



Rena Crain

April 3, 1922 - August 30, 2015

Rena Crain, 93, a long time Buena Vista area resident, passed away August 30, 2015 in Greensburg. She was born April 3, 1922 in Jackson County, KY to Raleigh & Sophia (Cook) Wolfe. She married Sonny Crain on January 13, 1945 and he preceded her in death on July 22, 2004.

Rena was a member of the Buena Southern Baptist Church. She was a homemaker and enjoyed gardening, quilting and cooking. Her pies were exceptional!!

She is survived by her sons, Norman & wife Lucy Crain of Greensburg, Stephen & wife Mary Crain of Laurel, Roger & wife Lola Crain of Rushville, Gary & wife Theresa Crain of Greensburg and Randy & wife Deb Crain of Oldenburg, daughters, Karen & husband Joe Ballenger of Laurel, Kathy & husband Jim Cregar of Oldenburg, Janie & husband Rick Noah of Greensburg and Rhonda & husband Rusty Scheibler of Greensburg, a daughter-in-law, Martha Crain, a sister, Imogene & husband Russell Combs of Rushville, 34 grandchildren & several great grandchildren. In addition to her parents & husband, Rena was preceded in death by a son, Terry, brothers, Clyde & Clement, sisters, Dovie Murray & Aleen Eldridge, a granddaughter, Becky Ballenger, a grandson, Anthony & a great granddaughter, Jessica.

Services will be held at 10 AM Thursday, September 3, 2015 at the Buena Southern Baptist Church in Franklin County. Friends are welcome to visit at the church from 4-8 PM Wednesday, September 2. Brother Rob Edwards will preside and burial will be in the Stipps Hill Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Our Hospice or the Buena Southern Baptist Church.

Tribute Wall



“ *Rena Crain*

January 28, 2023 at 12:19 PM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rena Crain.*



September 02, 2015 at 01:52 PM



“ *We were so sorry to hear of Aunt Rena's passing. She was a wonderful, wonderful person who was a second mom to so many because of the loving way that she looked after and cared for them. We'll miss you, Aunt Rena, and we send our condolences and hugs to the family that loved you so much!*



Love, Bob, Joyce & Jennifer Wooten (FL)

Jennifer - September 02, 2015 at 08:17 AM

LM

“ Aunt Rena you were such a beautiful person Inside and out. I always enjoyed the times I got to come visit with you. Especially as a child you would take me from room to room showing me all the beautiful things you had made with your own hands. I remember wanting to learn to make pies.. Mom said "don't ask me go see your aunt Rena". That is what I did and to this day Wilbur still loves my apple pies. (well that is when I make them). You will be greatly missed by many but I am so thankful and blessed to know that I won't be saying good-bye to you but only so long. I'll meet you in heaven someday and you can show me all the beautiful things. I am praying for the family that God sends you a comforter to help in your time of sorrow and pain. Please remember she's no longer in pain and her memory is perfect. God Bless

Lori Marsh - August 31, 2015 at 09:34 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Rena Crain.



August 31, 2015 at 07:55 PM



Katherine
Michelle

“ *I'll see aunt Rena again in heaven and I hope she saves us all a seat at the diner table Love you aunt Rena and see you then*



Katherine Michelle - August 31, 2015 at 07:32 PM

RM

“ Royetta Murray lit a candle in memory of
Rena Crain



royetta murray - August 31, 2015 at 06:23 PM

BM

“ BRENDA MURRAY lit a candle in memory of
Rena Crain



BRENDA MURRAY - August 31, 2015 at 06:05 PM

RF

“ Robin Freeland lit a candle in memory of
Rena Crain



Robin Freeland - August 31, 2015 at 02:19 PM

RF

Grandma, you and grandpa will forever have a place in my heart. I will always cherish the memories I have of you both. Rest in peace til we meet again. Love you

Robin Freeland - August 31, 2015 at 02:22 PM

EH

“ *My heart goes out to the Crain family. I met Rena a couple times and she seemed like a wonderful person. I know she will be missed by so many.*



Erica Hunter - August 31, 2015 at 02:17 PM



“ *Abby Hedrick Collins lit a candle in memory of Rena Crain*



Abby Hedrick Collins - August 31, 2015 at 01:36 PM

 Deb Crain Morris

“ *Grandma, you were such an influence on my life, my love for you is deep as well as my memories. . . . Your smile could fix anything that was making me feel sad or upset and your hugs priceless. You were so beautiful inside and out. Thank you for everything you have done. Until we meet again.*



Deb Crain Morris - August 31, 2015 at 12:26 PM

JS

“ *Jeannie Straber lit a candle in memory of Rena Crain*



Jeannie Straber - August 31, 2015 at 11:20 AM

JS

“ *What a beautiful and obviously much loved woman!!!! My heart goes out to all the family and friends, and especially someone near and dear to my heart, Sally Crain Bokelman!!!! <3*

Jeannie Straber - August 31, 2015 at 11:20 AM