



## Opal Pauline Hutts

January 22, 1932 - July 29, 2017

Opal Pauline (Hoover) Hutts, 85, of Bloomington, passed away on Saturday, July 29, 2017, at her residence. She was born on January 22, 1932 in Kingman, Indiana, the daughter of John Franklin and Sarah Anna (Clift) Hoover.

Opal graduated from Kingman high School in 1950. She married John William Hutts on June 25, 1950, at her parent's home in Veedersburg, Indiana by Rev. Forrest Stickler. Opal and John went on to share 67 years of marriage together. Opal has been an active member of Grace Baptist Temple since 1962. She was a Sunday school teacher, junior church leader, choir member, and deacon's wife. She held outdoor children's services many Saturdays in Bloomington neighborhoods, and knocked on many doors. Opal enjoyed gardening, sewing, and canning, and was known for feeding visiting ministers and missionaries in her home for many years.

Opal is survived by her husband, John W. Hutts; sister, Sarah (Calvin) Thornberry; children, Joy (Charles) Kieffer, Kate (Rick) Lane, and MaryAnn (Rob) Simpson; grandchildren, Mari Kieffer, Sara Kieffer, Rick (Sharika) Lane II, Heather Lane, Kyle Simpson, Jesse (Natalie) Simpson, and Elizabeth "Ellie" Simpson; and great-grandchildren, Penelope and Kayden.

She was preceded in death by her parents, siblings: Lawrence Hoover (wife,

Betty), Mary Jane Allen, and Rozella Lowery.

A funeral service will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 2, 2017 at Grace Baptist Temple, 2320 North Smith Pike, Bloomington. Family will receive friends from 11:00 a.m. until the time of service. Burial will follow at Unionville Cemetery. Memorial contributions may be made in Opal's memory to Grace Baptist Temple Missions Program. Allen Funeral Home and Crematory, 4155 S. Old State Road 37, Bloomington, have been entrusted with arrangements. You are invited to share a memory or leave an online condolence to the family at [www.allencares.com](http://www.allencares.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Fields of Europe for Spring was purchased for the family of Opal Pauline Hutts.*



August 02, 2017 at 11:45 AM



“ *Healing Tears - Lavender and White was purchased for the family of Opal Pauline Hutts.*



August 01, 2017 at 05:41 PM

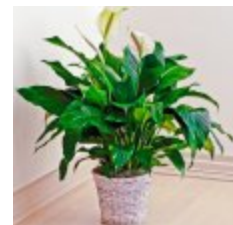


“ *John,  
My sympathy to you and your family in the passing of your wife. She was a good lady and a good neighbor to my daughter and her family. Very good Christian. GOD'S blessings and comfort to all of you*

**Janet Branam** - August 01, 2017 at 11:43 AM



“ *Dick and Teresa Lehr purchased the Floor Plant f or Sympathy for the family of Opal Pauline Hutts.*



**Dick and Teresa Lehr** - August 01, 2017 at 09:06 AM

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“ Opal and John took me in during the summers when I was in my teens after my dad left us all. She took great care of me and I have always appreciated and loved her for loving and caring for me. Thank you Opal and John. Love you!

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**amanda** - July 31, 2017 at 10:22 PM

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“ So sorry about this. I will miss her. Ralph and I have appreciated you both so much for many many years. Barbara Tomson

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**Barbara Tomson** - July 31, 2017 at 07:16 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Opal Pauline Hutts.



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July 31, 2017 at 05:22 PM

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“ Joe&Lorna, Larry&Cindy, Frank&Gloria, Dawn&Dan purchased the Multicolor Bright Sympathy Floor Basket for the family of Opal Pauline Hutts.



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**Joe&Lorna, Larry&Cindy, Frank&Gloria, Dawn&Dan** - July 31, 2017 at 04:43 PM

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“ *From The Thornberry Family purchased the Peace, Prayers, & Blessings- Lavender and White for the family of Opal Pauline Hutts.*



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**From The Thornberry Family** - July 31, 2017 at 03:07 PM