wisdom guided by your gentle hand. The kindness you have shown in every word and deed has been a blessing in life in so many times of need. I love you mom and miss you.*



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**Christina Riggs** - December 12, 2014 at 05:42 PM

  
Christina  
Riggs

“ *I love you and already miss you so much grandma. You are in heaven with papaw so i know your happy and your both smiling down on us.*



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**Christina Riggs** - December 12, 2014 at 05:36 PM



“ *Mary West lit a candle in memory of Mary Dossett Riggs*



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**Mary West** - December 12, 2014 at 03:27 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mary Dossett Riggs.*



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December 12, 2014 at 10:39 AM



“ *Aunt Maggie will be missed by us all especially her sister Sarah, who loved Maggie dearly. Thinking of all of Maggie's family and friends.*



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**Elizabeth** - December 12, 2014 at 10:07 AM



“ *I use to go and spend time at her house whith her daughter janet. I went places with them. A very very sweet and thoughtful lady. The whole family is. I loved Mrs Riggs. She was kind, giving...I just loved her so much..she will be missed. I haven't seen her in years. My heart goes out to her family..love you all*

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**vicky** - December 12, 2014 at 05:31 AM

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“ *Vicky lit a candle in memory of Mary Dossett Riggs*



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**vicky** - December 12, 2014 at 05:28 AM

JW

*Thank you very much love you janet*

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**john williams** - December 12, 2014 at 12:30 PM

JW

*To mom Jameson. Loves you very much and misses you dearly so sorry he's not able to come. But he's with us all in prayers he said thank you for being a wonderful grandmother and for everything you have done for him and Lexi you will never be forgotten love you always Jameson your grandson!*

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**john williams** - December 12, 2014 at 12:39 PM

KR

*I will always love you grandma riggs I miss you already miss you a bunch im crying in tears right now i love and dearly miss you grandma riggs i wish you were home!!!!  
-Katelynn Marie Riggs*

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**Katelynn Riggs** - October 14, 2015 at 01:26 AM