



Wanda Lee Duncan

February 3, 1934 - August 8, 2023

Wanda Lee Duncan, 89, of Evansville, passed away on Tuesday, August 8, 2023 at Deaconess Hospital Midtown Campus.

Wanda was born just three years before the Great Flood of 1937 in Tell City, IN on February 3, 1934 to the late Charles Harlen and Mary (Glenn) Harlen Arms. Her family moved to Evansville during the war years in 1944.

Wanda attended Delaware School and later graduated from the old Central High School in 1952. She enjoyed playing the clarinet and saxophone during those years. The song is gone, but the melody lingers on.

Wanda met her first and only love, Jerry, in the neighborhood. They began their nearly 60 years of marriage in 1955 at Washington Avenue Baptist Church. She was gifted at telling Bible lessons to the precious children, always ready for any opportunity with her Bible, flannel board, and object lessons to share in Sunday School, VBS, Camps, Mission events and prayer retreats. "Whoever receives one little child like this in My Name receives Me." John 18:5

When around her, you were touched by her generous, kind heart, compassion for others, and uplifting spirit. Her love for Jesus and that all may come to know Him was evident. She often spoke of His love. Jesus loves me, this I

know. Jesus knows me, this I love.

In 1986, when Wanda joined Grace Baptist Church, she continued sharing the good news with children and youth. Her smile will be missed, but we will meet again someday to glorify our Lord Jesus Christ together. Hope isn't a word. Hope is a person and His Name is Jesus Christ.

Wanda worked for Levinson's Men's Clothing store for over 22 years.

Surviving Wanda is her daughter, Angela Lee Duncan of Evansville, and so many others who loved her.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her husband of 59 years, Albert "Jerry" Duncan in 2015 and by a sister, JoAnn Pierce.

Funeral services for Wanda will be held at 10:00 AM on Friday, August 11, 2023 at Grace Baptist Church, Rev. Ray Deeter officiating. Burial will follow in Sunset Cemetery.

Friends may visit with the family from 4:00 until 7:00 PM on Thursday at Pierre Funeral Home, 2601 W. Franklin Street and from 9:00 AM until service time on Friday at Grace Baptist Church, 1200 N. Garvin Street, Evansville, IN 47711.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Salvation Army, 1040 N. Fulton Ave, Evansville, IN 47710 or to Child Evangelism Fellowship, 1900 E. Morgan Ave, Evansville, IN 47711.

Condolences may be made online at www.pierrefuneralhome.com.

Cemetery Details

Sunset Memorial Park

1800 St. George Road
Evansville, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 10. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Pierre Funeral Home
2601 West Franklin Street
Evansville, IN 47712
(812) 423-6471
info@pierrefuneralhome.com
<https://www.pierrefuneralhome.com>

Visitation

AUG 11. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Grace Baptist Church
1200 N Garvin Street
Evansville, IN

Funeral Service

AUG 11. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



LA

“ Chated with Mrs. Duncan and her daughter in the Pie Pan on Sundays. She was always smiling and was very nice to talk with. Our thoughts,prayers and condolences go out to her family and many friends. Larry and Carolyn Adams

Leonard R. Adams - August 14, 2023 at 03:50 PM



“ Mrs. Wanda was a beautiful and wonderful woman. She and Jerry and Angela blessed me in so many ways. I learned so much from her. She will always remain in my heart. I will always remember her smile and kind words. Love ypu Mrs. Wanda. Till we meet again.

Praying for you Angela. Love ya

Mary Angela - August 14, 2023 at 01:01 PM

PN

“ Angie, I am just now seeing this at 2:20 a.m. on Sunday, Aug. 13 and want to add my condolences. Your mom was a special lady (your dad was special, too). I'm sorry I missed when he and JoAnn passed. You were blessed with a wonderful family--they were all good people. Your mom was so good with kids. I am older than you (this is one of those milestone birthday years for me) but you were always mature for your age and so smart. A few months ago Julie Little (now Johnson) contacted me and we went back to our old street and reminisced. Esther Laugel and Jeannie are the last ones on the street, as far as I know, and I believe they were the first to move into that subdivision in the 1950s. My family moved to Euclid when I was 2 years old, 68 years ago (okay, I gave away my age). It's a sad time for you, Angie, but what a treasure of memories you have. They were good neighbors, good people and your mom and JoAnn were both warm, loving people. I am glad I shared moments with them in my journey through life. Just wish I'd contacted you sooner.

Peggy Newton - August 13, 2023 at 03:40 AM

MM

“ Matt and Sherri Maxwell planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Wanda Lee Duncan.

Matt and Sherri Maxwell - August 10, 2023 at 11:12 AM

MM

“ Matt and Sherri Maxwell purchased the Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet for the family of Wanda Lee Duncan.



Matt and Sherri Maxwell - August 10, 2023 at 11:12 AM

DW

“ Dearest Angie -- So very sorry to hear of your loss. Your mom was such an amazing person. Always a beautiful smile and encouraging word for all of those around her.

Debbie (Lively) Wolf - August 10, 2023 at 11:07 AM

RN

“ Angela, So very sorry for the loss of your beautiful mother. Thoughts and prayers are with you. Cherish your memories.

Reatha Nurrenbern

Reatha Nurrenbern - August 10, 2023 at 08:13 AM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Wanda Lee Duncan.



August 09, 2023 at 11:16 PM

JG

“ There is no doubt where Mrs. Duncan is right now and that is with her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Mrs. Duncan was a special lady and she brought such joy into my life. She holds a special place in my heart and always will. I was blessed to have Mrs. Duncan as my Sunday school teacher at Washington Avenue Baptist Church. I remember how captivated I was by her voice, listening to her teach the word of God when I was at such a young age. As I look back and think about it, I was only one of the many many children's lives that she touched leading them to Jesus. Angie, may God bless you and lift you up and strengthen you at this time.

John Timothy Garris - August 09, 2023 at 01:33 PM

JH

So very sorry to see this. Obviously a wonderful lady. You have my sincere sympathy.

Jeanette Hartig - August 09, 2023 at 06:18 PM

JG

“ *Awesome lady, Angela. Sorry for your loss. Brian and Jane Garrett*

Jane & Brian Garrett - August 09, 2023 at 11:30 AM

DK

“ *What a beautiful wonderful women she was. She taught me in Sunday school at WABC. Even in my older years I loved seeing her at church. Heaven gained a special angel*

DiAnna Kramer - August 09, 2023 at 08:23 AM