



## Ida E. Piatt

February 9, 1920 - June 3, 2015

Ida E. Piatt, age 95, of Rensselaer passed away June 3, 2015, at George Ade Memorial Healthcare in Brook, IN. Ida was born February 9, 1920, in Rensselaer, Indiana, the daughter of Matthew and Rose (Misch) Moosemiller. Ida was a lifetime resident, living in Parr, IN.

Ida was a graduate of Rensselaer High School with the Class of 1938, and graduated from nurse's training at St. Margaret's Hospital in 1941. She was a registered nurse in the Obstetric's Department at Jasper County Hospital where she lovingly cared for new mothers and their babies until her retirement in 1985.

Her marriage was in Rensselaer on May 5, 1949, to Lawrence E. Piatt who preceded her in death on April 25, 2011. Ida and her husband owned and operated the Parr Grocery for many years.

She was a member of St. Augustine Catholic Church in Rensselaer, St. Ann's Study Club, the Christian Women's group and Pantry Pal's Home Ec Club.

Surviving are her loving children, Lawrence Piatt of Lafayette, IN, Richard (Beckie) Piatt of Lakewood Ranch, FL, Mary (Ron) Alson of Rensselaer, Patti (Rod) Gonso of Indianapolis, IN, John (Jeannie) Piatt of Columbus, IN,

William Piatt of Rensselaer, and James (Jennifer) Piatt of Milford, MI; 12 grandchildren, 8 great-grandchildren, her sister Ruth Streveler of Rensselaer and several nieces and nephews. Ida was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Lawrence, one granddaughter Sarah E. Baer, and two brothers.

Friends may call at the Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer Saturday, June

6, 2015, from 9:00 to 11:00 A.M. Funeral mass will be held at the St. Augustine Catholic Church in Rensselaer on Saturday at 11:00 A.M. with Father Ambrose Ziegler officiating. Burial will follow at Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Rensselaer. Memorials may be made to the St. Augustine Catholic School in Rensselaer, 328 N. McKinley Ave., Rensselaer, IN 47978.

# Cemetery Details

## Mt. Calvary Cemetery - Rensselaer

Mt. Calvary Cemetery  
Rensselaer, IN 47978

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 6. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer  
250 N. McKinley Avenue  
P.O. Box 70  
Rensselaer, IN 47978  
(219) 866-5123  
[info@jacksonfuneral.com](mailto:info@jacksonfuneral.com)  
<https://www.jacksonfuneral.com>

## Funeral Mass

JUN 6. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Augustine Catholic Church  
318 North McKinley Avenue  
Rensselaer, IN 47978  
(219) 866-5351  
<https://stmichaelpastorate.org/>

# Tribute Wall

CO

“ Cheryl Schultz Oreskovich lit a candle in memory of Ida E. Piatt



Cheryl Schultz Oreskovich - June 12, 2015 at 08:31 AM

CO

So sorry to read about the passing of your Mom. I used to ride the bus with all the Piatt kids when George Murphy drove the bus. I remember when we stopped in Parr how empty the bus became when all the Piatt kids got off the bus. May you all have may happy memories that will replace the sadness you feel today. Sincerely Cheryl Schultz Oreskovich

Cheryl Schultz Oreskovich - June 12, 2015 at 08:35 AM

JM

“ Janice Hopkins Malchow lit a candle in memory of Ida E. Piatt



Janice Hopkins Malchow - June 08, 2015 at 06:59 PM

MB

“ Myles Beeching lit a candle in memory of Ida E. Piatt



Myles Beeching - June 08, 2015 at 08:57 AM

JB

“ *Judy Burvan lit a candle in memory of Ida E. Piatt*



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**Judy Burvan** - June 07, 2015 at 02:45 PM

JS

“ *Joann Skinner lit a candle in memory of Ida E. Piatt*



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**Joann Skinner** - June 06, 2015 at 11:03 AM

CM

“ *Craig and Mona purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Ida E. Piatt.*



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**Craig and Mona** - June 05, 2015 at 10:22 PM

TB

“ Aunt Ida was the finest at not letting chaos cause her to raise her voice or run in the other direction...I should know I was at the Piatt house a lot. I was either at the Piatt house or my grandparents across the road and don't remember anyone ever telling me to go home. I do remember playing basketball in the driveway until someone woke up and came outside. I also remember my grandmother cutting her hand with a sharp knife and running to get Ida for help. To see her calmness showed me what is special about great nurses when there's an emergency.

*Tim Brusnahan  
Shorewood WI & Parr*

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**Tim Brusnahan** - June 05, 2015 at 01:58 PM

RB

“ Growing up in Parr as a kid, the first agenda of the day would be for all the Parr kids to meet at Piatt's to strategically plan our day of adventure and mischief. It's amazing how Lawrence and Ida put up with all our orneriness. Nothing Better than growing up in Parr back then. Wouldn't change a thing. Love you Ida. Rick Brunton

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**Rick Brunton** - June 05, 2015 at 01:35 PM

LB

“ Jim, Jennifer and family. My thoughts and prayers are with you at this time. Love, Lois Beaty.

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**Lois Beaty** - June 05, 2015 at 09:49 AM



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**Bobbie Moosmiller** - June 05, 2015 at 09:09 AM



“ *Pat Moosmiller (logged into Facebook as his wife, Bobbie): I have many fond memories of Aunt Ida and playing with my cousins at her (and Uncle Lawrence's) house in Parr. Although I was too young to have this memory, Aunt Ida assisted at my birth and helped my mom recover and watched over me. A totally random but very amusing memory I have of Aunt Ida was how she used to make wine from Welch's grape juice. As I recall no one else had the courage to drink that Welch's wine. Was this a talent she acquired during her travels (including to California) as a nurse during WWII?*

**Bobbie Moosmiller** - June 05, 2015 at 09:06 AM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Ida E. Piatt.*



June 05, 2015 at 07:10 AM

SD

“ Steve And Sharon Dill lit a candle in memory of Ida E. Piatt



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**Steve and Sharon Dill** - June 05, 2015 at 06:16 AM

GW

“ Gloria Waymouth lit a candle in memory of Ida E. Piatt



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**Gloria Waymouth** - June 04, 2015 at 05:39 PM