



Lucile M. Garton

June 20, 1918 - October 14, 2008

Lucile M. Garton, 90, of Bluffton, died at 6:15 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 14, 2008, at Bluffton Regional Medical Center.

Born in Wells County on June 20, 1918 to Perry and Ida (Kehrn) Shaffer, she married Donovan Garton in Craigville on Feb. 17, 1940; he preceded her in death on Jan. 12, 1994.

A 1936 graduate of Ossian High School, Mrs. Garton was a homemaker. She resided in Wells County all her life except for one year when she lived in Decatur, while she worked there as a telephone operator for Citizens' Telephone Company. She was a member of First United Methodist Church.

Surviving relatives include one daughter, Sharon (Donald) Barger of Decatur; one son, Steven D. (Katherine) Garton of St. Charles, Ill.; one brother, Richard (Jackie) Shaffer of Bluffton; two sisters, Barbara (Robert) Cook of Elkhart and Nancy (Wayne) Barger of Craigville; five grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Garton was also preceded in death by one sister, Doris Durr.

Funeral services will be at 10:30 a.m. Friday, at the Thoma/Rich, Chaney and Lemler Funeral Home with Pastor Cindy Osgood officiating. Calling hours will be from 2 to 8 p.m. Thursday at the funeral home. Burial is at Fairview Cemetery, in Bluffton.

Preferred memorials are to the church or the Family Hospice of Northeast Indiana.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **16**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Thoma/Rich, Lemler Funeral Home
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Bluffton, IN 46714
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Tribute Wall



“ *Lucile M. Garton*

September 08, 2022 at 08:26 PM



“ *Sharon,*
My thoughts are with you at this time.
I am sorry I can not be there in person to tell you how sorry I am. I was so
pleased when you came to my mother's visitation.
It is a sad time in your life.
May God be with you.
Janet###imported-begin##Janet (Hedges) Farmer###imported-end##

October 17, 2008 at 08:10 PM



“ *Dear Steve,*

I was sorry to read of your mother's passing. My deepest sympathy to you and
yours in this sad time.

Sandy###imported-begin##Sandy (Newhard) Lorenz###imported-end##

October 15, 2008 at 11:33 PM



“ *Sharon you are in my prayers. May God keep his hand on you and your*
family.###imported-begin##Steve Christner###imported-end##

October 15, 2008 at 08:25 PM