



Dessie M. Paxton

October 22, 1916 - July 18, 2013

Dessie M. Paxton, age 96, of Huntington, passed away at 2:05 p.m. Thursday (July 18, 2013) at Norwood Health and Rehabilitation Center, Huntington, Indiana.

Family will receive friends 5-8 p.m. Monday (July 22, 2013) at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana. Funeral services will be held at 1:00 p.m. Tuesday (July 23, 2013) at Bailey-Love Mortuary with Pastor Randall Webb. Burial will be in Lancaster Cemetery, Huntington County, Indiana.

Dessie was born on October 22, 1916, in Huntington, Indiana, the daughter of Layman and Esther (Shively) Crago. Her first marriage was to Foster A Lassiter on November 9, 1935 in Peru, Indiana. They shared 22 years of marriage before he preceded her in death on August 30, 1957. Dessie was then united in marriage to James Paxton in April 1963 and they shared 19 years of marriage before he passed away in November 1982.

Dessie was a homemaker, a member of the V.F.W Post # 2689 of Huntington, The Huntington County Senior Band and was a member of Andrews First Christian Church.

Survivors include her son - Don L. (Judy) Lassiter of Huntertown; a daughter -

Donna Fox of Roanoke; two brothers - Charles William Crago of Huntington and James (Fondra) Crago of Markle; a sister - Carolyn Sue Jones of Fort Wayne; three grandchildren; three great-grandchildren and two great great-grandchildren. Her parents, two brothers - Fred and Bob Crago, two sisters - Helen Chin and Dorothy Carmichael precede her in death.

Cemetery Details

Lancaster Cemetery

5559 S. 300 W.
Huntington, IN 46750

Previous Events

Service

JUL 22. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

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

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Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Paxton Family;

While reading the online obituary, I observed the death of your loved one. Death is an enemy to mankind and who can understand it? It can and dose have a devastating effect on you and your family as well.

Can you imagine reading a newspaper with the headline; "When Death is Swallowed Up Forever....." What a wonderful time that will be. Revelation 21:4 offers this hope, it states: "And he (God) will wipe out every tear from their eyes and death will be no more, neither will morning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. " The former things have passed away." What a comforting hope.

If you would be interested in learning even more, I can send you a little tract that is entitle "What Hope for Dead Loved Ones"? If you have any Questions please feel free to contact me at this e-mail address here (b.molina56@yahoo.com).

I offer my sincere condolences, may the God of peace be with you and your family.

*Sincerely Yours,
Brandy Molina*

Brandy Molina - August 07, 2013 at 04:38 PM

MP

“ *Dessie was a like an array of colorful flowers. Purple for her regal bearing, yellow will be for her sunny smile and quick wit, green for her love of the outdoors,, red the color of love and now brilliant white for the heavenly host she is now. She will be missed but remembered with love and fond memories.*

Molly Powell - July 22, 2013 at 09:56 AM



“ *In Remembrance Woodgrain Petite Music Box was purchased for the family of Dessie M. Paxton.*



July 22, 2013 at 01:04 AM

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“ *I am sorry to hear about Dessie passing away. She was so pleasant to talk to any time I called her. She loved her family. Carolyn Land*

CArolyn Land - July 19, 2013 at 07:55 AM