



Rhea Dawn Waldrige

September 24, 1939 - July 15, 2020

Rhea Dawn Waldrige, 80, of Springville passed away Wednesday July 15, 2020 at her residence.

Born September 24, 1939 in Chicago, Illinois the daughter of Harry F. and Emily Nina (Stultz) Chesnut.

Rhea was retired from the state of Indiana where she did job placement, she was over 50-year member of the Eastern Star, a member of the Owensburg Baptist Church and loved IU basketball and Kentucky basketball.

Surviving relatives include her husband of 62 years, Jerry Waldrige, three daughters, Risa (David) Riggs, Janette (Sam Vitatoe) Vaughn, Sherry Waldrige, she has four grandchildren, nine great grandchildren, one sister, Beverly Spoonmore and several nieces and nephews.

Rhea was preceded in death by a brother-in-law Dale Spoonmore and her parents.

Friends may call from 4 to 8 P.M. at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield, masks are required in the building due to the Covid 19.

A graveside service will be held for the public at 1:00 P.M. Saturday at

Owensburg Cemetery with Pastor Kerry Asher officiating, the Eastern Star will have a service at the cemetery on Saturday.

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

Cemetery Details

Owensburg Cemetery

Owensburg, IN 47453

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 17. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Lester Jenkins and Sons Funeral Home Inc. - Bloomfield
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Graveside Service

JUL 18. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

BL

“ *Brenda Lowder lit a candle in memory of Rhea Dawn Waldrige*



Brenda Lowder - July 20, 2020 at 05:31 PM

TC

“ *Teresa Chesnut lit a candle in memory of Rhea Dawn Waldrige*



Teresa Chesnut - July 18, 2020 at 12:50 PM

WH

“ *.Sorry to hear of Rhea Dawns passing .We had been friends since first grade .She was a very special lady. We shared many good times growing up.We have you all in our thoughts & prayers. Willis & Rhelda Horn of Brownsburg, Ind. Formerly of Owensburg.*

Willis & Rhelda Horn - July 17, 2020 at 02:53 PM

BG

“ So sorry to hear about Rhea. We worked together at the employment agency in Bloomington. We had a small but dedicated group. Rhea was most helpful in assisting me in many projects. I always enjoyed the time we spent together both at work and after work. Rhea was a dedicated employee and always did more than her share of work.

*Her friend
Bill Gregory*

Bill Gregory - July 17, 2020 at 10:34 AM

 Tina
Miller

“ Tina Miller lit a candle in memory of Rhea Dawn Waldrige



Tina Miller - July 16, 2020 at 08:20 PM

JT

“ Dear Jerry and family, Sending heartfelt sympathy to all of you in the passing of Rhea Dawn. She and I graduated from OHS together. So sorry for her extended illness. You are in my thoughts and prayers. Joann (Russell) Teresi

Joann P Teresi - July 16, 2020 at 05:51 PM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Rhea Dawn Waldrige.*



July 16, 2020 at 04:45 PM