



## Lucille Lillian Savich

January 15, 1921 - October 15, 2012

Lucille Lillian "Cille" Savich, age 91, of Rensselaer passed away Monday, October 15, 2012 at her home. Cille was born in Milford, Illinois on January 15, 1921, the daughter of Sam and Effie (Wolfe) Bowen. She grew up in Jasper County and attended the Fair Oaks Schools.

Cille was married in Rensselaer on June 16, 1937, to Nick Savich who preceded her in death on March 30, 1991. She was a homemaker, a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church of Rensselaer and the Ladies Literary Club. She was a longtime resident of Jasper County. Cille and Nick enjoyed time spent in Sturgeon, Missouri and Poplarville, Mississippi..

Surviving are her children, Arthur (wife Janet) Savich, Valparaiso, Melvin Savich, Rensselaer and Beverly (husband Gary) Green, Tucson, AZ; eleven grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren; two sisters, Mary Ruth Stowers, Wheatfield and Betty Ketchum, Ruskin, FL and her sister-in-law, Lockie Bowen, Fayetteville, AR. Cille was preceded in death by her parents, her husband, Nick, three brothers, Charles, Melvin and Sam Jr. Bowen and two sisters, Frances Kimble and Carol Dunn.

Friends will be received Friday, October 19, 2012 from 9 A.M. until 11 A.M. at the Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer. Funeral services will be held at 11 A.M. Friday at the Jackson Funeral Chapel with Pastor John Hostetter officiating. Burial will follow at Memory Gardens Cemetery, Rensselaer. In lieu of flowers the family suggests memorial contributions to the Jasper County Home Healthcare and Hospice.



# Cemetery Details

## Memory Gardens of Rensselaer

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **19**. 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  
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<https://www.jacksonfuneral.com>

## Service

OCT **19**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer  
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# Tribute Wall



“ Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Lucille Lillian Savich



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**Jackson Funeral Chapels** - October 15, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Webcast in memory of Lucille Lillian Savich



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**Jackson Funeral Chapels** - October 15, 2012 at 12:00 AM

GK

“ George And Joan Kanne lit a candle in memory of Lucille Lillian Savich



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**George and Joan Kanne** - October 22, 2012 at 01:11 PM

DJ

“ I have just heard of Aunt Cille's passing. She was such a lovely woman. I have many childhood memories of her. I loved visiting at her home and spending the night. She was always so amazingly kind. She would often ask how my mother was doing, and she really cared to hear my response. (that in itself was very special to me). I am so sorry I was unable to attend the services. Please know that Jeff, I and my family send our deepest condolences. You have all been in the forefront of my thoughts today. God bless you all.

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**Debbie (Savich) Johnston** - October 19, 2012 at 04:30 PM

CZ

“ Cindy Ziese lit a candle in memory of Lucille Lillian Savich



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**Cindy Ziese** - October 19, 2012 at 11:23 AM

JS

“ Joann Skinner lit a candle in memory of Lucille Lillian Savich



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**Joann Skinner** - October 18, 2012 at 07:12 PM

MH

“ Aunt Cille was very special to me - she was my grandma's sister. I first fell in love with her because my Grandma (Bowen) Kimble was so in love with her. Even as a little girl, I recognized that their bond was strong and deep. Aunt Cille would come with my Grandma Kimble to visit us sometimes and I was always amazed at how much they looked alike and talked alike and laughed alike!! And whenever we would see Aunt Cille - she shined from within. She was simply an angel.

They are all in heaven now...my Grandma Kimble, my mom, and my mom's sister (Aunt Sis). These past few days, I have tried to imagine that moment when Aunt Cille stepped into heaven and met the eyes of my Grandma. I imagine that it was so filled with love and joy that all of heaven was silent.

I am so sad that Aunt Cille has left us, but what comfort there is in knowing that those Bowen girls are together, holding hands...forever.

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**Mindy Smith Hall** - October 18, 2012 at 12:21 PM

DR

Hi Mindy! What a sweet tribute. Thank you! There are so many wonderful memories of your family and ours! We have been sharing all day! Miss all of you! Darcy

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**darcy rogers** - October 18, 2012 at 06:43 PM



“ 2 files added to the album An amazing Lady



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**Victoria Savich** - October 17, 2012 at 09:08 PM



*From the moment I met Granny almost 13 years ago...I knew she was something very special. I lost my last Grandparent when I was 8 years old so, it was so neat for me to have a Grandma in my adult years and even more special to have my boys have a Great Grandma. She lived, laughed and most importantly loved to the fullest. Until we meet again sweet Granny. XO*

**Victoria Savich** - October 17, 2012 at 09:14 PM

RH

“ *Rich & Dale Huhn lit a candle in memory of Lucille Lillian Savich*



**Rich & Dale Huhn** - October 17, 2012 at 06:37 PM

RH

*Lucille was a very special lady and a neighbor...She had a heart of gold...She will be missed by everyone that loved her..Our hearts go out to the Savich Family..God Bless*

**Rich & Dale Huhn** - October 17, 2012 at 06:45 PM

DW

“ *Dave & Becky (Ulm) Walter lit a candle in memory of Lucille Lillian Savich*



**Dave & Becky (Ulm) Walter** - October 17, 2012 at 09:07 AM

DW

*Our deepest sympathy to Lucille's family. I have known Cille all of my life and she has been like family to me and my family. She was in my Mothers (Dixie Ulm) life just like a sister. I have many fond childhood memories of Cille she will always have a special place in my heart. Heaven has recieved a very special angel that's for sure. Rest in peace Cille we will all miss you....*

**Dave & Becky (Ulm) Walter** - October 17, 2012 at 09:15 AM

EG

“ *Granny Cille was a very special person, She always wore a smile. I, too, always received a birthday card from her. I felt a part of the family even before my brother married Bev because Granny Cille made me feel special. As Rudy expressed, her loving spirit will live on through her family. To Art, Bev, Mel and families, especially my nephews and nieces, I will not be there in person but certainly in thought.*

*Love,*  
*Emily (Aunt Pip) and Charles*



**Emily Green** - October 17, 2012 at 12:58 AM

DR

*Love and miss you, Aunt Pip! Granny loved you, too!*

**darcy rogers** - October 17, 2012 at 05:42 AM

DR

“ Granny -

*I named you my hero, along with John Wayne, in my HS Senior Superlatives. That pretty much says it all. Whenever I said, "Love you Gram!", you always said, "I love you more." When we were little, we would spend many weekends with you and grandpa. When it was time for bed, you would push the twin beds together, crawl in the middle and stay with us until we fell asleep. You taught me how to drive along the ditch bank road on the farm when I was 12. You had me sit next to you and you let me steer. When I was 13, you let me sit in the drivers seat and you sat next to me, while I took the wheel. I think, when I was 14, we hit the highway!! I loved when you let me rifle through your handbag. You always had so many coins, kleenex and doublemint gum!!!! You always had the best freezer snacks (frozen Snickers). You always remembered birthdays! You took me on a cruise for my HS graduation gift! It started out just you and me. Then, mom and Jenny joined, and you let me invite a friend (Dawn Jungels). I remember one night Dawn and I almost didn't make it back to the ship before it left port in Puerto Rico (we had experienced our first adult disco). You and mom were standing there when we boarded the ship. You just didn't have it in you to be upset with me. I received letters from you throughout college and my adult life. Your handwriting was always so beautiful and you were always so interested and excited to share news, and hear my news. You loved to travel and tell the tales. You loved life and you loved everyone...and everyone loved you. I will cherish the memories and be forever grateful and appreciative of your influence on my life. Not many grow into adulthood with grandparents. I am so fortunate that I had both sets of grandparents and that both were such an integrel part of my life.  
Laku noc, Gran! Love you more!*

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**darcy rogers** - October 16, 2012 at 08:39 PM

JE

*Thank you Darc, I wouldn't have written it any other way, what beautiful shared memories. She knew how much you loved her, and she you. Can hardly wait to hug you.*

**Jen** - October 16, 2012 at 10:26 PM

JW

*Darcy,  
What a beautiful tribute to your Granny. She was one of the most amazing people that I have ever known! What a blessing she was to everyone who came in contact with her! Her love, joy and zest for life were so contagious. She encouraged me so much through the years and especially during my Mom's sickness.  
My Mom loved her Aunt Cille so, so much and it is a comfort to think of her, Mom, Aunt Joyce and Grandma all having a good belly laugh right now with those big tears running down all of their faces!  
All who knew your Granny were blessed! She is so loved and will be so missed! I will be praying for your family as you go through this time.  
God Bless,  
Joyce*

**Joyce (Dean) Whitaker** - October 17, 2012 at 12:54 PM

RS

*“ Aunt Cille was the nicest person I have ever met. I'm sure there may be other people in the world who are nice like she was, but I haven't come across one yet who equals her in love she showed for everyone. And, it continues on down through the generations, her kids and grandkids and great-grandkids are the nicest family. Her legacy is her family and because of them, her loving spirit will live on forever. My deepest sympathy is with the family now. You will cry and laugh in the days and months to come. Your hearts will warm with fond memories and despair in the realization that she isn't here to hug and lend her ever sympathetic ear. But the comfort is that she lives now and always in all of our hearts and memories and Uncle Nick, too. God bless them. Her nephew, Rudy Savich*

**Rudy Savich** - October 16, 2012 at 08:08 PM

JE

*Rudy, your kind words are of great comfort to me, thank you for sharing your loving sentiment. I will miss her dearly. My condolences to you as well.*

Jennifer - October 16, 2012 at 10:48 PM

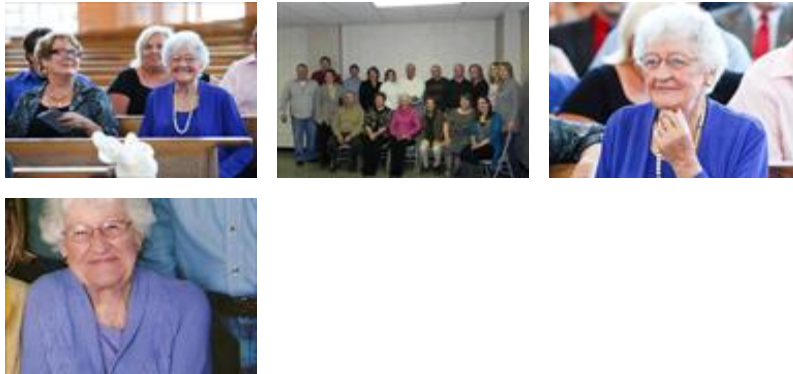
DR

*What caring and comforting words! Thank you!*

darcy rogers - October 17, 2012 at 05:43 AM

JS

“ 4 files added to the album *An amazing Lady*



jsg - October 16, 2012 at 07:32 PM

JK

“ *Grandma Savich, as I have always called her, was a joy. Her zest for life and love will always be remembered.*

*Our deepest sympathies,  
Jean Van Keppel and family*

Jean Van Keppel - October 16, 2012 at 05:54 PM

DR

*Thank you, dear friend. Granny always asked, "How is Jean?"*

darcy rogers - October 17, 2012 at 05:46 AM

OA

“ Otis & Zofia Anselm lit a candle in memory of  
Lucille Lillian Savich



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**Otis & Zofia Anselm** - October 16, 2012 at 04:46 PM

LS

*I will miss my Auntie Cille. If she loved you, you knew it .She always had something good to say and gave the best HUGS. She will forever be in my heart. I pray for comfort for Bev, Art,, Mel and their families at this difficult time. Love to you all. Liz*

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**Liz Safa** - October 16, 2012 at 07:15 PM