



## Kathryn J. (Bowers) Byers

March 20, 1921 - August 3, 2011

Kathryn J. (Bowers) Byers, 90, of Bloomfield, passed away at 1:20 p.m. Wednesday, August 3, 2011 at Glenburn Home.

Born March 20, 1921 in Vigo County, she was the daughter of Erma M. and Cenith (Craig) Bowers.

She was a homemaker and a beautician. She was a member of the Bloomfield First Baptist Church.

Surviving relatives include: one daughter, Sue Sparks (Ron) of Bloomfield; one son Richard D. Byers, Jr. (Patty) of Fairview, Oregon; grandchildren, Bradley D. Byers of Colorado, Brett D. Byers of Montana, Travis Sparks (Amy) of Seattle, Washington and Sawyer Sparks (Sammie) of Bloomfield; and her great-grandchildren, Aiden and Emerson Sparks of Seattle, Washington.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Richard D. Byers, Sr. on September 6, 1991, one daughter, Donna Marie Byers, one brother, Maurice D. Bowers and her parents.

Funeral services will be conducted 10:00 a.m. Tuesday, August 9, 2011 at Jenkins & Sons Funeral Home in Bloomfield. Graveside services will be conducted 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at Roselawn Memorial Park in Terre Haute.

Public visitation will be from 4 to 8 p.m. Monday and 1 hour prior to services Tuesday at the funeral home.

The family asks that all memorial contributions be made to Bloomfield First Baptist Church, Alzheimer's Association or the American Cancer Society.

Online condolences to the family are available at [www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.c](http://www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.c)

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# Tribute Wall

KR

“ Sue, I was so sorry to hear of the passing of your mother. Paul and I will keep you in our prayers.

Kimberly Rifner - August 11, 2011 at 05:08 PM

BS

“ Dick and Sue, Just wanted to let you know we're thinking of you.  
John and Brenda Strange

Brenda Strange - August 10, 2011 at 12:21 PM

NH

“ Kathryn is now with the Angels.

Nancy (Bush) Hansen - August 09, 2011 at 11:13 AM

MV

“ I am so sorry for your families loss. Take this time to enjoy all your wonderful memories. I will keep your family in my prayers. God Bless.

Mitzi Vaught - August 08, 2011 at 07:44 PM

JG

“ Sue, So sorry to hear of your mother's passing. May your family feel God's presence and love.

Jacky Goad - August 08, 2011 at 05:41 PM

CC

“ *Your family is in my prayers in this time of your loss. I have many good memories of our parents being neighbors and helping each other.*

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**Charlis Crays** - August 06, 2011 at 10:10 AM

KG

“ *Heartfelt Thoughts and Prayers to you and your Family Sue~God Bless...*

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**Kim Gooding** - August 05, 2011 at 06:23 PM

PM

“ *Sue and family,  
I loved being able to minister to Kathryn at Glenburn. She had a wonderful smile and faith - and her eyes still spoke volumes even in the last few weeks I was there. We used to take our children to her house for trick or treating and I loved her delight in seeing them and us.  
I pray that your many good memories fill your hearts to overflowing with gratitude for the life she gave you. And I pray that you are experiencing God's love and comfort in these days and that God's peace embraces you as you have turned over her care to her heavenly Father. You were a wonderful caretaker and daughter. I wish I could be at the funeral, but I'm glad Brent is able to conduct it.  
Blessings, Patti Meyer*

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**Patti Meyer** - August 04, 2011 at 10:34 PM

JP

“ So, sorry about your loss. Kathryn was a joy to take care of during her time in the nursing home. She was one sharp lady and I always enjoyed watching Sue and her when they would take turns knitting a project. May God help all of you during these difficult days ahead.

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**Jean Plummer** - August 04, 2011 at 05:47 PM

DK

“ Sue and Ron & family:  
Sorry for the loss of your mother. My thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Donna(McIntosh)Kluesner

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**Donna Kluesner** - August 04, 2011 at 03:52 PM