



## Ann L. Wintrode

September 22, 1953 - April 28, 2012

Ann L. Wintrode, age 58, of Huntington, died at 9:52 a.m. Saturday (April 28, 2012) at Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne.

Ann was born on September 22, 1953, in Huntington, to Joseph and Eloise C. (Godfrey) Simrak. She married John D. Wintrode on September 25, 1971 at the St. Mary's Catholic Church in Huntington.

Ann was a homemaker and had worked for United Technologies. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church. Ann loved to quilt and belonged to many quilting clubs. She was also a member of the Family Readiness Group in Huntington.

Ann is survived by her husband of 40 years - John D. Wintrode of Huntington; two sons - Joeseeph T. (Stephenie) Wintrode of Warren and Travis L. Wintrode of Huntington; two brothers - Joseph Simrak, Jr. of California and Dexter "Dick" Franke of California, five sisters - Carolyn Simrak of Fort Wayne, Mary Jo (Kenny) Bryant of Huntington, Betty Lou (Richard) Bowers of Huntington, Patricia (Bill) Miller of Huntington and Sharon Moss; and ten grandchildren. Her parents, brothers - Gordon Simrak and Sheldon Simrak, and sisters – Marie Charlotte Green and Cathy Manning preceded her in death.

Visitation will be from 3 - 7 p.m. Tuesday (May 1, 2012) at Bailey-Love

Mortuary. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. on Wednesday (May 2, 2012) with Rev. Dianna Teusch officiating.

Memorial contributions may be made to Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, IN 46750 to assist the Wintrode Family.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 1. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary  
35 West Park Drive  
Huntington, IN 46750  
(260) 356-1710  
wecare@baileylove.com  
<https://www.baileylove.com>

## Service

MAY 2. 10:00 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Ann L. Wintode



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**Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary** - April 28, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ My heart goes out to Ann's whole family....I will continuously pray for you and I will always 'be there for you.

Ann was my very special friend.....I met her through her grandson Mikey and my daughter. She taught me how to quilt and I spent lots of time with her. We shopped and ate out together. Ann never knew a stranger and one particular time we went to Fabric and Friends. She was amazed of the rooms with wall to wall material and started looking around...when I turned to tell her about the lunch they serve, I found her surround by a group of ladies who were sharing quilting ideas. John, her husband, went on some outings with us....he helped with color coordinations. Ann loved children and all her friends. She adopted many of us and said her door is always open and if you need to talk just hollar. She loved helping people and she protected her family and friends. She stood up for what she believed in and she spoke her mind. Once you were her friend then you were always her friend, but you never wanted to get on her bad side for then she would introduce you to George (her walking cane)...and you didn't want to meet George. She was my inspiration. As my quilting partner, my adopted mom and my true friend who lit up my life.....I will always HUG you in my heart.....I love you more than GOLD!!

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May 04, 2012 at 10:55 AM



“ Claire Fitch lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintode



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Claire Fitch - May 03, 2012 at 01:11 PM

CF

*To the whole family. My heart hurts for you all. I love Ann dearley and I am sure going to miss our talks. I am praying for the family that they will stay strong. I am here if anyone needs to talk. love you all very much all the way from Anchorage Alaska.*

*Claire*

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**Claire Fitch** - May 03, 2012 at 01:16 PM

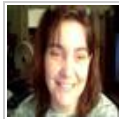


“ *Jennifer Asher lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode*



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**Jennifer Asher** - May 02, 2012 at 04:22 AM



*To John, Joe, Travis, and all of Ann's family. I deeply appreciate the chance I have had to get to know and love you! I know mamma Ann is in Heaven having a wonderful family reunion! God Bless you all in this time. If you need anything I am here for you all. Love Jennifer!*

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**Jennifer Asher** - May 02, 2012 at 04:24 AM

KS

“ *Karisa Shaffer-Land lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode*



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**Karisa Shaffer-Land** - May 01, 2012 at 07:32 PM

AM

“ *I am sorry to hear this Michelle. My prayers go out to Melissa and you. I am sorry.*

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**Anthony Mann** - May 01, 2012 at 01:38 PM



“ sent a virtual gift in memory of Ann L. Wintrode



May 01, 2012 at 12:03 PM



Prayers for your family during this difficult time. Love you guys!

May 01, 2012 at 12:04 PM



“ Cheryl Warner lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode



Cheryl Warner - May 01, 2012 at 11:32 AM



“ Pam Holley lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode



Pam Holley - May 01, 2012 at 10:22 AM



“ lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode



May 01, 2012 at 09:46 AM



“ Eric & Estalene Chappel lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode



Eric & Estalene Chappel - May 01, 2012 at 06:29 AM



“ Tami (Williams) Monroe lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode



Tami (Williams) Monroe - April 30, 2012 at 04:31 PM



“ Tamara Elam lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode



Tamara Elam - April 30, 2012 at 03:41 PM

TE

*John and family, so sorry hear about Ann. Tammy*

**Tamara Elam** - April 30, 2012 at 03:43 PM



“ *Thomas Tallman lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode*



**Thomas Tallman** - April 30, 2012 at 12:17 PM

PW

“ *Paula West lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode*



**Paula West** - April 30, 2012 at 10:03 AM

KW

“ *thoughts and prayers be with you all through these troubled times. Ann always had a smile no matter what she was going through. Just tell yourself she is no longer in pain,dancing around heaven with her Mommy and Daddy. May God give you strength through these next couple of days, embrace each other and support one another.*

*Kim White*

**Kimberly White** - April 30, 2012 at 09:16 AM

PS

“ John and family. You know if I could be home for the funeral I would be there! Sending prayers and love from Ohio to all of you. May the Lord bring you comfort during this time. Cling to each other and the Lord Jesus. Love Paula

Paula (Teusch) Strickland - April 30, 2012 at 08:22 AM

TM

“ Teresa F. Murray lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintode



Teresa F. Murray - April 30, 2012 at 07:31 AM

TM

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Teresa F. Murray - April 30, 2012 at 09:50 AM



*That is the honest truth! She took me in my freshman year and never went without seeing her or talking to her. Always ran into her or go to her house. Joe was like the brother I never had! God Rest her soul. The world will not be the same without her. As I told my kids, God needed that perfect flower for his garden, he saw Momma Ann and knew she would make the garden shine with beauty. I love you Momma Ann!!!!*

**Jennifer Asher** - May 02, 2012 at 04:28 AM

GS

“ *My heartfelt sympathy to the Wintrode family. I have known Ann almost her entire life. She truly was a treasure to her family and all who knew her. May she rest in God's embrace forever.*

**Gerald Sailors** - April 30, 2012 at 07:03 AM

DO

“ *Debra Olinger lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode*



**Debra Olinger** - April 30, 2012 at 06:49 AM

KH

“ *Kathy And Ron Hemker lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode*



**Kathy and Ron Hemker** - April 30, 2012 at 06:20 AM

BR

“ *Brenda lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode*



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**Brenda** - April 30, 2012 at 05:50 AM

CL

“ *Carol Layne lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode*



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**Carol Layne** - April 30, 2012 at 05:48 AM



“ *Grandma I will miss u a lot love ya*

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April 30, 2012 at 01:46 AM



“ *lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode*



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April 30, 2012 at 01:45 AM

LB

“ *Laura Harris Bucher lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode*



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**Laura Harris Bucher** - April 30, 2012 at 12:23 AM

KC

“ *Kellee Converse lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode*



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**Kellee Converse** - April 29, 2012 at 09:08 PM

KC

“ *Kathy Crago lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode*



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**Kathy Crago** - April 29, 2012 at 04:45 PM

SK

“ *Sterling & Anna Slone Bypro Kentucky lit a candle in memory of Ann L. Wintrode*



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**Sterling & Anna Slone Bypro Kentucky** - April 29, 2012 at 04:16 PM