



Doris Opal Murray

September 29, 1922 - August 28, 2010

Doris Opal Murray, age 87, of Huntington, died at 12:30 p.m. Saturday (August 28, 2010) at the Lutheran Hospital in Fort Wayne.

Doris was born in Huntington on September 29, 1922, the daughter of Henry A. and Daisy Mae (Howey) Thorn. She graduated from Union Center High School in 1940. Doris was a veteran of the United States Navy serving in WW II. She married Russell Paul Murray on August 31, 1946 in Uhrichville, Ohio and he preceded her in death in July of 1983.

Doris was a homemaker and had worked in a local factory. She was a member of the First Church of the Nazarene in Huntington.

Survivors include one daughter – Carol (William) Beachy of Huntington; three sons – David L. (Kathy) Murray of Cicero, Paul Wayne (Yolanda) Murray of Kelso, Washington and John Anthony (Teresa) Murray of Huntington; one sister – Melba Jackson of Huntington; nine grandchildren and twelve great-grandchildren. Her parents, husband, brother – Clayton Thorn, and sisters – Retta Smith and Ruth Crago, preceded her in death.

Visitation will be from 3 – 8 p.m. Wednesday (September 1, 2010) at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday (September 2, 2010) at the Bailey-Love Mortuary with

Rev. Gene Vickery officiating. Burial will be in the Zion Cemetery, Roanoke.
Military graveside rites will be performed by the V.F.W. Post #2689.

Memorial contributions may be made to First Church of the Nazarene in care
of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, IN 46750.

Cemetery Details

Zion Cemetery

6276 N. Old Fort Wayne Rd.
Huntington, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP 1. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary
35 West Park Drive
Huntington, IN 46750
(260) 356-1710
wecare@baileylove.com
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Service

SEP 2. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Doris Opal Murray



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - August 28, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ I don't where to start I have so many memories. She would take us grandkids to church every Sunday and Wednesday and prayer group on Tuesdays. If it wasn't those days. Then I was hanging out with grandma waiting for her to say "while you re out here go ahead and get the rider out and mow the yard." Well now that I m grow in up I wished I would of spent more time for more memories.

Tonya Murray-Tabor - September 01, 2010 at 08:54 AM



“ I'm sure "Mrs. Murray", was greeted in Heaven by two of her favorite Nursery Fellows. Michael and Gerin Rudy. They loved their time with her in the Church nursery back in the 1970's. Opal was a truly wonderful person. I'm sure she will be missed.

Marti Bibeau - August 31, 2010 at 04:31 PM

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“ Words ring hollow at times like these but heartfelt sympathies are real.

Opal was our boy's, Mike, Jeff, and Steven, Sunday School teacher when we attended First Church. Audrey, the boys and I enjoyed Sunday dinners at her place several times. What a wonderful and Godly lady she is.

May the Great God of Love and Compassion embrace you all in His Almighty Arms of Mercy and Care. Hold on to His Unchanging Hands he will never let go of yours.

Duane Audrey Glass - August 31, 2010 at 12:58 PM



“ Many fond memories of Opal and her family. She was a gracious and precious lady. I am thankful that I was fortunate enough to have known her. Melba and Opal's children, my sympathy to you.

Gerald Sailors - August 30, 2010 at 02:44 PM