



## Diana Kay Chambers

January 11, 1945 - May 26, 2018

Diana Kay Chambers, 73, a lifetime resident of Rensselaer, Indiana passed away at her home on Saturday, May 26, 2018. The daughter of the late Harry Lee Britt, Sr. and Bethel Marie (Stowers) Britt of Rensselaer, Diana was born on January 11, 1945 in Rensselaer.

After graduating from Rensselaer High School with the class of 1962, she went on to graduate from beauty school. Diana worked as a waitress at both the Trail Tree restaurant and Janet's Kitchen, and as the bar manager for eight years at the Rensselaer Eagles Lodge.

She was a member of the Brushwood United Methodist Church in Rensselaer.

Diana is survived by her companion of thirty-eight years, Fred McEwan.

Together they enjoyed wintering in Mexico Beach, Florida and spending time on the river in Branch, Michigan.

She was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, the American Legion Post #29 Auxiliary , and the V.F.W. Post # 1279 Auxiliary all in Rensselaer.

Diana enjoyed spending time in her garden, journaling and was an avid reader.

Surviving with her dearest friend and companion Fred and her mother Bethel are her children, Karen (Robert "Dink") Holbrook and Kimberly (Eugene) Wright, Fred's children, Lori (Don) Fellmy and the late Jeff McEwan, all of Rensselaer; her sister, Cheryn Kolhagen of Rensselaer, and ten grandchildren, Alisha, Kyler, Keegen, Shyla, Shayna, Brayden, Jennifer, Kendra, Shelby and Tori and 9 great-grandchildren. In addition to her father,

Diana was preceded in death by a brother, Harry Lee Britt, Jr.

The family will receive friends at the Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer on Wednesday, May 30, 2018, from 2:00 to 6:00 p.m. Funeral services will follow at 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday with Pastor John Hostetter officiating. Private graveside services will be held at a later date. Memorials are suggested to the American Legion Post #29 Auxiliary or the Franciscan Hospice.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 30.** 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer  
250 N. McKinley Avenue  
P.O. Box 70  
Rensselaer, IN 47978  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Diana Kay Chambers



Jackson Funeral Chapels - May 29, 2018 at 02:50 PM



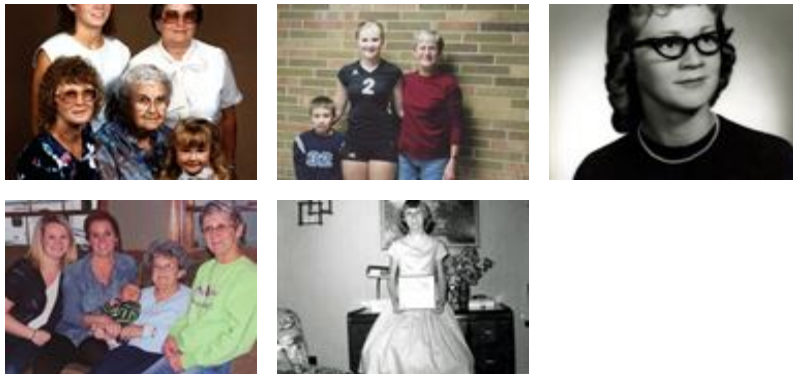
“ Tammy, Shelby & Tori McEwan lit a candle in memory of Diana Kay Chambers



Tammy, Shelby & Tori McEwan - May 29, 2018 at 03:28 PM



“ 47 files added to the album Life Tributes



Jackson Funeral Chapels - May 29, 2018 at 12:54 PM

LM

“ My condolences to Karen and Kim and the rest of the family... Karen was a great person...I baby-sat for Karen and Kim..my name at that time was Linda Shipley...I named my daughter after Kim...agaun., my condolences to the family.. 🙏

Linda Mcbrayer - May 28, 2018 at 12:50 PM

LM

I meant to say Diane...I'm sorry..

Linda Mcbrayer - May 28, 2018 at 12:55 PM

EH

“ Our deepest sympathy to Fred and Diana's family! Please know you are in our thoughts and prayers during this difficult time. GREAT memories of our time together at Mexico Beach, Florida.

Love,  
Marv and Elaine Hornstein

Elaine Hornstein - May 28, 2018 at 10:47 AM

DC

“ Lori & family, our are thinking of you during this time of loss.  
Don & Jackie Corning

Don & Jackie Corning - May 28, 2018 at 07:14 AM

TM

“ Tammy McNelly lit a candle in memory of  
Diana Kay Chambers



Tammy McNelly - May 28, 2018 at 06:30 AM

TM

*Kim & family & Karen & family we have been friends all our lives my heart goes out to you both & your family's!!!! Prayers for strength to get through this tough and heartbreaking time !!!! Much love and loads of hugs to you all !!!!*

**Tammy McNelly** - May 28, 2018 at 06:41 AM

GE

“ *Gembala, Elaine lit a candle in memory of Diana Kay Chambers*



**Gembala, Elaine** - May 28, 2018 at 05:51 AM

LH

“ *Deepest sympathy to Fred and all your family. Larry and Garnet Huhn*



**Larry and Garnet Huhn** - May 27, 2018 at 10:03 PM

NS

“ *Nancy Sheffer-Poole lit a candle in memory of Diana Kay Chambers*



**Nancy Sheffer-Poole** - May 27, 2018 at 10:00 PM

LP

“ Cheryn,

*So sorry for your loss. Prayers for you, your mother and her family, that God sends comfort during these difficult days! May she rest in peace!*



Lib Prohosky - May 27, 2018 at 07:22 PM

MW

“ *I'm going to miss you and miss are long talks. Never going to stay good also have you in my heart until we meet again. my prayers are with the family and love ya all*



Mark & Stacy Waling - May 27, 2018 at 04:55 PM

TB

“ *Deepest condolences to my nieces Shyla & Shayna and to lifelong friends Karen and Kim and to Fred and family as well. Diane will be truly missed by many* 💔



Tammy Bottoms - May 27, 2018 at 02:42 PM

RH

“ *Rich & Dale Huhn lit a candle in memory of Diana Kay Chambers*



Rich & Dale Huhn - May 27, 2018 at 01:31 PM

GW

“ *Glen & Linda Wood lit a candle in memory of Diana Kay Chambers*



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**Glen & Linda Wood** - May 27, 2018 at 01:00 PM

TA

“ *Sending our thoughts and prayers to Fred and family. Diane will be missed by many ♡*



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**Tom & Mary Alberts** - May 27, 2018 at 12:53 PM