



## MaryAlice Davis

November 12, 1945 - April 25, 2025

Mary Alice Davis, 79, of Solsberry passed away on Friday April 25, 2025 at the IU Health Hospice House in Bloomington.

Born November 12, 1945, in Linton, Indiana the daughter of Curtis and Wilma Maxine (Jones) Groomer.

Mary Alice had worked at RCA before purchasing the Shawnee Trail Café in Bloomfield with her sisters and mother, which they ran from 1987-1994. Patrons traveled many miles to congregate over the Groomer girl's famous home-style cooking. She faithfully attended Pleasant Ridge Church, where her family has congregated for generations.

Surviving relatives include her husband Pete Davis, one son, J.R. (Sherri) Davis, her grandchildren, Jarrad (Rachael) James, Olivia (Garrett) Sarchet, Peyton Davis, her great grandchildren, Lou James, Layla James, Tucker Sarchet, Max Sarchet, she has two sisters, Carol (Tracy) Ferguson, Nancie Lloyd and her nieces and nephews, Roger Arthur, Lisa Abel, Dallas Parsley, Jackie Parsley, Stacy Skomp, Kim Feasel, Scott Davis, Lori Dammeyer, Seth and Ben Burch.

Mary Alice and Pete's love story began when Pete entered an Eastern Greene basketball game searching for the prettiest woman in attendance to

marry. He found her. They dated for two years before marrying and were only a few months away from celebrating their 60th Anniversary.

Mary Alice was easy to love and will be missed by all who knew her.

Visitation will be held from 4 to 8 P.M. on Tuesday and 11 A.M. Wednesday until the hour of service at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield.

Services will be held at 12:00 P.M. on Wednesday at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield with Brother Tom Medina officiating. Burial will follow at Ridgeport Cemetery.

The family asks that memorial donations in Mary Alice's name be given to Ridgeport Cemetery.

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

# Cemetery Details

## Ridgeport cemetery

State Road 54 east  
Bloomfield, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 29. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

GG

“ I’m so sorry for your loss. We both went to Pleasant Ridge Church when we were kids. Thoughts and prayers are with all her family. Sincere condolences.

Gayle (Helms) Gedrich - May 04, 2025 at 11:53 PM

PS

“ We are so sorry for the loss of your loved one. She was a special person that will live on in your memories. We pray that God is with each of you through this time. You have our prayers, condolences, and love. Bill & Pat Sharr

Patricia Sharr - April 30, 2025 at 03:49 PM

KE

“ Jr and Sherri we were so sorry to hear of the loss of your mother. May God wrap His arms of comfort around you during this difficult time. Kenny and Betty Edwards

Kenneth and Betty Edwards - April 30, 2025 at 02:59 PM

SH

“ JR and Sherri - I’m so sorry for the loss of your mom. Thinking of you.

Sherry Hixon - April 29, 2025 at 07:09 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of MaryAlice Davis.



April 29, 2025 at 07:58 AM



“ Rodney and Martha Burch lit a candle in memory of MaryAlice Davis



**Rodney and Martha Burch** - April 29, 2025 at 06:47 AM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of MaryAlice Davis.



April 28, 2025 at 02:49 PM



“ Rich, Connie, Tina, Dave, Beth & Melissa purchased the Basket Full of Wishes for the family of MaryAlice Davis.



**Rich, Connie, Tina, Dave, Beth & Melissa** - April 28, 2025 at 01:47 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of MaryAlice Davis.

April 28, 2025 at 08:34 AM



“ Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of MaryAlice Davis.



April 28, 2025 at 08:34 AM



“ I REMEMBER GOING THERE THREE OR MORE TIMES A WEEK AND THEN I ALSO LIVED NEXT DOOR TO THE CAFE GREAT FOOD FRIENDLY FACES AND A PLACE TO GATHER TOGETHER FOR COFFEE AND READ THE MORNING NEWS AND QUICK ACCESS FOR DADS CIGARETTES! MY AUNT WANDA WAS A GROOMER PART OF MY FAMILY AND WILL BE GREATLY MISSED! FLY WITH ANGELS

Julie Johnson - April 28, 2025 at 06:36 AM



“ sorry for your families loss such a sweet lady

Kristy Patton - April 27, 2025 at 07:09 PM

AE

“ Always loved seeing her and talking to her, such a wonderful lady!  
We sure loved going to her, and the  
families restaurant as well.  
She sure will be missed!!

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**Annette English** - April 27, 2025 at 04:53 PM

KW

“ J R, I am so very sorry for your loss. It is hard to lose anyone,  
especially your mom. Keeping you and yours in my prayers.

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**Karen Wirt** - April 27, 2025 at 10:13 AM