



## Hazel J. Porter

June 24, 1927 - July 19, 2022

Hazel June Porter, 95, of Elbridge passed away at the Eastern Star Nursing Home in Oriskany, NY on July 19, 2022. Born in Syracuse on June 24, 1927 to the late Earl Otis and Gertrude E. (Sebring) Ballard, Hazel worked at the Upstate Medical Center as a Operating Room Technician. She loved sewing, fishing, and camping. She was also a devoted member of the Order of Eastern Star and former member of the Jordan United Methodist Church.

Hazel was predeceased by her loving husband of 73 years Ralph Porter in 2019, whom she married in 1946 after World War II, as well as her brother Earl Otis Ballard, Jr., and her sister Margaret A. Ballard.

Hazel is survived by her three daughters, Melanie (Avery) Wheelock of Lakeland, Priscilla (James) Raichlin of Tenn., and Melissa (Walter) Schloop of Camillus; her six grandchildren Andy, Jennifer, Tammy, Heather, Sandra, and Chrissy; her nine great-grandchildren Andrew, Ashley, Noah, Kiera, Mallory, Jocelyn, Hannah, Kayla, and Abby; as well as many nieces and nephews. A special thanks to Judy Streever and Diane Nichols for their long friendship and support, as well as Eastern Star Home for their care of Hazel at the end.

Calling Hours will be Sunday, July 24th from 2 to 4 pm with services to follow at 4 pm at B.L. Bush & Sons Funeral Home, 10 Genesee St., Camillus. Burial will be in Evergreen Cemetery, Huron, NY.

Contributions may be made to Honor Flight Syracuse, Inc., PO Box 591,  
Syracuse NY 13209.

Please sign her guestbook at [www.BLBUSH.com](http://www.BLBUSH.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL **24.** 2:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



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“ To Mrs. Porter's family,  
So sorry for your loss. I visited Ralph and Hazel when working for  
Meals on Wheels.  
They were the most delightful couple and it was always a joy to see  
them.

All the best,  
Kathy Alibrandi

Kathleen Alibrandi - July 24, 2022 at 03:00 PM

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“ Diane lit a candle in memory of Hazel J.  
Porter



Diane - July 20, 2022 at 08:14 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Hazel J. Porter.*



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**Nikki Raichlin** - July 20, 2022 at 05:33 PM



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