



Jessie Kay Dixon

April 30, 1937 - February 26, 2025

Jessie Kay Dixon, 87, of Bloomfield passed away Wednesday February 26, 2025 at Hearthstone Health Campus in Bloomington.

Born April 30, 1937 in Greene County, Indiana the daughter of William Archie Watkins and Hettie Elizabeth (Arthur) Watkins.

Jessie was retired from Crane as a secretary; she was a member of the Owensburg Baptist Church and had attended the Newark Baptist Church. Jessie liked playing the piano, sewing, she loved to write and tell family stories, she enjoyed fishing and family was very important to her.

Surviving relatives include her daughter, Loretta Gray, one step-son, Frank R. (Jackie) Dixon, Jr; ten grandchildren, ten great grandchildren, one sister Juanita Atkins, one great great granddaughter and several nieces and nephews.

Jessie was preceded in death by her husband Frank R. Dixon Sr, on March 30, 2004; one son, Steve Brinegar, one daughter, Elizabeth Hardtke, one grandson, Jason Hardtke, three sisters, Mary Ruth Ellis, Gladys Sparks, Virginia Davis, one brother, Ed Watkins and her parents.

Visitation will be held from 11:30 A.M. until the hour of service on Monday

March 3, 2025 at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield.

Funeral Services will be held at 1:30 P.M. on Monday March 3, 2025 at Jenkins Funeral Home with Rev. Jay Collins officiating. Burial will follow at Newark Cemetery.

The family ask any memorial donations in Jessie's name be given to the Greene County Humane Society.

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

Cemetery Details

Newark Cemetery

Newark Road
Solsberry, IN 47459

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 3. 11:30 AM - 1:30 PM (ET)

Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - Bloomfield
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Tribute Wall



“ We are sorry for your loss. I was writing Christmas cards and something said ck obits. Frank and my husband were good friends and hams. We sent cards for years. Prayers for you this Christmas season

Pam and Bob Chattin - December 22, 2025 at 11:22 AM



“ Grandma Jessie was a treasure. A wonderful grandma, mother, sister and friend. We will always cherish her memory and love her always.

Love, her grandson, Matthew

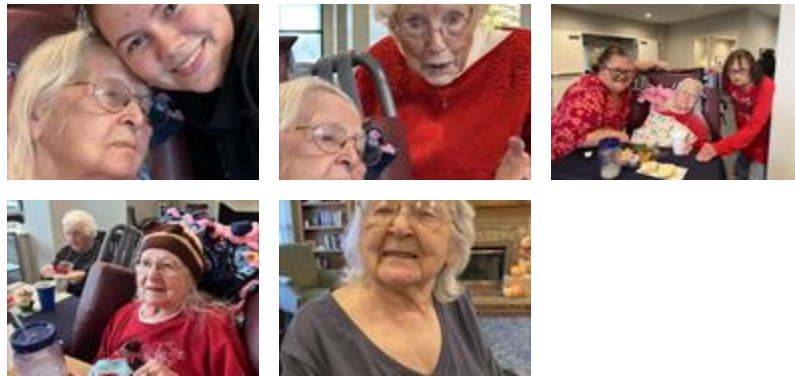
Steven Brinegar - March 03, 2025 at 09:18 PM

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“ Grandma I have really enjoyed the last few years that we have had together. I love all the hearts that you have touched. The gospel we have sang and laughs that we have had. You have a great smile and a hug heart.

I remember when we went to Missouri for a family reunion. You, grandpa Frank and I got to see family that I never met before and learn more about you.

I know I will see you again until that time you will always be in my heart. ❤️ 🌸



Melissa Gray - February 28, 2025 at 08:26 PM

KT

“ kathy tracy lit a candle in memory of Jessie Dixon



kathy tracy - February 28, 2025 at 08:22 AM

KT

“ I am so sorry to know Jessie past. I had moved away from Bloomington years ago and we did keep in touch for a long time. Jessie and Frank were like family to me. Jessie knew the Lord and her faith carried her through many hard times in her life. I know she will be a beautiful angel above.
Rest in peace Jessie. Love, Kathy Tracy

kathy tracy - February 28, 2025 at 08:22 AM

MG

Kathy
Thank you for the true words about my grandmother. I'm glad that she is with Frank, her parents and her kids. My mom and I will miss going to see her every weekend. ❤️🌹

*Much love,
Jessie's family*

Melissa Gray - February 28, 2025 at 04:53 PM

KT

Melissa, Your grandma was so special to me. She helped me when my son 46 passed unexpectedly of a heart attack. We talked and she prayed and wrote letters. Frank and Jessie and Frank loved each other so much. As I said, they were not only friends but family. Tell your mother hi as I met her one time. I met Frank and Jessie when I was a Travel Agent in Bloomington. If you can, please send me your email. Love and hugs to all and so wish I could come to the funeral but living up here it would be hard but my thoughts and prayers for all. Your grandma love her kids and grandchildren so much.

Kathy Tracy - March 01, 2025 at 10:12 AM

ME

meagrays@iu.edu

Melissa - March 10, 2025 at 01:13 PM



“ *I remember all the days spent at the Windcrest house in Doans. Many days were spent fishing at the pond, learning how to canoe, and having cookouts.*

Mamaw always made sure everyone was well fed and cared for! I can remember many of the family dinners spent around the dining table. She always had more than enough food prepared and was certain to prepare a dessert. Whenever I was studying with Papaw for my amateur radio license, she always made me lemon bars because she knew they were my favorite.

Mamaw always remember birthdays. She was fond of playing the piano, especially the hymns from church. We played lots of Scrabble, Clue, and cards after dinner.

I can remember when Nathan and I were running through the pine trees at their house in Doans and ran into a hornet nest. Nathan got the worst of it, but Mamaw took care of him and made sure he was taken care of. She always cared for those around her and was a shining ray of light in this world.

David Dixon - February 28, 2025 at 02:53 AM