



## Billie Joan Hawkins

May 19, 1942 - August 8, 2025

Billie Joan Hawkins (Kerr) was born in Bloomington, IN to James and Hannah Kerr on May 19, 1942; she passed away peacefully on August 8, 2025. She was a devoted wife, loving mother, and cherished grandmother. She was employed with RCA for fifteen years and Kroger for twenty-seven years. Billie cherished her jobs as she enjoyed meeting other people.

Billie is survived by her husband of 66 years, Jack Hawkins and her daughter, Angela Elkins (Dennis). She was a proud grandmother to Jamie Holler (John), Jessica Neidlinger, and Alyssa Minglin (Chris), and great grandmother to Cohen Woolington. She was preceded in death by her son, Curtis Hawkins; her daughter, Dawn Hawkins; her parents, James and Hannah Kerr; and many brothers and sisters.

Her hobbies included gardening, especially spending time in her flower beds, going on vacation with her family, spending the winter in Florida, singing, and dancing. She was a fifty-six year member of the local Moose Lodge. She was a caring person who was always there for her family no matter the situation.

A visitation will be held at Allen Funeral Home (4155 S. Old State Road 37, Bloomington, IN 47401) on Thursday, August 14, 2025, from 11am-1pm. The funeral service will be held at 1pm with a burial to follow at Valhalla Memory Gardens. A celebration of life will be held immediately after the burial on

August 14 at the Moose Lodge (840 S Cory Ln, Bloomington, IN 47403).

Billie was a beautiful person inside and out! She loved to meet people and learn their story. She made everyone around her feel loved and important. One of God's shining stars was called home. We are mourning down here, but they are having a party up there.

# Cemetery Details

## Valhalla Memory Gardens

310 North Johnson Ave.  
Bloomington, IN 47401

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 14. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Allen Funeral Home and Crematory  
4155 S. Old State Road 37  
Bloomington, IN 47401  
(812) 824-5905  
<http://www.allencares.com>

## Funeral Service

AUG 14. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Pamela Isom sent a virtual gift in memory of Billie Hawkins



Pamela Isom - February 13 at 05:48 PM



“ What great, fun memories of our times spent in Florida with Billie and Jack! There was never an issue that couldn't be solved with either an ice cream cone or strawberry shortcake! Rest in peace Billie, you can now dance in heaven!

Lee Ann Sexton - August 14, 2025 at 09:05 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Billie Joan Hawkins.

August 12, 2025 at 07:51 AM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Billie Joan Hawkins.



August 12, 2025 at 07:51 AM

DG

“ So very sorry to hear the passing of Billie she was such a fun loving person. Her and I worked together at Kroger for many years. Keeping you all in my thoughts and prayers.



**Dottie Gilliland** - August 11, 2025 at 10:21 PM

LH

“ I worked with Billie At Krogers. I was a young girl, 18 years old and right out of high school. Billie was my mentor and she taught me how to cook and then I became the manager over the restaurant. I still make our families favorite chili using Billies recipe. She was so kind and sweet, she will be missed by many. I'm so sorry for your loss. Sending my sincere condolences. -Lisa Houston - Hardiman

**lisa Hardiman** - August 11, 2025 at 10:15 PM

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“ Billie was a very nice lady I worked with at Krogers cemenary square. Loved working with her always made us smile laugh had a big heart. Rest in piece Billie love Mary ( Langley) Clark

**Mary Clark (Langley)** - August 11, 2025 at 09:33 PM

MB

“ marie Boruff lit a candle in memory of Billie Hawkins



**marie Boruff** - August 11, 2025 at 09:04 PM