



Nancy P. Meyer

December 31, 1931 - August 19, 2016

Nancy Patricia Meyer passed away on August 19, 2016, at St. Elizabeth Hospital East, Lafayette, Indiana. Nancy was born at the family home on December 31, 1931, to Thomas R. and Marguerite (Daugherty) Eldridge. She attended Rensselaer Schools, graduating from Rensselaer High School with the Class of 1950.

On February 18, 1952, Nancy married LaVerne R. Meyer, who survives, at the parsonage of the Trinity United Methodist Church.

Nancy was a farm wife and community servant. She was a longtime member of the Children of the American Revolution, the General Van Rensselaer Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and the Jasper County Historical Society. Nancy was a former leader of the Jasper County Hanging Grove Progressive 4's 4-H club along with being the Jasper County 4-H Genealogy project leader for many years. She worked diligently with the Rensselaer Alumni Association. She enjoyed the task of keeping records and current addresses of more than seven thousand Rensselaer alumni, and compiling that information for the Rensselaer High School Graduates Directory for more than forty years. Nancy's hobbies included genealogy, gardening, flowers, watching I. U. basketball and attending events involving her grandchildren.

Nancy was a member of the Trinity United Methodist Church in Rensselaer and the United Methodist Women's Circle.

Surviving with her husband "Chub" are their three children, Jan (Brad)

DeWees of West Lafayette, Ind., Tom (Linda) Meyer and Brian Meyer, of Rensselaer; grandchildren Kelsey (Steve) DeWees Bush of West Lafayette, Courtney (Kyle) West of Fuquay Varina, North Carolina; Taylor, Drew, Kolton, and Casidee Meyer all of Rensselaer; one brother, Jack (Janice) Eldridge of Rensselaer, one sister, Clara Nitzschke of Vancouver, Wash., sisters-in-law's Doris, Mary Jane and Ruby Eldridge and brother-in-law, Jay Critser.

Nancy was preceded in death by her parents Tom and Marguerite, grandson Clinton Meyer, sisters Cornelia (George) Sigman, Emma Jane (Robert) Darrow, Marcella (Byrom) Phegley, Ardis Critser, infant sister, Louella and her brothers Tom, Roger, Richard and Joe Eldridge.

Friends may visit with the family on Tuesday, August 23, 2016, from 2:00 to 8:00 p.m. at the Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer. Funeral services will be held at the Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer on Wednesday, August 24, 2016, at 10:30 a.m. with Pastor John Hostetter officiating. Burial will follow at Osborne Cemetery in Rensselaer. Memorials may be made to the General Van Rensselaer DAR Chapter, the Trinity United Methodist Church of Rensselaer and/or the Charity of the Donor's choice.

Cemetery Details

Osborne Cemetery

Osborne Cemetery
Rensselaer, IN 47978

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 23. 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
info@jacksonfuneral.com
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Service

AUG 24. 10:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Jackson Funeral Chapels created a Tribute Video in memory of Nancy P. Meyer*



Jackson Funeral Chapels - August 22, 2016 at 11:59 AM



“ *Linda Hughes lit a candle in memory of Nancy P. Meyer*



Linda Hughes - September 08, 2016 at 12:42 AM



“ *Dale Cook Family lit a candle in memory of Nancy P. Meyer*



Dale Cook Family - August 23, 2016 at 06:16 PM

JB

“ *Judy Burvan lit a candle in memory of Nancy P. Meyer*



Judy Burvan - August 22, 2016 at 12:18 PM



“ *53 files added to the album Life Tributes*



Jackson Funeral Chapels - August 22, 2016 at 11:43 AM

BW

“ *So sorry for your loss! I always loved seeing Nancy at the Alumni events and getting a reminder card with a sweet note! Thoughts and prayers to all of you.*
Barb Gehring Wilgus



Barb Wilgus - August 22, 2016 at 11:13 AM



“ 2 files added to the album Memories Album



Jackson Funeral Chapels - August 20, 2016 at 06:48 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Nancy P. Meyer.



August 20, 2016 at 06:47 PM



“ Jerry And Linda Williams lit a candle in memory of Nancy P. Meyer



Jerry and Linda Williams - August 20, 2016 at 04:44 PM

LW

“ So sorry to hear about this. Nancy was a friend of mine in DAR and she was a wonderful person. Her boys went to school with my boys. Her records for the alumni for Rensselaer were some of what keep alumni coming back to Rensselaer. She was always asking for updates on graduates and would never give up until she got an address. She will be missed by all the DAR ladies and of course all of Rensselaer. May God Bless her family in the days to come and May She Rest in Peace.

Linda Vaughn Williams - August 20, 2016 at 04:43 PM

JL

“ Jim & Dorrie Lefler lit a candle in memory of Nancy P. Meyer



Jim & Dorrie Lefler - August 20, 2016 at 04:21 PM

GW

“ Glen And Linda Wood lit a candle in memory of Nancy P. Meyer



Glen and Linda Wood - August 20, 2016 at 04:13 PM

DW

“ *Don & Gloria Waymouth lit a candle in memory of Nancy P. Meyer*



Don & Gloria Waymouth - August 20, 2016 at 03:56 PM

LE

“ *Libby Ellrich lit a candle in memory of Nancy P. Meyer*



Libby Ellrich - August 20, 2016 at 03:42 PM

RN

“ *Rose Nesius lit a candle in memory of Nancy P. Meyer*



Rose Nesius - August 20, 2016 at 02:46 PM

NN

“ *Chub and family,
So sorry to read this on Nancy, she was great lady, remember the
times they had with mom and dad, 4-H years, my prayers and
sympathy go out to the family
Nancy Nagel*

Nancy Nagel - August 20, 2016 at 01:42 PM