



Brenda Faye Dewar Purvis

August 23, 1947 - August 28, 2019

Brenda Faye (Dewar) Purvis, 72, of Avon and formerly Heritage Lake, was called to Heaven at 3:04pm, on Wednesday, August 28, 2019, while under hospice care in Miller's Merry Manor in Mooresville. The youngest of seven children born on August 23, 1947, in Indianapolis, to the late Albert and Julia (Lucas) Dewar.

Raised with Christian morals, Brenda attended Plainfield High School and grew up on a small farm in Friendswood. She married young in life and worked at Link-belt for many years. She always carried a job of some sort, and later, after settling in a home at the Heritage Lake in Coatesville, she worked there at the clubhouse.

A wonderful cook, excellent baker and talented floral designer who always thrived on black coffee and always stopped at yard sales. Bren arranged flowers for many weddings and designed various beautiful creations. Far from a saint and innocent until proven guilty, she marched to the beat of her own drum. Constantly scheming to play a trick on someone or just to make a joke, her intentions were pure. Never losing her inner child, and always telling on herself for silly things she had done, she lived to laugh and loved to reminisce and share stories of the past. Most of all, Brenda selflessly gave to anyone and everyone.

Along with her parents, Brenda was preceded in death by her siblings, Bob, Al, Herman, David Dewar, Hazel (Dewar) Ellis; and grandchild, Morgan Ashley Green.

Brenda is survived by her sons, Gary Dean Light (wife, Shawntel) of Monrovia and Robert “Bob” Green of Indianapolis; sister, Doris Sampson (husband, Jim) of Kentucky; sister in law, Marianne Dewar of Texas; grandchildren, Savannah Light of Monrovia, Desirae Watson (husband, Stuart) of Monrovia; and great granddaughter, Olivia June Watson; along with several adored nieces and nephews.

Friends and family are invited to gather for visitation from noon to 2:00pm, on Tuesday, September 3, 2019, at Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel in Monrovia. A Celebration of Life Service will begin promptly at 2:00pm and Pastor Keenan Steinway will officiate. Burial will immediately follow at White Lick Cemetery in Mooresville. To send the family an online condolence, share a favorite picture or light a candle in her memory, please visit www.lightmemorial.com or search on Facebook @MONROVIAFUNERALHOME.

Cemetery Details

White Lick Cemetery

13326 N. White Lick Road
Mooresville, IN

Previous Events

Additional Visitation

SEP 3. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel
585 East Main Street
Monrovia, IN 46157
(317) 996-2101
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Celebration of Life Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Auntie Bren, you know how much I love you, still get called Brenda more than Julie. To one of the sweetest, most caring, giving humans I've ever known. You will be greatly missed but know you are rejoicing with our loved ones, that is a comfort. Bring me some coffee btw, bet yours is better than mine.

Julie Sampson Sell - September 03, 2019 at 03:44 PM



“ Love, The Dewar's in Texas purchased the Simpl y Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Brenda Faye Dewar Purvis .



Love, The Dewar's in Texas - September 03, 2019 at 11:45 AM



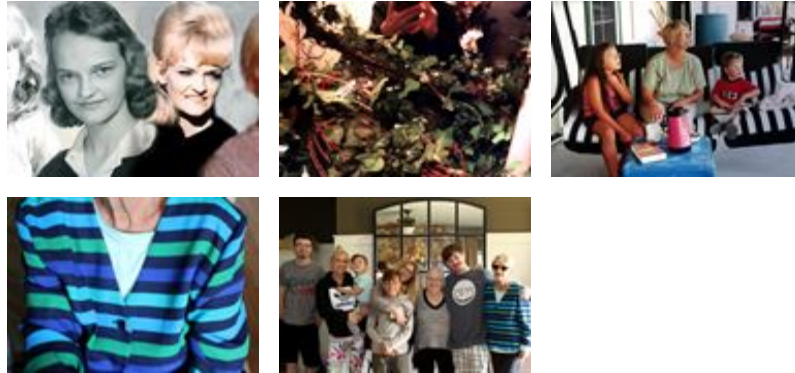
“ Jackie Royal lit a candle in memory of Brenda Faye Dewar Purvis



Jackie Royal - September 03, 2019 at 04:55 AM



“ 62 files added to the album Life Tributes



Light Memorial & Funeral Chapel - September 03, 2019 at 01:45 AM

JD

“ Brenda Faye and I were lifelong friends. When she was little, she would say, “My friends call me Faye.” And some people still know her as Faye. She and I moved different times through the years but at some point we would reconnect. Our friendship ran deep and constant like a river. We knew all of each other’s secrets and grew to love the Lord at different times in our lives, and we shared that relationship as well, sisters in Christ. I know you are experiencing great joy, Brenda, now that God has called you home.



Judy Good Draper - August 31, 2019 at 10:18 PM

KE

“ Aunt brenda was one of my favorite aunts she was funny, friendly and so sweet. She will be greatly missed. Rest in heaven aunt brenda. I love you!



Karen Evans - August 31, 2019 at 06:20 PM



“ *My condolences to the family. I never met her but I know and worked with her son Bob. They say you can tell a lot about a persons upbringing and family by the way the person turned out and how they treat others. well knowing Bob, I know he had to have had good upbringing and parent(s). She must have been a wonderful lady. My heart goes out to the whole family for your loss*

Kenny Constable - August 31, 2019 at 05:22 PM

SH

“ My aunt B was something special. I missed a lot of time with her thru the years because we weren't always close, but when I moved to Heritage Lake in true Aunt B fashion, one day I went by her house to take her something to eat and she asked me why that was. So I told her. We sat down and talked for a couple hours. Since then we were dear friends and I found out what a truly awesome person she really was. I talked to B all the time since then for the last eleven years. We talked about everything and became so close. As you can see I started calling her B. She fell and hurt herself before that day we sat and talked and I would go over after work and take her dinner every night and lunch for the next day and a thermos of coffee and we would talk more and more about stuff and it became a strong bond between us. Put it this way she lived with us briefly after she sold her home and we begged her not to go when she moved to Avon. We didn't want her to go at all. She brought a special spirit and love into our home that you don't find everyday. She was one of the most funny - loving - caring - considerate - independent - kind people I have had the pleasure to know. My three year old grandson was visited almost every week by B sometimes a couple times a week even though she lived in Avon now. He nicknamed her "Cookie" this is because every time she came she brought him a package of cookies. He would see her car and run out the door yelling its cookie shes here !! I will miss her and so will my family and think of her everyday for the rest of our lives. Family get togethers - birthdays - holidays - flower arrangements - breakfast with my grandkids - shopping - great ideas that were so creative - chicken and noodles - pies - so so much more.



Sandy Hunter - August 31, 2019 at 03:32 PM

TS

“ Terry Sampson lit a candle in memory of Brenda Faye Dewar Purvis



Terry Sampson - August 31, 2019 at 12:41 PM

JT

“ My sweet Aunt Bren, always so giving to others, even at times when you had even less. I am going to miss you but am so grateful you did not linger and that you are reunited with loved ones. Love you very much,
Your drawer baby



Jennifer Tackett - August 30, 2019 at 04:08 PM

DC

“ Diana Cole lit a candle in memory of Brenda Faye Dewar Purvis



Diana Cole - August 30, 2019 at 09:10 AM

DC

Im so sorry to hear of Brenda,s death.She was a wonderful person and thought the world of her while she lived next to me in Albany,Ky.We made some very good memories.Sympathy to all her family.

Diana Cole - August 30, 2019 at 09:16 AM

AS

“ *Ava Sell lit a candle in memory of Brenda
Faye Dewar Purvis*



Ava Sell - August 30, 2019 at 08:50 AM