



## Connie K. Chapin

March 4, 1948 - May 15, 2023

Connie Kay Chapin, 75, of Huntington, passed away peacefully at 2:10 am Monday, May 15, 2023, at her home with her family by her side.

Connie was born on March 4, 1948, in Huntington, IN, the daughter of William Schaffer and Mary Jane (Smith) Schaffer. She graduated from Huntington Township High School with the class of 1966. Connie married the love of her life Dennis Chapin on November 18, 1983, in Huntington, IN. Before retiring from Lincoln Elementary School after 15 years of service, she was employed at Hooks Drug Store and worked many years for her parents at Schaffer Electric of Huntington.

Connie was a simple person who loved to be with her family. She liked taking trips to Tennessee, long car rides, and shopping adventures with her husband. Connie enjoyed being outside in her flower gardens, swinging on her porch swing or sitting by a campfire with her family. She was a devoted wife, mother, and grandmother.

Survivors include her loving husband of 39 years, Dennis Chapin of Huntington, IN; two daughters, Tami (Chad) Newsome of Andrews, IN, Kristi (Trent Bradin) Chapin of Huntington, IN; two sons, Shane (Elaine) Chapin of Ft. Wayne, IN., Brian (Claire) Chapin of Ft. Wayne, IN; ten grandchildren; her mother, Mary Jane Schaffer of Huntington, IN; and sister, Jannie (Joe) Bickel

of Huntington, IN. She is preceded in death by her father, William Schaffer and son, Todd Bickel.

Visitation will be from 3:00 pm - 7:00 pm Thursday, May 18, 2023, at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, IN. Funeral services will be held at 10:00 am Friday, May 19, 2023, at Bailey-Love Mortuary with Taylor Petre officiating. There will be one hour of visitation prior to the service. Burial will be in Gardens of Memory in Marion.

Preferred memorials to Life Church of Huntington or Stillwater Hospice, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, IN, 46750.

Please sign the online guest book at [www.baileylove.com](http://www.baileylove.com).

Bailey-Love Mortuary is honored to serve the family of Connie Kay Chapin.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**MAY 18.** 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary  
35 West Park Drive  
Huntington, IN 46750  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall

BL

“ *Bailey-Love Mortuary has created this video tribute in memory of Connie Chapin.*



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - May 18, 2023 at 09:59 AM

AH

“ *I was just told about this. I am so terribly terribly sorry. In today's world local newspapers are not an item you subscribe too. I absolutely cannot believe it. Connie was a very nice lady. I am so sorry I did not get to pay my respects to her, her family, Mrs Schaffer, and Janet & Joe. Praying for you all about this awful loss. I'm so sorry.  
Much love  
Amanda Hines*

Amanda Hines - July 10, 2023 at 11:58 PM

TS

“ *To Connie's family and friends our thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Terry and Sue*



Terry E Scher - May 24, 2023 at 06:27 AM

HM

“ Oh, Aunt Connie was always such a sweet lady & always smiling. We'll greatly miss you. RIP.



Heather Moore - May 18, 2023 at 02:19 PM



“ [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Connie K. Chapin.

May 18, 2023 at 12:58 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Connie K. Chapin.



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JB

“ So sorry to hear of Connie's passing. Since family reunion is no more it is harder to remember everyone. Prayers for all.



Joni Bruch - May 18, 2023 at 05:11 AM

FH

“ Fisher Family and Wayne Hinds purchased the [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) for the family of Connie K. Chapin.

Fisher Family and Wayne Hinds - May 17, 2023 at 12:53 PM

FH

“ Fisher Family and Wayne Hinds purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Connie K. Chapin.



Fisher Family and Wayne Hinds - May 17, 2023 at 12:53 PM

BP

“ I am so sorry to hear of Connie's passing. She was such a beautiful lady. I would see her at the store with Denny. She always had a nice chat. My heart is broken for all of you. God be with you all. Your neighbor, Brenda, David and Heather Paynter



Brenda Paynter - May 16, 2023 at 11:25 PM

LD

“ So very sorry to read of Connie's passing. My deepest condolences to the family. May God grant you comfort and peace in this difficult time.

Lonna Dickey

Lonna Dickey - May 16, 2023 at 09:19 PM

JS

“ I didn't have the pleasure of knowing Connie well, but I do remember always thinking how happy Uncle Denny was since he met her. Many hugs and prayers.



Johanna (Chapin) Sigman - May 16, 2023 at 06:44 PM

DG

“ Denny and family, Mary Jane, and Jannie and Joe, I'm so very sad to hear of Connie's passing. You all have my most deepest and heartfelt sympathies. Connie was such a sweet soul. Prayers for you all.  
Dan Gagnon

Dan Gagnon - May 16, 2023 at 05:01 PM

TT

“ Tyler Tom and Team purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Connie K. Chapin.



Tyler Tom and Team - May 16, 2023 at 03:31 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Connie K. Chapin.



May 16, 2023 at 03:03 PM