



Barbara Lou Porter

June 12, 1932 - April 4, 2020

Barbara Lou Porter, 87 of Bloomington, finally got to see Jesus! She passed away at 5:02 am, Saturday, April 4, 2020 at her residence surrounded by her family.

Born June 12, 1932 in Greene County she was the daughter of Charles and Velma Hamm. She was a homemaker and a member of the 11th St. Church of Christ.

In her younger days you could have passed her on one of the old country roads. She would have been driving her 69 Impala too fast, with all of the windows down and too many kids in the backseat, all without seatbelts. No doubt there would have been an 8-track tape blaring, maybe some Elvis or Loretta Lynn, but more often than not, Johnny Cash.

More recently you could find her sitting in her favorite chair watching Jeopardy, Wheel of Fortune and reruns of the Billy Graham Crusades on TBN for the "millionth" time

Until her last days, you couldn't leave her home without her telling you to "Take Jesus with you when you go".

Survivors include four sons, Eddie Porter and Terry Porter of Spencer; Tony

Porter and Mike Porter, both of Solsberry; six daughters, Diana Porter of Bloomington; Brenda Porter and Connie Alsman of Bloomfield; Debbie Medina of Colorado Springs; Lisa Rambo of Bloomington and Tammie Wilkerson of Martinsville; approximately 40 grandchildren, 60 great grandchildren, 15 great-great grand-children, two brothers, Don Hamm of Spencer, Joe Hamm Ellettsville and one sister Sharon Ludwig of Spencer.

She was preceded in death by her husband Emery "Buck" Porter, three sons, Emery Porter, Jimmy Porter and infant son Tommy; and one daughter, Donna Shaw; her parents and several brothers and sisters.

There will be a private graveside service at Newark Cemetery at 2:00 P.M. on Tuesday with her grandson, Curt Porter officiating.

Online condolences and memories can be shared at www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com.

Cemetery Details

Newark Cemetery

Newark Road
Solsberry, IN 47459

Tribute Wall

PS

“ Sharon, I am so sorry for the loss of this loved one. Seeing your family together on Sundays was a sweet blessing. I know that you will miss her beyond words. But aren't we blessed knowing that we are promised everlasting life! My sincere condolences and prayers are for you and your family.
Pat Sharr



Patricia Sharr - April 07, 2020 at 06:17 PM

DE

“ Terry and family sorry for your loss. Prayers for family.

Don and Donna English - April 07, 2020 at 12:27 AM

KC

“ So sorry for your loss! She was such a sweetheart. And what a blessing she was to you all! I know you'll miss her, but I bet her and mom are up there with Jesus talking about us all right now! It's so hard to lose them but well meet again someday. I'll be praying for you all!

Karen Michael Combs - April 06, 2020 at 01:06 PM

BN

So sorry for your loss, she will be truly missed. 🌹❤️✝️

BarB Nash - August 09, 2020 at 08:20 PM

JE

“ Julie, Tiffany, Lisa, & Nan, Fairview Elementary purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Barbara Lou Porter.



Julie, Tiffany, Lisa, & Nan, Fairview Elementary - April 06, 2020 at 10:44 AM

MM

“ So sorry to all the family.
Thinking of you Diane P & Sharon L..

Martha “Marty” “Whaley” Mathews - April 05, 2020 at 03:06 PM

SL

“ I remember my sister as being a faithful follower of Christ, she inspired me so much, and I will miss our Saturday evening talks, the church services we attended and our lunches following services, also our yearly reunions of the past were always enjoyable.

Sharon Ludwig - April 05, 2020 at 01:45 PM

WS

“ With Sympathy, Siblings: Joe, Don and Sharon purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Barbara Lou Porter.



With Sympathy, Siblings: Joe, Don and Sharon - April 05, 2020 at 01:26 PM

GL

“ Dearly missed.



Glenn - April 05, 2020 at 12:53 PM

JH

“ Joe Hamm lit a candle in memory of Barbara Lou Porter



Joe Hamm - April 05, 2020 at 11:29 AM

DC

“ Connie, Brandy, Derek and Dustin - so sorry to hear about your Mom and Grandmother's passing. . Prayers for peace and comfort during this difficult time.

Darla Chesnut - April 05, 2020 at 11:13 AM



“ Dennis Ludwig lit a candle in memory of Barbara Lou Porter



Dennis Ludwig - April 05, 2020 at 10:14 AM