



Charlene Gobernatz

August 21, 1954 - September 5, 2019

Charlene Gobernatz, 65, of Bluffton passed away on Thursday evening, September 5, 2019, at Bluffton Regional Medical Center.

She was born on August 21, 1954 in Bluffton to Fred D. & Polly Ann (Combs) Burns. She attended Bluffton High School and retired from the housekeeping department at the Caylor – Nickel Clinic in Bluffton. Charlene attended the Church of Christ in Bluffton and always enjoyed spending time with her family. Survivors include 4 children; Rae Ann Smith, Elizebeth Gobernatz, Raymond Francis Gobernatz, III and Erica (Chad) Trobaugh, all of Bluffton along with 9 grandchildren and 4 great-grandchildren.

Charlene is survived by her siblings; Philip (Beatrice) Burns of Rydel, GA, Adrian (Doris) Burns of Bluffton, Eunice (Donald Lee) West of Bluffton, Denver (Tammy) Burns of Springfield, GA, Joyce Morgan of Pennville, Mary (Roger) Raugh of Geneva, Danny (Lisa) Burns of Warren, Christine Eisenhut of Bluffton and Cara Meadows of Bluffton.

She is preceded in death by her parents and siblings; Fred Burns, Jr., Margaret Bailey, Carol Hurt and Paula McCollum.

Calling hours will be held from 1 to 3 on Monday (Sept. 9, 2019) at the Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home in Bluffton. Services will take place following calling hour at 3 P.M. on Monday at the funeral home. Burial will follow at Elm Grove Cemetery in Bluffton.

Memorials may be made to the family through the funeral home. Funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the care of the Thoma/Rich, Lemler

Funeral Home in Bluffton. Friends can send online condolences to the family at www.thomarich.com.

Cemetery Details

Elm Grove Cemetery

3500 East State Road 124
Bluffton, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 9. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
308 West Washington Street
Bluffton, IN 46714
<http://www.thomarich.com>

Service

SEP 9. 3:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Charlene Gobernatz*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Charlene Gobernatz.*



September 08, 2019 at 09:32 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Charlene Gobernatz.*



September 08, 2019 at 06:38 PM



“ *Jenny Flick lit a candle in memory of Charlene Gobernatz*



Jenny flick - September 07, 2019 at 10:26 PM

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“ Penny Gehrett lit a candle in memory of Charlene Gobernatz



Penny Gehrett - September 06, 2019 at 08:06 PM

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Where to begin, Charlene you are the most awesome mother to my best friend and her siblings ❤️ you give many memories that will be with me for the rest of my life until we meet again WE LOVE YOU

Shannon O'Neal (Souder) - September 07, 2019 at 10:31 PM

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“ I'm so sorry to hear about your mom. I'm glad I got to meet Charlene years ago, working with her. My heart goes out for children and grandchildren. Your mom was a great and good friend. Penny Gehrett and Family

Penny Gehrett - September 06, 2019 at 08:05 PM



Thank you Penny!

Erica Gobernatz-Trobaugh - September 07, 2019 at 02:13 PM

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She was a good friend and a good sister-in-law for a number of years. You will be missed.

Linda Mullins Burns

Linda Burns - September 07, 2019 at 05:45 PM