



Dorothy Sparks

October 15, 2015

Dorothy Y. Sparks, 88, of Pedricktown passed away at Inspira Health Center in Elmer on Thursday, October 15, 2015. Born on August 26, 1927 she was the daughter of Marcus Youngcourt and Emily Taylor Youngcourt Rhoads. She graduated from Penns Grove High School Class of 1945 and worked briefly at Penns Grove National Bank before marrying her husband Walter Sparks, Jr. upon his return from World War II. They were wed in 1947 and were married 56 years at the time of his passing in 2003. She lived most of her life in Pedricktown and was well known within the community. In addition to being a homemaker, she was also an integral part of the family vegetable farm. She is survived by her sons, Dean W. Sparks of Pedricktown and Wayne R. Sparks of Paulsboro, a grandson Levi and sister-in-law Catherine Youngcourt of Pennsville. In addition to her parents and her husband, she was predeceased by her brother C. Marcus Youngcourt. A public graveside service will be held on Tuesday, October 20, 2015 at 11 am at the Salem County Veterans Cemetery in Pilesgrove. In lieu of flowers, please consider making a generous donation to the Pedricktown Ambulance Squad, 37 Straughns Mill Road, Pedricktown, NJ 08067 in recognition of their outstanding service they provided during the past two years of her declining health. www.adamsfuneralhome.org

Cemetery Details

Salem County Veterans

125 Cemetery Rd.
Mannington, NJ