



Meet Myrtle



Trusted Tax Program Gives “The Queen of Liverpool” Peace of Mind

For 36 years, Myrtle age 98, of Liverpool worked for Miller’s Market. From cashier to deli, Myrtle did it all. She proudly knew everyone who came in in the store for groceries earning her the title, “The Queen of Liverpool.”

“I worked seven days a week and loved every minute of it,” Myrtle says. “I am lucky to have been born and raised in Perry County.”

After years of helping others, Myrtle now relies on assistance with her tax preparation. For 10 years she has used the Money

in Your Pocket Program at Perry County Literacy Council. The program, led by United Way of the Capital Region, utilizes trained volunteers to prepare taxes for low- to moderate-income working families in the Capital Region at no cost.

“The volunteers are very helpful,” Myrtle says. “We even had a few laughs while reviewing my paperwork.”

Money in Your Pocket is a community collaboration of organizations committed to

the economic stability of local families. The program aims to increase use of the Earned Income Tax Credit (EITC) and the Child Tax Credit (CTC). The EITC is a tax credit offered by the federal government to supplement wages for low-income workers.

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