



Charlotte Darlene Smith

May 29, 1955 - December 30, 2025

Charlotte Darlene Smith, 70, of Vincennes passed away Tuesday December 30, 2025 at Gentle Care of Vincennes.

Born May 29, 1955 in Linton, Indiana the daughter of Phillip W. Holtsclaw and Charlotte (Abrams) Gabbard.

Darlene worked in food service for several years before finding her true calling in Nursing. She was a graduate of Vincennes University School of Nursing in 1997, and was an LPN for 21 years before illness forced her to retire. When she wasn't working, she loved to see new places and was the queen of vacationing on a budget. She enjoyed baking and decorating cakes for numerous friends and family events; but most of all she enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren, whether it was bass fishing or teaching them to cook.

Surviving relatives include her husband, Mikel R. Smith, her children, Melissa Dawn Webster, Brandi (Joseph) Conder, Christopher (Mikayla Butler) Smith, Daniel Smith, her grandchildren, Chase Webster, Aaron Poirot, Austin Webster, Nathan (Lauren) Blosl, Ellah Blosl, KarisArya Conder, one great granddaughter, Winnie Blosl, and one great grandson on the way, Thomas Blosl. Darlene has three brothers, Kenneth (Kathy) Holtsclaw, Matthew Holtsclaw, Kenny Gabbard, four sisters, Angie (Jeff) Jackson, Kathy (Jeff)

Claywell, Elizabeth Gabbard, Lisa Wingfield, her father and step-mother, Phillip and Dianna Holtsclaw, several Aunts, Uncles, Nieces, Nephews and Cousins.

Darlene was preceded in death by her mother, Charlotte Gabbard, step-father, James Gabbard and son-in-law Michael Poirot.

Visitation will be held on Monday January 5, 2026 from 11 A.M. until the hour of service at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield.

Services will be held on Monday at 1:00 P.M. at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield with Scott Chastain officiating. Burial will follow at Ridgeport Cemetery.

The family ask any memorial donations in Charlotte's name be given to Ridgeport Cemetery.

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

Cemetery Details

Ridgeport cemetery

State Road 54 east
Bloomfield, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 5. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - Bloomfield
421 South Seminary Street
Bloomfield, IN 47424
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Service

JAN 5. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

CH

“ *Candis Hayes-Jackson lit a candle in memory of Charlotte Smith*



Candis Hayes-Jackson - January 05 at 11:44 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Charlotte Darlene Smith.*



January 04 at 12:45 PM

CE

“ *Charlotte Eldridge lit a candle in memory of Charlotte Smith*



Charlotte Eldridge - January 03 at 05:24 PM

SK

“ *Shannon, Rob and the kids. purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Charlotte Darlene Smith.*



Shannon, Rob and the kids. - January 01 at 08:39 PM

SB

“ Sue and Jim Bedwell lit a candle in memory of Charlotte Smith



Sue and Jim Bedwell - January 01 at 06:07 PM

JB

“ So sorry to hear this about Darlene! I know she's had a lot of illness in her life! She is at piece now! Love and prayers for her family and friends! ❤️🙏🙏🙏🙏



Jim and Sue Bedwell - January 01 at 05:55 PM

JF

“ Jeff, Jackye, David & family, Amelia & f purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Charlotte Darlene Smith.



Jeff, Jackye, David & family, Amelia & f - January 01 at 03:27 PM

JS

“ Prayers to her family. She was a sweet lady and good friend.



Janice (Utterback) Stalcup - January 01 at 12:54 PM