



Remona Mae Franklin

December 4, 1951 - August 22, 2017

Remona Mae (Burch) Franklin, 65, of Ellettsville passed away on Tuesday, August 22, 2017 at IU Health Bloomington Hospital surrounded by her loving family and friends.

She was born in Greene County on December 4, 1951, the daughter of Freddie and Olive Burch. Remona retired from Indiana University Police Department after over 30 years of service to spend time with her grandchildren whom she loved being surrounded by. Remona had a love of life and enjoyed many things like attending car shows with her husband, weekend road trips, Monday night dinners, shopping on QVC, and most of all, her dear family. She tended to light up a room when she walked in as she was always smiling and laughing. Her laugh was contagious and you couldn't help to smile when hearing it. Remona attended the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Remona is survived by her loving husband of 46 years, Gary Franklin; children, Christina Franklin of Ellettsville, Shane (Kayla) Franklin of Bloomington, and Scott Franklin of Ellettsville; her grandchildren, Sierra, Clayton, Jax, Zayden, Angela, Jacob and Destiny; mother, Olive Sims; brother, Jack (Sue) Burch; sister, Trisha (Jim) Jacobs; mother of her grandchild, Jax, Michelle Franklin; mother of her grandchild, Sierra, Wendy Arthur; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her father, Freddie Burch in 1979.

Funeral services will be held at Chandler Funeral Home in Ellettsville on Friday, August 25, 2017 at 12:00 p.m. with Pastor's Kevin Davis and Mike Parini officiating. Burial is to follow at Valhalla Memory Gardens. Friends may call upon the family at the funeral home on Thursday from 4:00 to 8:00 and again on Friday one hour prior to the services.

Cemetery Details

Valhalla Memory Gardens

310 North Johnson Avenue
Bloomington, IN 47403

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **24**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Chandler Funeral Homes - Ellettsville Chapel
203 E. Temperance Street
Ellettsville, IN 47429
(812) 876-6075
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Service

AUG **25**. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“Chandler Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Remona Mae Franklin



Chandler Funeral Homes - August 24, 2017 at 10:34 AM

RG

“I was shocked to hear Remona's passing. I'm so sorry to hear that. I have known her from working at IU. She was a very nice and friendly person. My son, John gave his condolences. May the Lord comfort you and your families.

Ruth Gwaltney - August 26, 2017 at 01:03 PM

JC

“I was shocked to hear about Remona's passing I'm so sorry to hear this. I went to school with her at Eastern. Thoughts and prayers. Janet (Lackey) Carmichael.

Janet Carmichael - August 25, 2017 at 07:57 PM

 Deb Englert

“Patti (& Jim): Steve and I are so sorry to learn of your sister's (in-law) passing. Ramona was always so nice to us. Please know that you and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Deb Englert - August 25, 2017 at 11:20 AM

KW

“ Romona was always so full of life💖 I have know her and her family since late 70's. Never in all that time had I heard her talk about some or raise her voice. She was so full of life and love.💖 Wonderful friend, Mother, wife, and sister in the church. This is hard on all that loved her. She has lived her life on Earth, and now has past through the Vail , there to share the gospel of Jesus Christ, be with her other loved ones.
Gary, and kids... May the sweet spirit of Our Heavenly Father comfort you and and see you through each day.
Taking 1 day at a time. You will reunite again and than never part.
💖Family's Can Be Together Forever💖



Kathy Winks - August 25, 2017 at 09:23 AM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Remona Mae Franklin.



August 24, 2017 at 06:06 PM

DE

“ Many good memories classic car cruise ins road trips car shows. Remona was a dear friend.Praying for Gary and the family. Don and Donna English

Donna G English - August 24, 2017 at 06:01 PM



“ *Remona was my first cousin, once removed. Her dad and my grandpa George were brothers. I hadn't seen her in years, but would run into her once in a while at IU. She had a very gracious and sweet nature and a beautiful face and smile. I will miss her in my heart. My family sends our heartfelt condolences to Gary, Jack and Trish, Olive and the rest of the family.*

Donna Jo Shields

Donna Carter - August 24, 2017 at 01:51 PM

JW

“ *Jake and Stacey Wiseman purchased the Footprints Tribute Blanket for the family of Remona Mae Franklin.*



Jake and Stacey Wiseman - August 24, 2017 at 10:22 AM

MM

“ *Gary,
So sorry to hear about your loss. Remona was so nice and always had a smile for me. Our prayers are with you and your family.
Mike and Sherry Mobley*

Mike and Sherry Mobley - August 24, 2017 at 09:24 AM



“ *Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Remona Mae Franklin.*



August 23, 2017 at 05:34 PM

JT

“ *Jim and Trish purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Remona Mae Franklin.*



Jim and Trish - August 23, 2017 at 04:09 PM

DS

“ *Remona and I visited in the waiting room at the doctor's office just a few weeks ago. I am glad I was able to spend that time with her. My prayers are with the family. May God hold you in His loving arms and give you strength and comfort and peace.*

Darlyne Sowder

Darlyne Sowder - August 23, 2017 at 02:54 PM

SD

I am sorry for your loss Gary, sending Prayers to your family I'm sure the rest of the Village Inn Family shares in your grief.

Steven Day

Steven Day - August 24, 2017 at 09:03 AM