



Nancy E. Burkholder (Utter)

June 29, 1941 - January 25, 2018

Nancy E. Burkholder (Utter), born in Trenton N.J. to Marvin and Francis Utter in 1941, passed peacefully from this world on January 25, 2018. She is preceded in death by her husband, Earl G. Burkholder, her sister Shushila Donnellan and her parents. Nancy is survived by daughter Rebecca (Brett), Heerema and son Steven (Danyelle) Burkholder. She leaves 10 grandchildren; Christopher, Joshua, Emily, Austin, Jeneke, Jolie, Brandon, Asher, Kaitlyn and Alexander and great-grandsons, Braylyn, Elias and Connor.

Nancy worked as an industrial nurse for the Lane Bryant/Brylane Company for thirty years. Her compassionate impact on the community from that nursing position is immeasurable. The Burkholders then established their family farm in Lagoda, IN where Nancy quickly became a vibrant member of that community through volunteer work and ladies' social organizations. It was in Lagoda that Nancy cared for both of her parents and her husband through their remaining lives and final illnesses.

During her last ten years, Nancy lived and traveled with her children and grandchildren. She weathered all that Alzheimer's disease dealt her with grace and good cheer. She was lovingly cared for and died at the Lane House in Crawfordsville, IN with her children at the bedside.

Nancy was known for her hospitality. The coffee pot was always on and the cherry pie was always delicious. Her warm smile was an indication of her sincere love for everyone. She leaves this life sure in the knowledge of joyful

reunions to come through Jesus Christ.

There will be a short memorial service at Shirley Brothers Castleton Chapel on Monday, January 29, 2018 from 9:00 am – 10:00 am followed by a private family interment. In lieu of flowers, please send donations to:

Lane House Activities Fund, The Lane House, 1000 Lane Avenue,
Crawfordsville, IN 47933-1250.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JAN **29**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel

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Tribute Wall

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“ Nancy has been on my mind. She and I went through Wiley High School together and Nursing school at Methodist. We went our separate ways after nursing school graduation. Just wanted to say how sad to hear about her death. Janet Gaskins Higbie

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