



JoAnn Bennett

November 18, 1932 - September 26, 2015

JoAnn Bennett, 82, of Bloomington, died on Saturday, Sept. 26, 2015 at Hearthstone Health and Living Center in Bloomington. She was born in Monroe County on November 18, 1932 the daughter of Newman H. and Mary M. (Edge) Bennett and graduated from Bloomington High School in 1951. She retired from Indiana Bell Telephone Co. after 35 years of service as a telephone operations engineer.

JoAnn was a lifelong member of New Prospect Baptist Church in Dolan and was very active in the children's church program. She spent countless hours doing crafts for vacation bible school programs and helping any way needed. She also served as a volunteer for the Bloomington Hospital, loved to babysit her nieces and nephews and then her great nieces and nephews. She was the family caregiver for her mother and sisters before their deaths as well.

She is survived by two sisters; Genevieve Sater of Sullivan and Evelyn Kennedy of Columbus, her sister-in-law, Bea Bennett of Cloverdale, her nieces and nephews; Sandra Parish, Marvin Hammond, Linda Colbert, Dennis Bennett, Judy Huffman, Gary Kean, Tom "Mickey" Sater, Steve Sater, Richard Sater,

Arthur Sater, Donna Richard and David Kennedy. Also surviving are numerous great nieces and nephews along with great, great nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, two brothers, James Bennett and Lee Edward Bennett, four sisters, Mary Kean, Ida Hammond and Pauline Bennett and Wilma Jean Bennett along with three siblings in infancy.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 p.m. Wednesday at Allen Funeral Home with Rev. Myron Young officiating. Burial will be at Payne Cemetery. Friends may call on Tuesday from 4:00-7:00 p.m. at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be made to the New Prospect Baptist Church for children's programs in care of the funeral home.

Tribute Wall

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“ *The memories of going to your apartment in Indy, always having the neatest crafts and toys for our visits, and getting to color the table cover, will remain. We love you and will miss you Great Aunt JoAnn, Rest in Heaven*

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