



## Barbara S. (Harris) Byrd

May 28, 1936 - April 13, 2009

Barbara S. (Harris) Byrd, age 72 of Remington, passed away at her home on Monday, April 13, 2009. She was a 40 year resident of Remington, also having lived in Indianapolis and Ft. Wayne. Barbara was born in Mitchell, Indiana on May 28, 1936, the daughter of Paul Virgel and Mary Louise (Chenault) Harris. She was a graduate of Mitchell High School and furthered her education at both Purdue University and St. Joseph College. Barbara was retired from St. Joseph College where she was employed for 17 years as Director of Developmental Grants. On March 28, 1981, in Mitchell, she married Richard E. Byrd who survives. Barbara was a member of the Remington United Methodist Church. She had served as both president and vice-president of Tri-Kappa Sorority, was a charter member of the Jasper County Crisis Center and a member of the Remington Zoning Board. Barbara is survived by her husband Richard, four sons, Gregory S. (Jean) Chastain, Boston, MA, Jeffery A. (Roxane) Byrd, Remington, Richard W. (Tonya) Byrd, Lafayette and Mike Byrd, Rensselaer; eight grandchildren, Kyle, Ryan, Nichole, Jake, Kolt, Dillon, Gabriela and Jarrod; two great-grandchildren and two sisters, Peggy Jean (Gerald) Lambert, Monticello and Shirley Gerkin Haynes, Owenboro, KY

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **15**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *May she rest in peace with her Lord  
Larry and Lorna Emmons  
Class of 1954##imported-begin##Larry Emmons##imported-end##*

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April 21, 2009 at 11:30 PM



“ *Peggy & Gerald,*

*I am so sorry for the loss of your sister. I haven't talk to you in a long time, I didn't know you moved to Monticello. You are both in our thoughts & payers. Your sister was a special person, I remember seeing her at auctions, she really like antiques.*

*Love Pam, Brian , Chloe Vanderwall##imported-begin##Pam Vanderwall##imported-end##*

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April 19, 2009 at 01:34 PM



“ *I was in the same class with Barbara at Mitchell My family moved after my sopmore year and I finished at Delphi I am very sorry to hear about her death. (Bill)##imported-begin##Bill Glover##imported-end##*

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April 17, 2009 at 12:59 PM



“ I am a volunteer here in Lafayette trying to console and bring comfort to those who are mourning for the loss of their loved ones. I am deeply sorry for your loss. Please accept my sincere sympathy. We can take comfort in knowing that our dead loved ones are resting according to John 11:11 with no pain and waiting for the day when they will be awakened from their deep sleep. Another promise that is worth waiting for is in John 5:28,29 that says in part "Do not marvel at this because the hour is coming in which all those in the memorial tombs will hear his voice and come out". How glad we can be that our dead loved ones who are in God's memory will awaken from the sleep of death to enjoy all the good things he has in store for those who love him! Meanwhile, we know that God is the God of all comfort and I hope that He will comfort your entire family during this difficult time of yours. Once again, please accept my deepest sympathy and have a blessed day.##imported-begin##Dupe##imported-end##

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April 17, 2009 at 09:45 AM



“ We are so sorry to here of Barbras passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.##imported-begin##Fred & Phyllis Harris##imported-end##

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April 15, 2009 at 01:16 PM



“ Dick and Family,  
Our prayers are with all of you during this difficult time. Barb was a wonderful person and was always very friendly when we saw her.##imported-begin##Bill Cochran##imported-end##

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April 15, 2009 at 11:11 AM



“ We are sorry for your loss. She will truly be missed. The trips to Indiana will never be the same.

Love,

Derek and Katie Gould##imported-begin##Mr & Mrs. Derek Gould##imported-end##

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April 14, 2009 at 11:44 PM



“ Barbara's classmates (1954) from Mitchell send our condolences to her family. She was our friend, and we have great memories from our school years together. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with all of you.##imported-begin##MHS Class of 1954##imported-end##

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April 14, 2009 at 09:08 PM



“ Greg and family, my heartfelt sympathy goes out to all of you.##imported-begin##Robin Fink##imported-end##

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April 14, 2009 at 07:29 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Phil 1:6 Sincerely, Dr. Bill##imported-begin##William R. Border, D.D.S.##imported-end##

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April 14, 2009 at 04:07 PM



“ So sorry to hear of Barbara's passing.  
Thoughts and prayers to Barbara's and Dick's family.  
Joyce Wilder Parsons##imported-begin##Joyce Wilder Parsons##imported-end##

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April 14, 2009 at 08:48 AM



“ *Dear Dick and Family*  
*I was so sorry to read of Barbara's passing.*  
*My Prayers and thoughts are with you all.*  
*Judy Culp##imported-begin##Judy Culp##imported-end##*

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April 14, 2009 at 07:30 AM



“ *Prays are with you##imported-begin##Becky&Tammy*  
*Cooper##imported-end##*

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April 14, 2009 at 07:20 AM