



## Ruth M. Baker

April 22, 1922 - December 4, 2016

Ruth M. Baker, 94, of Elizabethtown, passed away on Sunday December 4, 2016 at Masonic Village, Elizabethtown. She was the wife of the late Dorsey S. Baker, who passed away in 1996.

She was born in Myerstown on April 25, 1922 to the late Walter and Mary Miller Hibshman. Ruth had worked in instrument repair at the Middletown Air Force Base. She was a member of Palm Lutheran Church in Palmyra where she was a member of the choir and the sewing group. She was also a member of Eastern Star, the Palmyra chapter. Ruth enjoyed sewing, singing, going camping, dancing, going out to eat, planting flowers, and doing crossword puzzles. Her family was very important to her; she enjoyed family get togethers, family picnics, family reunions, and spending valuable time with her grandchildren.

She is survived by her children James D. Baker and his wife Delores of Elizabethtown, Phyllis J. Thornton of Lebanon, 5 grandchildren, 4 great grandchildren, 4 step great grandchildren, and 1 great great grandson. She was preceded in death by a son-in-law Jim Thornton, Sr., a grandson Jim Thornton, Jr., a great great grandson Benjamin Lynch, and her brothers and sister.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday December 7, 2016 at 11AM from Palm Lutheran Church, 11 W. Cherry Street, Palmyra. Interment will be in Grand View Memorial Park, Annville. There will be a viewing held from 10AM till 11AM.

In lieu of flowers, gifts may be given by mail to: Masonic Villages, Office of Gift Planning, One Masonic Drive, Elizabethtown, PA 17022 or on line [masoniccharitiespa.org/donate-now/](http://masoniccharitiespa.org/donate-now/). The family desires that memorial gifts be designated to the Compassionate Care Fund that provides support for Health Care Center residents with memory loss. Please memo checks or comment when using on line giving that your gift is in memory of Ruth M. Baker.

# Tribute Wall

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“ *WHAT A WONDERFUL LADY.A JOY TO BE AROUND FOR MANY YEARS I KNOW SHE IS IN THE ARMS OF JESUS LOVE AND PRAYERS TO HE FAMILY PAT*

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**PAT BERNHEISEL** - December 08, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Offering our deepest condolences during this difficult time.*

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**The Staff of Kreamer Funeral Home** - December 06, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Funny lady. I remember the time Larry and I drove her back to the Village. She talked the whole time.*

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**Cjndy Strong** - December 06, 2016 at 12:00 AM