



## Margaretta F. Meyer

January 27, 1909 - March 18, 2014

Margaretta F. Meyer, age 105 of Tefft, IN passed away on March 18, 2014 in Francesville, IN. She was born on January 27, 1909 in Rensselaer, IN to John W. And Bertha (Greve) Tilton, both deceased. Margaretta was a graduate of the Rensselaer High School Class of 1927. Margaretta worked as a school teacher in the Barkley Township and had lived in the Tefft area for over 50 years. On August 10, 1932 in Crown Point, IN she married the love of her life Wesley W. Meyer, and he preceded her in death on September 25, 1996.

Margaretta was an active member of the DeMotte Nazarene Church.

Margaretta is survived by her loving children; James W. (Jean) Meyer of Argos, IN and Richard T. (Nancy) Meyer of Ft Wayne, IN; 2 Grandsons, Pastor Donald (Kyra) Meyer of Rochester and Kent Meyer of New Smyrna Beach, FL; 3 Great grandchildren, Bethany, Anna and Wesley Meyer. Margaretta is preceded in death by her parents, husband, 3 brothers and 4 sisters.

Friends may call on Saturday, March 22, 2014 from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM CDT at Jackson Funeral Service in DeMotte, IN. Funeral Services will be held on Saturday, March 22, 2014 at 12:00 PM CDT with Pastor Mike Buck officiating at the Jackson Funeral Service in DeMotte, IN. Burial will be in Memory Gardens of Rensselaer.

Memorials may be made to the DeMotte Nazarene Church or to the Jasper County Hospital Home Health and Hospice.

# Cemetery Details

## Memory Gardens of Rensselaer

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAR 22.** 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Service of DeMotte  
200 3rd Street, SW  
P.O. Box 681  
DeMotte, IN 46310  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of  
Margaretta F. Meyer* ”



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**Jackson Funeral Chapels** - March 18, 2014 at 12:00 AM

BB

“ Aunt Dancy has always been Special in our Hearts. She was always a joy to spend time with. She was full of laughter, love, kindness and always had Scripture and passages she would quote from the Bible. She had so much Wisdom. Her size would fool a person just to look at her. She always had zip in her step and didnt tarry when she walked. A few yrs back as I was parking in the Walmart lot in Rensselaer, I spotted Aunt Dancy out in the lawn and garden area, picking out plants, I had my daughter walk over to have Aunt Dancy wait for me a minute but my daughter who was in her mid 30's couldnt walk fast enough to stop her until they were at the Check-out. Aunt Dancy would have been in her mid 90's at that time. We would ride our Motorcycle to Tefft to visit her and a few yrs back when she was in her 90's, I noticed a bruise in the bend of her elbow. I asked her what happened and she chuckled and said "dont tell Jim or Richard but I was washing my windows and couldnt reach the one outside the kitchen, so I climbed the television antenna tower to the heighth of the window, wrapped my arm around the metal pole area and reached over and washed my window with the other hand". Aunt Dancy didnt let obstacles get in the way of her Life. She was an example that we could and should live by: Honesty, Integrity, Love, Faith, Hope, Sincerity and a Love for Christ that was Beautiful. GOD got another Angel and Aunt Dancy is Celebrating her new life in Heaven with her siblings now. Prayers are with the family and Aunt Dancy will be missed but never forgotten

*Bruce and Debbie Blume  
Wolcott, Indiana*

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**BRUCE AND DEBBIE BLUME** - March 21, 2014 at 10:25 AM

CT

*Usually not at a loss for the written or the spoken word, I have been struggling with the appropriate words of remembrance of Aunt Dancy. To be sure, there's not enough space to write all she deserves, all she's earned. Just now, I've read the comment by my cousins, Bruce and Debbie Blume. So here's the best my (sometimes far-reaching) vocabulary can do: me too. It's all there: Honesty, Integrity, Love, Faith, Hope. I will add Wit, Wisdom, and Intellect. We join that throng of people who will miss her. Rest in Peace, Aunt Dancy!*

*Chuck and Gayla Tilton*

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**Chuck and Gayla Tilton** - March 21, 2014 at 11:37 AM



“ So glad we were privileged to know Margareta, our precious treasure. She told us when we visited the DeMotte Church of the Nazarene that we would "find milk and honey at this church" and she was part of that milk and honey that we found there. I tried to write down things she said because they were always wise and often humorous. She will be so missed but we rejoice that she's finally face to face with her Savior and Lord.

*Ron and Harriet Thill*

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**Harriet Thill** - March 20, 2014 at 07:53 PM

LA

“ LuAnn Allen lit a candle in memory of Margareta F. Meyer



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**LuAnn Allen** - March 20, 2014 at 04:44 PM

BM

“ Dear Jim, Rich, and families,  
I know your mom will be greatly missed! She has waited a long time to be with all her brothers and sisters and Uncle Wes, and I know they are now happy together! I treasure the memory of the good times we had growing up as cousins! It was always a treat going with Mom to visit Aunt "Dancy" and Uncle Wes in Tefft! Thinking of you all at this sad time!  
Barbara Blume Myers

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**Barbara Blume Myers** - March 20, 2014 at 10:30 AM

MM

“ Marilyn Meyer purchased the Garden Accent Stone - "Wherever a Beautiful Soul..." for the family of Margaretta F. Meyer.



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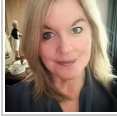
**Marilyn Meyer** - March 20, 2014 at 09:32 AM

DB

“ The first time I met Margaretta was 25+ years ago at church. I saw her sitting there beside Wes and I thought, "Oh, she looks like a sweet, little frail lady." Boy was I mistaken! I came to know and love her and look up to this strong, energy filled, sharp minded, tough little lady! She taught me so much in the years I was privileged to be with her several times a week. I would marvel at how much this woman had memorized, when she would recite lines of poetry she learned as a child. She taught the Adult Sunday School class and you would learn so much through her insight. I dearly loved the times we would just sit and play music together. Margaretta, thank you for being the strong Christian woman you were and I'm so happy you finally are meeting your Savior and Friend face to face!

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**Dale Christine Buck** - March 20, 2014 at 07:04 AM



*Beautifully said!*

**Carol Schneider Sparks** - March 22, 2014 at 11:03 AM

WS

“ *My deepest condolences to Margareta's family. I so enjoyed taking care of her at the doctor's office. She was just the sweetest lady.*



**Wendy Stevens** - March 20, 2014 at 06:27 AM

JH

“ *Such a beautiful lady, I will miss her wit and sense of humor. An angel got her wings. So sorry for the family, she will be missed by many.*

**Judie Hartley** - March 19, 2014 at 09:38 PM

JK

“ *Every memory I have of Margareta is of a woman that was always full of true grace, inner beauty and joy. What an amazing person who was able to touch so many lives by just being. You will be missed as deeply as you were loved! Jen Knapp*

**Jennifer Hancock Knapp** - March 19, 2014 at 09:25 PM

KH

“ *Margareta is celebrating with Wes! They have been apart too long. I can see Jesus smiling at them! You will be missed sweet lady.*  
*Kathy Hancock*

**Kathy Hancock** - March 19, 2014 at 09:07 PM



“ *Margaretta was such a sweetheart, and such a blessing to know!!  
So sorry for your loss.. We love you Margaretta :)*  
*Kevin & Susie Messmaker and Family*

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**Susie Messmaker** - March 19, 2014 at 06:17 PM

GY

*Aunt Margaretta was a delight and I always wanted to be just like her.  
So full of wisdom and love. Jerri (Meyer) Young*

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**Geraldine Meyer Young** - March 19, 2014 at 10:50 PM