



## Teny Rose Kissner

July 29, 1931 - November 19, 2019

Teny Rose Kissner,

88, of Indianapolis, passed away November 19, 2019. She was born July 29, 1931 to the late John F. and Ellen K. Bader. Teny was a graduate of Warren Central High School. She married Jack N. Kissner in 1949, and he preceded her in death October 22, 2009. Teny was a devoted wife, mother and grandmother and a longtime member of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church. She was a volunteer for Community Hospital East and a member of the Red Hat Society.

Visitation will be Thursday, November 21, 2019 from 4:00 p.m. until 8:00 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel, 9606 East Washington Street and Friday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service at 11:00 a.m. at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, 8320 East 10th Street.

Teny is survived by her children, Jenny L. Kissner and Jack L. Kissner (Christy); grandchildren, Mike L. and Tori R. Kissner; and sister, Shirley J. Miller. Three sisters, Mary E. Sanders, Lillian A. Bueche and Christine E. Sprouse, preceded her in death. Memorial contributions are suggested to St. Matthew's Episcopal Church.

# Cemetery Details

## Washington Park East

10612 E. Washington St.  
Indianapolis, IN 46229

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 21. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Shirley Brothers Washington Memorial Chapel  
9606 E. Washington Street  
Indianapolis, IN 46229  
(317) 897-9606  
<https://shirleybrothers.com/>

## Visitation

NOV 22. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Matthew's Episcopal Church  
8320 E. 10th Street  
Indianapolis, IN

## Funeral Service

NOV 22. 11:00 AM (ET)

St. Matthew's Episcopal Church  
8320 E. 10th Street  
Indianapolis, IN



# Tribute Wall

MC

“ My mom and dad, Lottie and Marion Crofts, took me and my brother, Bob, to aunt Teny's and uncle Johnny's house every time we went to Indianapolis for a family visit. Aunt Teny was my dad's sister. I remember their house, way out in the country (!! ) and aunt Teny's salt and pepper shaker collection. I also remember that she gave my brother an unusual wedding gift: a set of ash trays and lamps that looked like Aladdin figures. They were pink and black. I probably shouldn't say this, but I think that aunt Teny was my dad's favorite female sibling. I loved her laughter and sense of humor. I remember her teasing my dad about anything she could think of, truth or fiction. My mom loved aunt Teny too; they got along so well. And, of course, Shirley, my cousin, was born the same year as I was, so we had that in common with aunt Teny and uncle Johnny too. (Marylee Crofts)

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**Marylee Susan Crofts** - November 21, 2019 at 12:28 PM

MC

OK, so here I am commenting on my own comments! First of all, her mom was my aunt Ellen, not aunt Ellen's sister, Teny. Then it dawned on me that all of my comments were about memories of Teny Rose's mom and dad, not about her!! I knew her parents better than I knew my cousin herself because I spent more time with them, mostly when I was young and my family drove down from South Bend to visit the Indianapolis kin.

Teny Rose and I did meet and chat at subsequent family reunions; we exchanged Christmas cards and family news and saw one another on the few occasions when I visited Indianapolis in later years. But I never lived there and, as busy, married adults, we had less contact. I do, however, remember her as a FUN LOVING cousin, and she was close to my brother and his wife; they got together often during the later years.

Sorry for the confusion; old age is creeping in, for sure! I am just a tad younger than Teny Rose; please forgive my mix-ups.

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**Marylee Susan Crofts** - November 21, 2019 at 05:08 PM

BM

“ *Belinda Kissner- Gentry Magill lit a candle in memory of Teny Rose Kissner*



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**Belinda Kissner- Gentry Magill** - November 21, 2019 at 09:56 AM

SS

“ *I spent many a summer day at this sweet lady's home and she always made me feel welcomed and loved! Prayers for the family at this time of sorrow.*

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**Sandra Sheets** - November 21, 2019 at 08:59 AM

TA

“ *Tammy lit a candle in memory of Teny Rose Kissner*



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**Tammy** - November 20, 2019 at 02:42 PM