



Joyce Ann Pate

September 10, 1938 - April 17, 2023

Joyce Ann Pate, 84, of Bloomington, passed away on Monday, April 17, 2023, at her residence. She was born on September 10, 1938, in Bloomington; the daughter of Ralph and Myrtle (Copenhagen) Griffin.

Joyce was homemaker, devoting her life to raising her children and being heavily involved in her grandchildren's lives, along with helping with her family farm. She enjoyed being outdoors, mowing, gardening, and tending to her plants. When not outside, Joyce could be found putting puzzles together and baking.

Joyce is survived by her children, Edward Pate, Jerry Pate, Steve Pate, Lori Lawson, Mary Blackburn, Kathy Mitchell; grandchildren, Jeania, Steven, Heather, Dallas, Drew, Michael, Matthew, Chris, Sam, Madonna, Amanda, Josh, Danny, Laura, Stephanie, Tyler, Shaina, Misty, Justin, Kyle, Josh, Michael, Travis (fiancé Rachel), Brandon (fiancé, Kat), Ashley, and Emily; great-grandchildren, Taylar, Lilly, Emily, Calvin, Jude, Ethan, Eliana, Elliott, Everleigh, Iris, Chase, Breanna, Camron, Alex, and Gabe; great-great-grandchildren, JuJu, Luke, Kystyn, and Addysyn; sister, Vivian Powell, and best friend, Bill Mitchell.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Leon Pate; daughter, Alice Marie Pate; grandchildren, Stacey Lawson, Brandyn Beck, Jessica Pate,

and John Pate; siblings, David, Roger Benny, Sonny, Ruchie, and Ruby.

A funeral service will be held at 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, April 20, 2023, at Allen Funeral Home and Crematory, 4155 South Old State Road 37, Bloomington. Burial will follow at Valhalla Memory Gardens. Family will receive friends from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. on Wednesday, April 19, 2023, at the funeral home and again on Thursday, from 11:00 a.m. until the time of service. Online condolences, photos and memories may be shared with family and friends at www.allencares.com

Cemetery Details

Valhalla Memory Gardens

310 North Johnson Ave.
Bloomington, IN 47401

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 19. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

Visitation

APR 20. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

APR **20**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Shaina Shiflet lit a candle in memory of Joyce Pate*



Shaina Shiflet - April 19, 2023 at 10:17 AM



“ *Basket of Memories was purchased for the family of Joyce Ann Pate.*



April 18, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joyce Ann Pate.*



April 18, 2023 at 08:56 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joyce Ann Pate.*



April 18, 2023 at 08:21 AM

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“ *Mary Daughter lit a candle in memory of Joyce Pate*



Mary Blackburn.. Daughter - April 18, 2023 at 04:17 AM



“ *Treasured Lilies Spray was purchased for the family of Joyce Ann Pate.*



April 17, 2023 at 09:39 PM