



## Eva Maxine Ashcraft

September 25, 1934 - December 12, 2023

Eva Maxine (Crane) Ashcraft, 89, of Bloomfield passed away Tuesday December 12, 2023 at Glenburn Nursing Home in Linton, she was born in Martin County, Indiana on September 25, 1934 the daughter of Roy and Joyce (Bruce) Crane.

Maxine grew up in the Plummer community, working on the family farm and graduated in 1953 from Lyons High School. Maxine was a member of the Bethany Christian Church in Plummer, she worked at RCA in Bloomington. Maxine was married to Roy "Bud" Ashcraft on February 12, 2016 and he survives.

Maxine is also survived by her daughters, Catherine J. Lund of Bloomfield, Marilyn K. Reese of North Charleston, South Carolina, Jackie L. Crabb (Jim) of Bloomfield; step-daughter, Mitzi Fluke, her grandchildren, Brock Beaver (Jennifer), Amy Kelly (Brad), Travis Bland, Erica Cuellar (Brandon), Kyle Stroud (Jessica); her great-grandchildren, Micah Adams (Ryan), AJ Kelly, Nathanael Beaver, Colin Beaver, Brennan Cuellar, Elodie Cuellar; her great-great grandchildren, Hadley and Reagan Adams; two special cousins, Joyce Byers, Caroly Duckworth, several nieces and nephews.

Maxine was preceded in death by her parents, siblings, Lois Marie Crane, Katherine Louis Crane, Evelyn Mae Correll (Leslie), Murl Crane (Hazel),

Edward Crane (Sherry), Judith Gambill, Ruth Imogene Leohr (Keith), also preceding her in death by her husbands, father of her children Jack H. Burcham, and Gene F. Deckard.

Visitation will be held from 11 to 1 P.M. on Saturday December 16, at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield.

Services will be held at 1:00 P.M. Saturday at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield. Burial will follow at Prairie Chapel Cemetery in Lyons.

Online condolences and memories can be shared at [www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com](http://www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Prairie Chapel Cemetery

Lyons, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 16. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - Bloomfield  
421 South Seminary Street  
Bloomfield, IN 47424  
(812) 384-4212  
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## Service

DEC 16. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

JS

“ I met Maxine when she was a member at The Washington Boat Club. We shared a lot fun. She was a very nice lady. I just heard today, 3-28-2025 she died. So sorry for her children.  
Sincerely, Judy Shake

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**Judy Shake** - March 28, 2025 at 09:20 PM

PS

“ Maxine was such a beautiful person. What she displayed on the outside was just a reflection of her soul. I met Maxine while working at RCA. She was a group leader in the same area that I was. There was no one that worked any harder to accomplish her assignments. There was no one that was kinder to the ones that were assigned to work for/with Maxine. She became a dear, true, sweet friend to many. I was one of those lucky ones. Sadly, I was unable to pay my respects to her, but her family have been in my thoughts and prayers. I know they will miss her so very much. So will her friends.  
Sincerely, Pat Sharr



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**Patricia Sharr** - December 16, 2023 at 04:49 PM

SG

“ Hi Jackie, so sorry to hear about Maxine. Her and mom were friends for years, she was a sweet, funny lady.



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**Sheila Glasgow** - December 15, 2023 at 02:08 PM



“ *Sweet Sincerity was purchased for the family of Eva Maxine Ashcraft.*



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December 15, 2023 at 12:19 PM



“ *Maxine was one of my favorite sister in laws, I was married to her husband Gene Deckard's brother for several years.*



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**Margaret Deckard** - December 15, 2023 at 12:30 AM



“ *Large Basket Garden was purchased for the family of Eva Maxine Ashcraft.*



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December 14, 2023 at 09:21 AM



“ *Martha Bowers lit a candle in memory of Eva Ashcraft*



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**Martha Bowers** - December 13, 2023 at 08:18 PM

DW

“ Sorry for your loss Uncle Bud, here's praying for your family to start to heal.



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**Deborah Walton** - December 13, 2023 at 05:52 PM

CC

“ So sorry for the loss of Maxine she was such a sweet lady ♡♡  
Keeping you all in my prayers.

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**Carol Crabb** - December 13, 2023 at 04:38 PM

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“ Linda Sparks-Davis lit a candle in memory of  
Eva Ashcraft



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**Linda Sparks-Davis** - December 13, 2023 at 12:09 PM