



## Darla Rae McKinney

June 23, 1938 - April 8, 2016

Darla Rae McKinney, 77, of Bloomington passed away at her home on Friday, April 8, 2016.

Darla was born to William "Bud" Watkins and Minnie "Mickey" (Klar) Coffey in Lawrenceville, IL on June 23, 1938. She was a driver for Rural Transit in Spencer and drove school busses in Spencer and Ellettsville. She was a member of the St. John the Apostle Catholic Church. Darla was an avid bowler at both Classic and Suburban Lanes in Bloomington.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Leonard G. McKinney; daughter, Jennifer Fields; twin sons, Ronnie and Donnie McKinney; granddaughter, Ashley Fields and grandson, Toby Fields.

Darla is survived by her sons, Barry McKinney (Jane) of FL, Jeff McKinney (Tresa) and Mike McKinney (Cathy) all of Spencer; daughter, Kim McKinney (Leslie Jennings) of Bloomington, ten grandchildren and sixteen great-grandchildren and several brothers and sisters.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, April 12, 2016 at 11:00 a.m. at Chandler Funeral Home in Ellettsville. Burial is to follow at Methodist Cemetery. Friends may visit with the family on Monday at the funeral home from 4:00 to 8:00.



# Cemetery Details

## Methodist Cemetery

Louden Road and Reeves Road  
Bloomington, IN 47404

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 11. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Chandler Funeral Homes - Ellettsville Chapel  
203 E. Temperance Street  
Ellettsville, IN 47429  
(812) 876-6075  
chandlerfh@bluemarble.net  
<https://www.chandlerfh.com>

## Service

APR 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Chandler Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Darla Rae McKinney



Chandler Funeral Homes - April 11, 2016 at 08:23 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Darla Rae McKinney.



April 11, 2016 at 03:47 PM



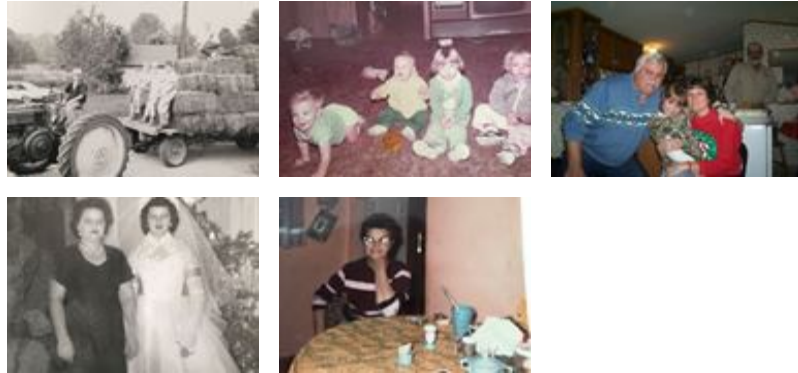
“ Taurean, Josh, Billy, Steve, Daryl, Gary, Dave, Jon, Bob S. purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Darla Rae McKinney.



Taurean, Josh, Billy, Steve, Daryl, Gary, Dave, Jon, Bob S. -  
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“ *Les And Kim lit a candle in memory of Darla Rae McKinney*



**Les and Kim** - April 11, 2016 at 07:45 AM

BS

“ *Darla was such a wonderful, fun person, she will be missed greatly.*  
*Betty Lee Smit2*

**Betty Lee Smith** - April 10, 2016 at 05:53 PM

RC

“ *Rossieebb64@gmail. Com lit a candle in memory of Darla Rae McKinney*



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“ *Crystal Cross Bouquet was purchased for the family of Darla Rae McKinney.*



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CG

“ *My prayers and sympathy go out to Darla's family. I bowled with Darla for many years. She was a good friend and i will miss her. Sorry I am unable to come to funeral home.*

*Connie Gross*

Connie Gross - April 10, 2016 at 01:53 PM

TI

“ *Such a beautiful lady! So glad I had the opportunity to know her! My son called her the Betty Book lady. Great bowler, great lady.... so sorry for the family's loss.*



TRICIA ISOM - April 09, 2016 at 11:01 PM

JB

“ *Darla was one of the first people I met when I started bowling. She was always fun to e around. My prayer go out to her family. Judith Boyken*

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**Judith boyken** - April 09, 2016 at 03:23 PM