



Waunetta Jane Burks

April 5, 1932 - November 17, 2014

Waunetta Jane (Hopkins) Burks was born on April 5, 1932 in New Castle, Indiana and moved to Solsberry, Indiana as a young girl. She married her childhood sweetheart, Ervin Leon "Buck" Burks on February 1, 1949 and they built their forever home together in Bloomington, Indiana.

They raised eight children. Phillip Leon Burks (Darlene), Sharron Ann Brosman (Ronnie), Nancy Marie White (Mont), Betty Jane Schulz (Billy), Joyce Lee Cain (Emery), Dennis Clifton Burks (Jennifer), Ricky Allen Burks (Denev) and Randy Joe Burks (Kathy).

Waunetta dedicated her life to being a stay at home mom and homemaker. She loved to draw, paint, sew, quilt, fish and garden. She loved growing flowers and feeding the birds. She was an avid Blue Willow collector.

She leaves behind her eight children, several grandchildren and great grandchildren, and one great-great grandson. She also leaves behind her brother, Willis "Shorty" Hopkins (Sue), sisters, Geneva Murphy, Evelyn Stahl and Judy Raines (Otto).

She was preceded in death by her husband, Buck Burks; her mother, Enola Hopkins-Hines; her father, Floyd Hopkins; and her brother, Wilburn Hopkins. Funeral services will be conducted at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 19, 2014 at Jenkins & Sons Funeral Home in Bloomfield. Interment will follow in Garrison Chapel cemetery in Bloomington.

Public Visitation will be held from 4 to 8 p.m. on Tuesday and 1 hour prior to services on Wednesday at the funeral home.

Online condolences to the family are available at www.jenkinsfuneralhomes.com.

Tribute Wall

CH

“ *My beautiful Grandmother, I love you all the way to Heaven. You will live in my heart forever. I miss you so very much and I will always remember you. You were the strongest woman I've ever seen! Fly high with the angels and give Pappaw a hug from me! I'll see you again one day!*

Charlotte - November 19, 2014 at 11:14 PM

AS

“ *i love you grandma!!! Fly high with Angels*

Ashley - November 19, 2014 at 01:41 PM

MK

“ *The end of era! Here is to a life well-lived. And escaped the snow, just in time.*

Marion Krefeldt - November 19, 2014 at 10:33 AM

TM

“ *Deepest sympathies from the Dewey Wood Family.
Linda & Randall Mitchner Barbara & Norman Schoolcraft Sue &
Kenny Robinson Phyllis Adkins Alice & Ray Turpin*

Tami Mitchner - November 19, 2014 at 09:29 AM

SF

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you all!*

Stephanie Reed and Family - November 18, 2014 at 07:51 PM

TP

“ Love yourself right now and don't forget to be kind to your heart.
God will handle the rest

Tara Woods Pierson - November 18, 2014 at 08:57 AM

BC

“ We may not have had the best of relationships, but I will always love
you and miss you. RIP with grandpa now. Love you.

Barb Carter - November 18, 2014 at 08:48 AM

BW

“ So sorry for The familys loss She was such Sweet and Kind Lady

Becky Wooden - November 17, 2014 at 07:07 PM

JH

“ Betty and Family , So sorry for your loss. You all are in my thoughts
and Prayers .

jacki hardy hopkins - November 17, 2014 at 06:56 PM

BB

“ so sorry for your loss prayers for you all

bob and shelly burnette - November 17, 2014 at 06:30 PM

JC

“ I love you mom

Joyce Cain - November 17, 2014 at 05:03 PM

EC

“ Love to my cousins family. May your pain be eased with God's touch.

Edith Burton Corey - November 17, 2014 at 03:51 PM

DB

“ Until we meet again grandma i will be missing and loving you. But i know you are happy with papaw again.

Dakota Burks - November 17, 2014 at 03:42 PM

RB

“ Mom I love and miss you

Randy Burks - November 17, 2014 at 03:32 PM