



Shirley J. (Stanhope) Lynn

September 25, 1936 - May 22, 2013

Shirley J. (Stanhope) Lynn, 76, of Urbana, died Wednesday, May 22, 2013 in Mercy Memorial Hospital, Urbana.

She was born September 25, 1936 in Urbana, the daughter of Helbert Buckney and Evelyn Stanhope, and was raised by her grandfather, Walter Stanhope. Shirley was a 1956 graduate of Urbana High School and was a mother and grandmother first. She worked at the Champaign County Nursing Home for numerous years, worked for the Champaign County Fair Board for 25 years and had a booth at the Champaign County Flea Market.

Shirley never knew a stranger.

Survivors include three sons, Stacy Mays and girlfriend Tracy Landacre of Marysville, Timothy Mays and wife Kathy of Urbana, and Billy Lynn and fiancée Teresa Brandyberry of Urbana, grandchildren, Billy Lynn Jr., Michael Smith, Vanessa and Kelsey Lynn, Nicolas and Colton Mays, Latosha Mays-Conwell, Andrew, Rickey and Elisha Deere, Nicole Mays, Mya Mays, Aaliyah Landacre, Lauren and Clayton Henson and Nathan Johnson, great-grandchildren, Ariel, Ethan, Gracin, Owen, Gunner, Ashton, Brendon, Jeremiah, Dwayne, Dommanik, Ty, Tamarra, Kanayn, and Isaiah, two sisters, Ruth Buckney of Urbana and Teresa Montalvo of Urbana, and special cousins, Sandra Joseph and Christopher Shelton.

She was preceded in death by her mother and father, her husband, William "Bill" Lynn, and brother, Robert Neil Buckney.

The family will receive friends from 1-3 p.m. and 5-7 p.m. on Tuesday, May

28, 2013 in the WALTER & SMITH FUNERAL HOME, 642 S. Main St.,
Urbana, where a service will be held at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, May 29, 2013
with Rev. Carl Vactor officiating. Burial will follow in Oak Dale Cemetery.
Condolences may be expressed to Shirley's family at
www.walterfunerals.com.

Cemetery Details

Oak Dale Cemetery

319 Patrick Avenue
Urbana, OH 43078

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 28. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (ET)

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Visitation

MAY 28. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

SP

“ *Shari Potts lit a candle in memory of Shirley J. (Stanhope) Lynn*



Shari Potts - May 29, 2013 at 09:58 AM

AC

“ *Ann Castle lit a candle in memory of Shirley J. (Stanhope) Lynn*



ann castle - May 29, 2013 at 12:11 AM

AC

Tim, Kathy, Stacy you all are in my thoughts. My heart goes out to you all at this sad time your mom will be missed by all who knew and loved her

ann castle - May 29, 2013 at 12:13 AM

AH

“ *So very sorry for your loss. I don't think there was a person who ever met Shirley that didn't fall in love with her. Always a smile and a kind word. Always loved running into her and sharing a story. - Aileen McLaughlin Horch*

Aileen Horch - May 28, 2013 at 07:21 PM

WS

“ *Wilma Smith lit a candle in memory of Shirley J. (Stanhope) Lynn*



Wilma Smith - May 28, 2013 at 03:09 PM

WS

So sorry to hear about the loss of your Mother. She was a great lady! I always enjoyed her. Prayers go out to your whole family.

Wilma Salyer Smith - May 28, 2013 at 03:14 PM

PW

“ *Tim, Kathy, Stacy... you all are in my thoughts. Miss Shirley was a great lady who had a heart of gold. She had a smile ready for everyone who came her way. My heart goes out to you all at this sad time. God gained a special angel in Heaven! Wish I could be there in person, but I am out of Ohio for another week.*
Love to you all,
Pam Wheeler

Pam Wheeler - May 26, 2013 at 11:14 PM



“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Walter & Stowe Funeral & Cremation Services - May 24, 2013 at 03:52 PM

BR

I met Shirley when my mother, Stella Erickson was a resident at Vancrest. She was always so kind and considerate and always had a good word and a kind smile. It was a pleasure to meet such a special woman and spend time with her in activities.

Beth Rinehart.

Beth Rinehart - May 26, 2013 at 08:44 AM

VE

My deepest sympathies. Loved your mom. Always loved talking with her. Keeping you all in my prayers at this time of sadness.

Vonnie Salyer Engle.

Vonnie Salyer Engle - May 28, 2013 at 02:31 PM

AS

our deepest sympathies. may god be with you all. amy stanhope & family

amy stanhope - May 28, 2013 at 11:24 PM

AS

shirley was a very sweet lady loved by many people! will never forget that smile

amy stanhope - May 28, 2013 at 11:41 PM

TS

“*Your mother was like a second mother to me. She was a great caring person. Loved to joke and cut up, but all in fun. I think about her off and on. Seeing her at the races. or just at the fair. The world lost a great one. But jesus gained a special angel. I hope for peace in this time of sadness. luv ya all. my prayers are with you and your families.*”

todd salyer - May 24, 2013 at 02:04 PM

TS

“ *Todd Salyer lit a candle in memory of Shirley J. (Stanhope) Lynn*



todd salyer - May 24, 2013 at 01:56 PM

TS

“ *Todd Salyer sent a virtual gift in memory of Shirley J. (Stanhope) Lynn*



todd salyer - May 24, 2013 at 01:54 PM