



## Juanita Marie Allen

December 5, 1935 - April 8, 2014

Juanita Marie Allen, age 78 of Remington, Indiana passed away April 8, 2014 at IU Health White Memorial Hospital in Monticello, Indiana. Juanita was born in Jasper County, Ind., December 5, 1935, the daughter of Delphine (Boudreau) and George Sommers. She was a 1953 graduate of Remington High School.

On August 28, 1961, in Folkston, Georgia, Juanita married Edward Allen and they celebrated 52 years of marriage.

Juanita worked her entire life until retiring from Magnetek in Goodland in 1998.

She was a homemaker and enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren and her children. Juanita loved attending high school reunions and athletic events, playing bingo and cards, watching NASCAR and the Indianapolis Colts.

Surviving with her loving husband Ed are three children, Eddie (Michele) Allen, Jr., of Monon, Ind., Steven (Robin) Allen of Wolcott, Ind., and Sheila (Ed) Mitchell of Remington, 11 grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren and two sisters, Evelyn Garvin of Bradenton, Florida and Lois Walters of Indianapolis, Ind. She was preceded in death by her parents.

Friends may call at the Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer on Sunday, April 13, 2014, from 2-8 P.M. CST. Funeral services will be held at the Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer on Monday, April 14, 2014, at 10:30 A.M. CST with Pastor Tom Dewlen officiating. Burial will follow at Memory Gardens

Cemetery, Rensselaer.

# Cemetery Details

## Memory Gardens of Rensselaer

Memory Gardens  
Rensselaer, IN 47978  
(219) 866-5125  
info@jacksonfuneral.com

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**APR 13.** 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer  
250 N. McKinley Avenue  
P.O. Box 70  
Rensselaer, IN 47978  
(219) 866-5123  
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## Service

**APR 14.** 10:30 AM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer  
250 N. McKinley Avenue  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Juanita Marie Allen*



**Jackson Funeral Chapels** - April 13, 2014 at 10:39 AM

TL

“ *Terry & Linda lit a candle in memory of Juanita Marie Allen*



**Terry & Linda** - April 12, 2014 at 08:36 PM

CA

“ *Sitting in a tractor 2 in the morning applying poop thinking about u grandma I know u are here with me just want to tell u I love u and miss u so very much love u grandma*

**christopher allen** - April 12, 2014 at 01:30 AM

CS

“ *Cheri Scheller lit a candle in memory of Juanita Marie Allen*



**cheri scheller** - April 11, 2014 at 04:35 PM

RA

“ *ROBIN ALLEN sent a virtual gift in memory of Juanita Marie Allen*



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**ROBIN ALLEN** - April 11, 2014 at 01:20 PM

SA

“ *STEVE ALLEN lit a candle in memory of Juanita Marie Allen*



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**STEVE ALLEN** - April 11, 2014 at 01:08 PM

GF

“ *Gary, Debbie, Kathy and Families purchased the Heavenly Heights Bouquet for the family of Juanita Marie Allen.*



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**Gary, Debbie, Kathy and Families** - April 11, 2014 at 09:58 AM

SC

“ You and I have so many good memories together I don't even know which one to share. When I came to see you and grandpa so I could show you my new tatoos I was so happy that you approved. Them words run through my head every time I look at my arm. I will share them here:

*Me: Grandma and grandpa do you think I'll ever forget you when you are no longer here with me?*

*Grandma: I don't think you will and I sure hope Colby doesn't either!*

*Grandpa: I'd sure as hell hope not!*

*Me: (As I take off my sweatshirt to reveal my new tatoos) I have went and done something that I want to show you. It is proof that myself and anyone else that sees me will never forget you!*

*I put my arm up real close to your eyes and the first thing you noticed was your birthday. I showed you where your name was and you told me that, that was some goofy writing. I said yea grandma that's the style these days and couldn't help but laugh. It made my heart sink to see you shed a happy tear. I will admit when you told me to give you a hug and kiss I left a tear of my own on your shoulder! You and grandpa both know your my rock! You know everything about me. Colby wouldn't even be the dog he is today if it wasn't for you. It never got old when you would tell me about Colby. You always said he was another grandson you got to help raise! Colby knows who was to you. When I brought him to see you this last time. I said grandma let him get his investigating done and he will jump up in bed with you so he can cuddle. The smile you got on your face when he made that jump and made jump a bit with always be in my head. You said "Colby what are you doin?" I said "grandma I told you he would want to cuddle with you". I'm sure he will never forget that hug you gave him!*

*Grandma I love you so much! Colby loves you just as much! You*

*will always be in our hearts! We will come see you all the time!*  
**LOVE YOU!**  
*Stan and Colby*

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**Stan and Colby** - April 10, 2014 at 10:14 PM

LA

“ *Larry And Sherry Allen lit a candle in memory of Juanita Marie Allen*



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**Larry and Sherry Allen** - April 10, 2014 at 05:06 PM

LE

“ *Grandma Allen,  
You may not have been my blood grandmother, but you were the grandma I grew up to know and love. You never once let me walk out of the house without giving you a hug goodbye. I love you and the memories that we shared, they will never be forgotten. I will forever miss and love you. This isn't a goodbye, this is a "See you later." I cant wait for the day to see and talk with you again.*  
*-Leah*

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**Leah** - April 09, 2014 at 10:09 PM

KA

“ *Kathy(Mitchell)Hammond lit a candle in memory of Juanita Marie Allen*



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**Kathy(Mitchell)Hammond** - April 09, 2014 at 10:05 PM

SM

“ *Shelby McEwan lit a candle in memory of Juanita Marie Allen*



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**Shelby McEwan** - April 09, 2014 at 08:51 PM

ME

“ *Grandma Allen,  
Saying goodbye to you was by far the hardest thing I have ever had to do. You will forever be with me. Don't worry about grandpa I will take care of him and keep aggravating him jus like always and I'm sure you will be up in heaven laughing just like always when I give it right back to him saying "You get him Megan"! I will also keep you updated on my wedding plans just like I have been. The best memory I have us is when I found my dress! I couldn't have had a better last picture of us, and it will be up at the wedding. I would give anything for you to be able to attend the wedding and I am going to miss you so much. Love you Grandma!*  
**MEGAN MARIE**

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**Megan** - April 09, 2014 at 08:38 PM

ME

“ *Megan lit a candle in memory of Juanita Marie Allen*



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**Megan** - April 09, 2014 at 08:31 PM

JM

“ We all knew it was coming, but we're never really ready. Words can't express my sadness. She was a wonderful, wonderful woman (and a pretty good bowler back in the day). Sure had some fun then. She will forever have a place in everyone's heart. No more pain, and she can see again. Praying for peace and comfort.



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**Judy Mitchell** - April 09, 2014 at 07:49 PM

SA

“ Share a memory of Juanita Marie Allen, or send a condolence to the family... How do I find the words when I feel so empty inside. Mom I can't describe how bad I miss you and how bad I want to hear your voice again. You were always the one I could call and tell all my feelings too. I will never be ready to let you go but God had a different plan. My mom is the strongest woman I know, she had to endure a lifetime of uphill challenges and her last few years were filled with pain and suffering and not once did she ever complain to me. I'm very thankful for the years we had together and I can't wait till we are together again. I love you so much and I know you will be looking down on me, your ever loving son, Steve

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**Steve Allen** - April 09, 2014 at 07:39 PM

TL

“ No more pain. God has you wrapped in his arms now. You were a wonderful woman and will forever be missed. Prayers to all of the family.



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**Tina Lemmons** - April 09, 2014 at 07:29 PM

DA

“ *Love and Miss you grandma.*

*From your Darby*



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**Darby** - April 09, 2014 at 06:54 PM

EA

“ *Love you sweetheart!*

*Love Eddie*

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**Edward Allen** - April 09, 2014 at 06:45 PM

EA

“ *Edward Allen lit a candle in memory of  
Juanita Marie Allen*



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**Edward Allen** - April 09, 2014 at 06:43 PM

HB

“ *Harris And Betty lit a candle in memory of  
Juanita Marie Allen*



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**Harris and Betty** - April 09, 2014 at 04:40 PM

SM

“ To my dearest grandma,  
I love and miss you dearly! I have loved being your granddaughter  
and will forever remember all of the amazing times we've had  
together. You mean the world to mean! I love you Grandma Allen  
and I will see you in heaven!  
-Stephanie

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**Stephanie Mitchell** - April 09, 2014 at 03:44 PM

RP

“ Ed, Sheila and grandchildren,  
  
Memories play a very important job for the  
healing process! Our condolences for your  
loss!



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**Ron & Lib Prohosky** - April 09, 2014 at 03:41 PM

SM

“ Stephanie Mitchell lit a candle in memory of  
Juanita Marie Allen



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**Stephanie Mitchell** - April 09, 2014 at 03:39 PM

SM

“ To my amazing mother I will always love and miss you! I promise to keep your spirit alive. You are truly one of a kind. Give grandma and grandpa a hug from me. I will always keep talking to you so keep listening. I love you mom!

From your Sheila Marie  
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**Sheila Mitchell** - April 09, 2014 at 03:38 PM

SM

“ Sheila Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Juanita Marie Allen



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**Sheila Mitchell** - April 09, 2014 at 03:30 PM

RF

“ Love and condolences to all of the Allen family on the loss of a wonderful mother and grandmother, and for me, Roger Foulks, a wonderful auntie! The same from her loving sister Evelyn who is so sorry to not be in good enough health to make the trip from Florida. Uncle Eddie, thank you for giving her wonderful lifetime love! Eddie Jr, Steven and Sheila, you were blessed with a wonderful mother!

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**Roger Foulks** - April 09, 2014 at 01:10 PM

SA

Thanks for the kind words Roger, mom knew you would not be able to make the trip, just know that your mom and you have a special place in her heart. She is with us all now so keep her in your heart. Steve

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**Steve Allen** - April 09, 2014 at 07:05 PM

CA

“ I love u Grandma and miss u very much  
and I will miss your famous spaghetti  
Love u very much  
Christopher

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**christopher allen** - April 09, 2014 at 12:44 PM

EJ

“ My memory of you mom will be how much you gave of yourself to  
seeing that all of us kids and your grandkids were happy. You kept  
that smile and I will never forget that. I will never forget our last  
conversation and how much we laughed. I was very blessed to have  
had you for the 51 years of my life and I will think of you every  
second for the rest of my life. I miss you and love you so very much!

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**Eddie Allen Jr.** - April 09, 2014 at 12:40 PM

EJ

“ Eddie Allen Jr. lit a candle in memory of  
Juanita Marie Allen



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**Eddie Allen Jr.** - April 09, 2014 at 12:30 PM