



## HELEN R. SHANK

October 25, 2016

Helen R. Shank, 94, of Mount Joy, passed away on Tuesday, October 25, 2016 at Luther Acres, Lititz. Born in Jackson Township, Perry County, she was the daughter of the late Kirt A. and Marie (Kunkle) Burkett. Helen was the wife of the late Warren K. Shank who passed away, March 13, 1997. Helen was a seamstress at Hestico. She was a member of Chiques United Methodist Church where she taught Sunday School for over 50 years. Helen was also in the church Women's Society and sang in the choir. Helen is survived by two daughters, Patsy Schaffner, wife of Lloyd of Mount Joy and Gloria Heisey, wife of Martin of Elizabethtown; three grandchildren; six great grandchildren; a great great grandchild; and two brothers, Gerald Burkett of Royaltown and Larry Burkett of FL. She was preceded in death by a grandson, Barry Heisey; two brothers; and a sister. A funeral service honoring Helen's life will be held at the Chiques United Methodist Church, 1215 East Main Street, Mount Joy on Monday, October 31, 2016 at 11 AM. Family and friends will be received at the church before the service from 10 AM to 11 AM. Interment will follow at Henry Eberle Cemetery, Mount Joy. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to Chiques United Methodist Church Mission Fund, 1215 East Main Street, Mount Joy, PA 17552. To send an online condolence, please visit [www.sheetzfuneralhome.com](http://www.sheetzfuneralhome.com)