



## Barbara E. Craven

November 2, 1937 - January 5, 2023

Barbara E. Craven, 85 of Rushville, passed away on January 5, 2023 in Greenfield. She was born on November 2, 1937 in Rushville to the late George and Laura (Rugenstein) McCoy. Barbara was a 1955 graduate of Rushville High School. She married Curtis L. Craven on January 12, 1957 and he preceded her in death on November 26, 2003. Barbara and Curtis owned Craven's Frozen Food for several years. She was a devoted homemaker all her life. Barbara was a member of St. Mary Catholic Church. She loved to dance with her family and made several trips to Medjugorje with her sister. Barbara enjoyed knitting and stained glass. She was Neil Diamond's biggest fan.

Barbara is survived by her 3 sons, Richard (Lynne) Craven of Rushville, William (Teresa) Craven of Shelbyville and Steven (Jen) Craven of Burton, MI; daughter-in-law, Linda Craven, daughter, Susan (Robert) Walker of Greenfield; sister, Suzanne Grady of Jeffersonville, IN. She will also be missed by her 19 grandchildren, 24 great-grandchildren and one on the way. Barbara is preceded in death by her parents, husband and 2 sons, David W. Craven, James P. Craven and her granddaughter, Brandy Craven.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Wednesday, January 11, 2023 at 10:30 AM at St. Mary Catholic Church, with Father Dustin Boehm presiding. Friends are welcome to visit the family on Tuesday, January 10, 2023 from 4 PM-7PM at the mortuary. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery. Memorial Contributions may be made to St. Mary Catholic Church in memory of

Barbara.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 10. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Moster Mortuary  
334 North Main Street  
Rushville, IN 46173  
(765) 932-3914  
info@mostermortuary.com  
<https://www.mostermortuary.com>

## Mass of Christian Burial

JAN 11. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

St. Mary Catholic Church  
512 N Perkins St  
Rushville, IN 46173  
(765) 932-2588

# Tribute Wall



“ *Barbara E. Craven*

January 28, 2023 at 12:19 PM



“ *Prayers and peace to her family, Remember her and my Aunt Janet always having a good time together* ❤️ ❌ ❌



**karla mundy** - January 10, 2023 at 01:39 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara E. Craven.*



January 10, 2023 at 12:19 PM



“ *To all the Cravens, your mother was truly a great lady...I remember her in high school, when she had 5 babies and when I lived in Rushville again...she always had a smile and friendly greeting, she never knew a stranger! What a kind world she always created. I'm so glad she was part of my life. Linda Christian*

**Linda Christian** - January 09, 2023 at 10:50 AM

KA

*I will always love and miss you Barb! Thank you for sharing your life and family with me.  
Karen Ampey.*

Karen Ampey - January 12, 2023 at 06:39 AM

TS

“ *Tom Stumpf lit a candle in memory of Barbara E. Craven*



Tom Stumpf - January 08, 2023 at 01:02 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Barbara E. Craven.*



January 07, 2023 at 10:19 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Barbara E. Craven.*



January 07, 2023 at 10:14 PM

MK

“ *Melody Kaster lit a candle in memory of Barbara E. Craven*



Melody Kaster - January 07, 2023 at 01:08 PM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Barbara E. Craven.*



January 07, 2023 at 09:14 AM

DN

“ *So sorry for your loss.*



David and Monica Newman - January 07, 2023 at 07:37 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara E. Craven.*



January 06, 2023 at 03:50 PM

DM

“ The one remember first is when we lost my nephew Dusty Barbara ask for the old roses 🌹 she made a beautiful Rosary the beads were made of the flowers. She gave it to me when my mom passed i hold tightly to that gift. She had a heart big enough to love us all.

Deanne Marino - January 06, 2023 at 01:02 PM



“ So sorry to see this. Barbara was a wonderful lady and will be sorely missed.

Carol Jones

Carol Jones - January 06, 2023 at 11:28 AM

KG

“ Kay Goddard lit a candle in memory of Barbara E. Craven



Kay Goddard - January 06, 2023 at 11:20 AM

CS

“ Cindy Vandeventer Sever lit a candle in memory of Barbara E. Craven



Cindy Vandeventer Sever - January 06, 2023 at 10:36 AM

MF

“ Mike & Sandy Fussner lit a candle in memory of Barbara E. Craven



Mike & Sandy Fussner - January 06, 2023 at 09:42 AM

DS

“ Barb was truly one of a kind! Always friendly, smiling, would help you with anything if she could. I had many fun times at the Cravens home, at the American Legion every Friday night having dinner with her & Curt, & many more fun times with Barb. She was like a mom to all of us that were Susie's friends. Sending prayers & hugs full of love ❤️ to Susie & all the Cravens family.

Darlene Supinger Sullivan - January 06, 2023 at 09:20 AM



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Greg Raike - January 06, 2023 at 05:57 AM

TS

“ Terri Shelby lit a candle in memory of Barbara E. Craven



Terri Shelby - January 06, 2023 at 05:43 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Barbara E. Craven.*



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January 06, 2023 at 03:00 AM



“ *Jackie Lakin Harris lit a candle in memory of Barbara E. Craven*



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**Jackie Lakin Harris** - January 05, 2023 at 11:08 PM



“ *Truly a great lady! Our prayers are with her family. John and Mary Byrne*

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**John and Mary Byrne** - January 05, 2023 at 07:47 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Barbara E. Craven.*



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January 05, 2023 at 07:42 PM

DC

“ *David & Kathy Coon lit a candle in memory of Barbara E. Craven*



David & Kathy Coon - January 05, 2023 at 07:14 PM

BH

“ *Love, hugs, and prayers to all of you! She will be missed.*  
*Bill & Beth Holman*



Bill & Beth Holman - January 05, 2023 at 07:10 PM

DB

“ *Danny Bennett lit a candle in memory of Barbara E. Craven*



Danny Bennett - January 05, 2023 at 06:25 PM

JB

“ *Janet (Safewright) Bolan lit a candle in memory of Barbara E. Craven*



Janet (Safewright) Bolan - January 05, 2023 at 06:21 PM

KG

“ *Bill loved her so. They were lifelong friends.*

Karmen Gulde - January 05, 2023 at 05:43 PM

BF

“ *So sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with your family. Gary Hadler and Brenda Freeman*

brenda freeman - January 05, 2023 at 05:26 PM

SJ

“ *She was my second mother.... I loved her like my own and the entire Craven family. You're each in my prayers. Big hugs to each of you.*

Sandi Jenkins - January 05, 2023 at 05:24 PM

CA

“ *My prayers, thoughts and love goes out to all the family. 🙏 Peace be with you all.*



Caroline Allison - January 05, 2023 at 04:59 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Barbara E. Craven.*



January 05, 2023 at 04:50 PM

TE

“ *Sending Prayers to all of the Family! May she RIP! GOD BLESS!*

Terry E Eckart - January 05, 2023 at 04:01 PM

RR

“ *Prayers for the family!  
Barb was such a sweet lady.*



Roger and Deb Rosfeld - January 05, 2023 at 03:52 PM

CN

“ *Sorry for your loss 🙏*



Ceilia Nigh - January 05, 2023 at 03:43 PM

KM

“ *Our heartfelt sympathy to all the family. Barb was a mighty fine lady,  
she will be missed but never forgotten.*

Kel & Susie McClure - January 05, 2023 at 03:31 PM

JM

“ *Such a sweet lady. I don't remember ever  
seeing her without a smile on her face.  
Prayers to Susie and the entire Cravens  
family*



Janey Bostic Meltzer - January 05, 2023 at 03:29 PM

KD

“ *She was one of my favorite customers at the bank for over 30 years, always loved visiting with her! Sending love, hugs and prayers to her sweet family !!*



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**Kelly Orme Disbro** - January 05, 2023 at 03:26 PM

RC

“ *Such a nice lady. Prayers for the family.*



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**Ron D. Cameron** - January 05, 2023 at 03:05 PM