

Evelyn A. Purdy, 80, of Berne, IN, passed away at 12:04 AM on Monday, November 04, 2013 at Swiss Village in Berne, IN. She was born on Saturday, February 18, 1933, in Adams County, IN. She married her High School sweetheart, Roscoe J. Purdy on Sunday, June 17, 1951 in Geneva, Indiana. Evelyn was a 1951 graduate of Geneva High School. She was a lifelong member of High Street United Methodist Church and gave freely of her time to various committees and organizations in the church. She loved IU Basketball with unapologetic enthusiasm. She delighted in playful dogs, sunny weather, gospel music, and rocking newborn babies. Evelyn thought going to church on Sunday was the most important thing she did all week. Her cheerfulness and ready smile will be missed by her family and friends.

Survivors include her Son - George Purdy, Morgantown, IN, 2 Daughters - Luann Ford, Portland, IN, Kathy (Husband Tim) Liechty, Berne, IN, her 5 Grandchildren, and 7 Great Grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her Husband - Roscoe J. Purdy, Father - Eugene Snow, Mother - Leona (Kneuss) Snow, and Brother - Donald F. Snow.

Family and friends may gather to share and remember at Downing & Glancy Funeral Home 100 N Washington Street Geneva on Thursday, November 07, 2013 from 2:00 PM to 7:00 PM and from 10:00 AM to 11:00 AM at High Street United Methodist Church 435 High St. Geneva Friday, November 08, 2013.

A service to celebrate Evelyn's life will be held at High Street United Methodist Church 435 High St. Geneva at 11:00 AM on Friday, November 08, 2013 with Pastor Michele Isch officiating. Interment will follow at West Lawn Cemetery in Geneva.

Preferred memorials: Swiss Village Endowment Fund 1350 W. Main Street, Berne, IN.

Arrangements are being handled by Downing & Glancy Funeral Home in Geneva.

Online condolences may be made at www.glancyfuneralhomes.com

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