

Bonnie Lou Bryan, 80, of Decatur passed away on Tuesday, February 5, 2013, at the Christian Care Retirement Center in Bluffton, IN. She was born on October 16, 1932 to the late Edward Lee and Ethel Fay (Davison) Gaunt. She married Edwin Clair Bryan on June 14, 1952.



Bonnie was a member of the Pleasant Dale Church of the Brethren. She was active in the Brethren Disaster Ministries as a Project Director with her husband.

She is survived by her husband, Edwin C. Bryan of Decatur, her daughter Lisa (& John) Schmitt of Floyds Knobs, IN, her son, Nathaniel (& Juanita) Bryan of Bluffton, IN. She is also survived by her granddaughters Jennifer (& Jay) Reynolds and Allison Schmitt. Bonnie has two great-granddaughters Charlotte Reynolds and Eliana Reynolds. She is also survived by one sibling William Richard (& Ina) Gaunt of Ft. Wayne. Bonnie was preceded in death by her sons Jonathan Clair Bryan and Edwin Charles "Chad" Bryan, her parents, Edward and Ethel Gaunt as well as Clem and Ona Gibson, and her siblings, Darlene Vera Gaunt, David Arthur Gaunt, Charles Clayton Gaunt, Darrell Paul Gaunt, Edward Lee Gaunt Junior, Mark Wayne Gaunt, Harold Mack Gaunt, Barbara Gaunt and Graydon Gibson.

Viewing will be held from 2:00-8:00 p.m. Friday, February 8, 2013 at Pleasant Dale of the Brethren and also from 9:00-10:00 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 9th at the church.

Funeral service will be at 10:00 a.m. Saturday, Feb. 9, 2013 at Pleasant Dale Church of the Brethren with Pastor Jay Carter officiating. Burial will be in The Pleasant Dale Cemetery.

Family request, in lieu of flowers, preferred memorials are to Camp Alexander Mack "Growing from the Ashes".

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