



## Anna L. Mendenhall

May 24, 1927 - November 1, 2008

Anna L. Mendenhall, 81 of Bluffton passed away at 10:35 a.m. Saturday at Bluffton Regional Medical Center.

She was born on May 24, 1927 in Adams County to Roy & Iva (Durbin) Chilcote.

On January 11, 1947 in Decatur, she married Max D. "Red" Mendenhall. They were married for 45 years. Max "Red" precedes Anna in death on February 21, 1992.

Mrs. Mendenhall worked for 25 years as a dental assistant for Dr. B.K. Poindexter in Bluffton. She attended Sonlight Wesleyan Church in Bluffton.

Anna is survived by two sons; Rick (wife Sandy) & Scott (wife Louise) Mendenhall both of Bluffton. A brother Jack Chilcote of Decatur, along with six grandchildren and fourteen grandchildren.

Friends may visit with Anna's family on Tuesday from 12 Noon until 8 p.m. at the Thoma/Rich, Chaney & Lemler Funeral Home. Funeral services conducted by Rev. Tom Bradley will be held at 10:30 on Wednesday at the funeral home with calling for one hour prior to the service. Memorial may be made to the family through the funeral home.

Burial will follow funeral services at Fairview Cemetery in Bluffton. Friends

may send online condolences to [www.thomarich.com](http://www.thomarich.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

NOV 4. 12:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich,Lemler Funeral Home  
308 West Washington Street  
Bluffton, IN 46714  
(260) 824-3850  
[info@thomarich.com](mailto:info@thomarich.com)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Anna L. Mendenhall*



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**Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home** - November 01, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Anna L. Mendenhall*

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September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *Jen,  
Please know that you are in our thoughts. We know how much your  
Granny meant to you. We are praying for you and your family.  
Love,  
Shanan, Adam, and Aiden##imported-begin##Shanan  
Riegle##imported-end##*

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November 06, 2008 at 08:44 AM



“ Jennifer, I'm so sorry to hear about your grandma. I know she was your life. Grandma's are the best, but you got rember they taught us alot & those will never go away in our hearts. My thoughts are with you. I wanted to write to tell you that I'm thinking about you. You are in my prayers. Friend, Penny###imported-begin###Penny Gehrett###imported-end##

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November 04, 2008 at 06:44 PM



“ Scott & Lousie, Family, lam so sorry to hear about your mom. I will always rember what a special lady that she was. My heart is in your prayers of the loss of a wonderful Mother. Now she is up in heaven with your dad. [He's probably singing to her, pennies from heaven] Friends, Penny & George Gehrett & Family###imported-begin###Penny Gehrett [Browning]###imported-end##

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November 04, 2008 at 06:35 PM



“ Scotty and family:  
I was so sorry to hear of the loss of your mother. Please know you will be in thoughts and prayers.  
Janice Adler  
Brooks TX43###imported-begin###Janice Adler###imported-end##

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November 04, 2008 at 07:05 AM



“ I want to send my sympathy to your family on Ann's passing. I am a friend of Liza's and Cathy Springers and I have visited Ann quite a few times. She loved the Lord and was looking forward to the day she would leave this world and join Jesus at home. I enjoyed each and every visit.

May you find comfort in knowing she is where there is no pain or sorrow.

Love & Prayers - Diana##imported-begin##Diana Shaw##imported-end##

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November 03, 2008 at 07:18 PM



“ We were sorry to learn of Annie's passing. She took care of us for years in the Dr. Poindexter's office and always went that extra mile to make sure you were comfortable and well cared for. We shall always appreciate the kindness that she extended to us as patients and her friendship went beyond the office. She was such a hard worker. God Bless you during your time of loss.

Rudy and Kathy (McFarren) Bauman##imported-begin##Kathy Bauman##imported-end##

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November 02, 2008 at 01:30 PM