



Thelma Mae (Ashcraft) Carter

December 1, 1929 - September 27, 2013

Thelma Mae (Ashcraft) Carter, 83, of Owensburg, Indiana and Sebring, Florida passed away on Friday September 27, 2013 at 11:45 P.M. at IU Health Bloomington Hospital with her loving family at her bedside.

Mae was born in Koleen, Indiana on December 1, 1929 to Jesse Hugh Ashcraft and Freeda Mae Roberts Ashcraft. She was the eleventh child in the family. She and James L. Carter were united in marriage on July 31, 1948 in Spencer, Indiana.

Survivors include her husband James, two children, Bonnie Lou Carter Holtsclaw (Darel) of Owensburg and Randy Jim Carter (Carolyn) of Bloomington, three grandchildren, Bradley James Holtsclaw of Cincinnati, Ohio, Melissa Jill Fields of Florence, SC and Marie Carter of Bloomington, one step granddaughter Amanda Poore (Stinson), eight great grandchildren and one great great grandson, one sister Wynona Ernsberger of Shelby, Ohio.

Preceded her in death was her parents, son Ritchie Tim Carter, sisters: Hazel, Lucille, Anna and Berniece and her brothers; Quince, Jack, Jesse, Daniel and Wayne.

She was a member of the Solsberry Eastern Star and a charter member of Xi Nu Chapter of Delta Theta Tau Sorority, Inc.

Friends may call from 4 to 8 P.M. on Tuesday and 10 A.m. Wednesday until the hour of service at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield.

Services will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Wednesday October 2, 2013 at Jenkins Funeral Home in Bloomfield with Rev. Kenny Adams officiating. Burial will

follow at Dishman Cemetery.

In Lieu of flowers, donations can be made to Dishman Cemetery in care of Jenkins Funeral Home or a small bouquet of flowers.

Online condolences to the family can be made at www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com

Tribute Wall

AB

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Please accept my deepest sympathy. May you find comfort from your memories, as well as the comfort found in God's word the bible. Romans 5:12 says, "That is why, just as through one man (Adam) sin entered into the world and death through sin, and thus death spread to all men because they had all sinned." How loving of God to promise what is found at Revelation 21:4 which says, "And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away.”

A. Bell - October 17, 2013 at 08:36 AM

DP

“ Remembering many fun days playing in Mae's yard as a child. Will forever remember her & Jim sitting together on their front porch and the warm happy smile and big friendly wave for all who passed by.

Darlene Jones Pachyn - October 09, 2013 at 01:22 PM

DW

“ Spent many a day as a child playing in Mae's yard with Brad and Missy. She was always kind and welcomed us into her home many times. I am blessed to have known her, I will have the family in my prayers in the days to come.

Danny Wilson - October 01, 2013 at 06:46 PM

SK

“ So very sorry - Mae was a very special lady and I know you will miss her terribly. I am so thankful that Mae and Jim welcomed me so graciously at many events. What very happy memories I will have of Mae,

Sally Kile - October 01, 2013 at 04:29 PM

RR

“ *I'll always remember Mae's big smile and the way she'd laugh. She will be greatly missed by the people of Owensburg.*

ROBIN HIRTH REED - September 30, 2013 at 08:13 PM

WT

“ *Bonnie:
Sorry to hear about the passing of your mother. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.
Winona and Tim Tague*

Winona Tague - September 30, 2013 at 06:55 PM

WH

“ *We were very saddened to hear of the loss of my dear friend, Mae. We wish to send our condolences and will keep her family in our thoughts and prayers. Thinking of Wynona and wish to send her my regards.*

Wilma Jean Hall Hasler - September 30, 2013 at 03:11 PM

JT

“ *Jim, Bonnie, Daryl, Brad, Missy & family,
We are so blessed to have been able to see and visit with Aunt Mae at grandma's party. You are all in our thoughts and prayers!
Love, Julie, Derrick, Shane & Rohan*

Julie Carter Thomas - September 30, 2013 at 02:08 PM

KW

“ *Bonnie, Darel, Brad, Missy and the entire Carter family
I am so sorry to hear of Grandma's passing. Gosh the times I spent
at her place with Missy growing up. I loved her dearly. She was a
very loving woman. My prayers for peace in your hearts as you
celebrate her life.*

Kim (Martindale) Walls - September 30, 2013 at 12:44 PM