



Mary Ellen Buzzard

March 13, 1930 - January 15, 2016

Mary Ellen Buzzard, age 85, of Huntington, died at 7:05 a.m. Friday (January 15, 2016) at Heritage Pointe in Warren.

Visitation will be held from 3 - 7 p.m. Monday (January 18, 2016) at Evangelical United Methodist Church, 1000 Flaxmill Road, Huntington, Indiana. Funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Tuesday (January 19, 2016) at Evangelical United Methodist Church with Rev. Raymond Scribner officiating. There will be one hour of visitation prior to the service. Burial will be in Pilgrims Rest Cemetery in Huntington.

Preferred memorials are to Pleasant Grove Church or Pilchers Chapel United Methodist Church, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana, 46750.

Mary was born on March 13, 1930 in Huntington, the daughter of George Henry and Mae Ella (Finley) Frewer Sr. She graduated from Huntington High School in 1948 and married Russell D. Buzzard on March 31, 1951 in Huntington. Mary retired in 1998 from First National Bank in Huntington after 27 years as a teller. She also worked at Huntington Public Library for eight years. She was a member of Pleasant Grove United Methodist Church and a longtime member of Bethel United Methodist Church, both in Huntington.

Survivors include her husband of 64 years - Russell D. Buzzard of Huntington; a son - Mark Alan Buzzard of Huntington; a daughter - Jill (Ken) Brumbaugh of Huntington; a sister - Barbara Ann (Clarence) Bell of Huntington; nine grandchildren, and thirteen great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents, five brothers - Arthur Frewer, George H. Frewer Jr., Meredith Frewer, Max Nelson Frewer, and Erwin E. Frewer, and three sisters - Marie Briggs, G. Louise Foust, and Evelyn Bowman.

Cemetery Details

Pilgrims Rest Cemetery

4945 N. Jefferson St
Huntington, IN

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 18. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Evangelical United Methodist Church
1000 Flaxmill Rd.
Huntington, IN 46750

Visitation

JAN 19. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

Evangelical United Methodist Church
1000 Flaxmill Rd.
Huntington, IN 46750

Service

JAN 19. 10:00 AM (ET)

Evangelical United Methodist Church
1000 Flaxmill Rd.
Huntington, IN 46750

Tribute Wall



“ Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Ellen Buzzard



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - January 16, 2016 at 01:04 PM

Deepest sympathy to the family of Mary Ellen and especially to our former neighbor Barbara Bell. Nelson and Rosemary Schoeff

Rosemary Schoeff - January 17, 2016 at 06:07 PM

“ *My sympathies to the family and Russ for their loss of this sweet woman.*

God's comfort to you all.

Joanna Kline

Joanna Kline - January 23, 2016 at 12:17 AM

“ *very sorry for your loss, aunt mary ellen, was a beautiful person. thinking of you all. brenda, tonya and dorothy frewer.*

brenda frewer - January 21, 2016 at 03:52 PM

AC

“ Anne Crist lit a candle in memory of Mary Ellen Buzzard



Anne Crist - January 19, 2016 at 12:39 PM

JJ

“ I ALWAYS LOVED SEEING MARY ELLEN AT THE BANK - ALWAYS A SMILE & A GOOD WORD. AFTER RETIREMENT NANCY & I WOULD OFTEN SEE MARY ELLEN & BUZZ AT RICHARDS. SHE WAS A JOY. OUR PRAYERS ARE WITH THE FAMILY AT THIS DIFFICULT TIME. NANCY & JERRY JUILLERAT

Jerry & Nancy Juillerat - January 19, 2016 at 11:56 AM

TG

“ Tom Gates lit a candle in memory of Mary Ellen Buzzard



Tom Gates - January 19, 2016 at 09:43 AM

MF

“ *Uncle Buzz, Jill and Mark and families,*

Please know that you are all in our thoughts and prayers as you go through this of loss.

We have so many memories of the great times together and joy and love she brought to us all.

We know she is with all her Brothers, Sisters and friends smiling down on you as she now 'reaches out and touches the face of God.'

I am so sorry that we could not be there with you all during this time to celebrate her life but be assured that we are thinking of you all.

In deepest sympathy and fullest appreciation for all she gave to so many,

Mike & Dianne Frewer

Mike Frewer - January 19, 2016 at 08:37 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Ellen Buzzard.*



January 18, 2016 at 05:52 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary Ellen Buzzard.*



January 18, 2016 at 12:40 PM



“ *Jill, Mark & Family,
We will keep all of your family in our thoughts & prayers. Your mother was such a sweet person.
Rob & Deb Miller*

Millers - January 17, 2016 at 08:14 PM



Thank you Rob and Deb!

Mark Buzzard - January 19, 2016 at 12:20 AM



Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I'm sorry I found this out too late to make it to the viewing. We have great memories of our childhood growing up next to MaryEllen and Buzz. Everett, Anne, Sam and Randy.

Anne Crist - January 19, 2016 at 12:38 PM



“ *Susan Hiple lit a candle in memory of Mary Ellen Buzzard*



Susan Hiple - January 17, 2016 at 03:16 PM

SH

So sorry to hear of Mary Ellen's passing. Buzz you took such good care of Mary Ellen. My sympathy to all of her family, prayers to you all.

Susan Hiple - January 17, 2016 at 03:19 PM

DD

“ *Mark,
So sorry to read about the passing of your mom. I always enjoyed seeing her when I would go into the bank and I know mom thought a lot of her and enjoyed working with her. Your family has my sympathy. Deb Doctor*

deb doctor - January 17, 2016 at 12:53 PM

LL

“ *So sorry for your loss Jill and Mark and all of your families. You're in my thoughts.*



Lisa Bozell Louthan - January 16, 2016 at 08:50 PM

LR

“ *Jill...I always loved your mom and dad when we were growing up.they were so kind to put up with our cheerleading upstairs and our sleepover shenanigans. Sending prayers to your family. We are on vaca so I can't come to the viewing.thinking of you...*

lynette rodgers - January 16, 2016 at 08:17 PM

RJ

“ *We were very privileged to care for such a wonderful lady as Mary Ellen at Heritage Pointe. She was so beautiful, inside and out. Prayers and much love to Buzz and family.*

Reese Jones - January 16, 2016 at 01:39 PM



Reese... **THANK YOU SO MUCH** for caring for Mom! You, and ALL of the people who were there for Mom, were just wonderful in so many ways! Dad, Jill, and I were so glad we got to get to know all of you! God bless all of you!

Mark Buzzard - January 19, 2016 at 12:24 AM

RE

It was an honor. Truly. Wonderful woman with an amazing family. We also looked forward to seeing your dad everyday as he was a 'Papa' to is all. God bless you as well!

Reese - January 26, 2016 at 08:45 PM

By

“ 30 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - January 16, 2016 at 12:55 PM



“ *Cindy Gamlin lit a candle in memory of Mary Ellen Buzzard*



Cindy Gamlin - January 16, 2016 at 11:33 AM

RH

“ *The sainthood is not good enough for my friends "Sweetie"! She was his rock of stillness and strength. As our family battled the many depressions of deaths over the years, THEY were always there. She has finished her trials in this plane and we pray for the "buzz" to find the strength he will surely need at this time. May god bless them and their family now!*

Ronald Holley - January 16, 2016 at 10:41 AM

SB

*Thank you Ron, couldn't have said it better.
Jeff and Sharon Bennett.*

Sharon Bennett - January 16, 2016 at 11:33 AM

JW

“ *Janelle Wolf-Young lit a candle in memory of
Mary Ellen Buzzard*



Janelle Wolf-Young - January 16, 2016 at 09:42 AM

JW

“ *So sorry for your loss. Praying God will give you comfort and peace.*

Janelle Wolf-Young - January 16, 2016 at 09:42 AM

M(

“ *What a lovely lady. She was my mother's cousin, Garnett Finley Reifert. Prayers for Buzzy. He was a wonderful husband. Every lady should have such a loyal husband.*

Marlene Johnston (Reifert) - January 16, 2016 at 09:33 AM

CV

“ Uncle Buzz, Jill and Mark,

I am so sad to hear about Aunt Mary Ellen passing away. I loved her all my life and have so many wonderful memories of family time together. Evenings at your house on Elm street - playing and eating popcorn. Christmases at Grandma Buzzard's. I can still see Aunt Mary Ellen standing on the big heater trying to get warm! Later walking down the street at Yakes to visit for awhile.

I was so happy to see her when we were home for Christmas a couple years ago and introducing Ron to her and Uncle Buzz. I know she didn't really know who we were, but she was so gracious and welcoming. And then a few days later, we saw you at The Rusty Dog and I was sure she recognized me that evening. It made me so happy. That sweet spirit was always there.

I will always cherish the example of marital devotion between Uncle Buzz and Aunt Mary Ellen. The love was evident when they looked at each other and when they talked about each other. My heart is full to remember that faithfulness and love.

My heart is heavy today for losing her and at the same time, I am praising God for her Christian example and knowing the we will meet again in our heavenly home.

My prayers are with you and I will be with you in my thoughts as you go through this time.

Cindy Viele

Cindy Viele - January 16, 2016 at 09:19 AM

GS

“ *Mary Ellen and Buzz made an everlasting impression on my family and helped form my children into the adults they are today. Praying and thinking of you Buzz at this trying time. We love you!*



Gayle Schuknecht - January 16, 2016 at 08:09 AM

MS

“ *My sympathy to the Buzzard family; I worked with Mary Ellen many years ago, she was such a joy.*

Marilyn Sonner

Marilyn Sonner - January 16, 2016 at 06:46 AM

MK

“ *Melissa Killen lit a candle in memory of Mary Ellen Buzzard*



Melissa Killen - January 16, 2016 at 05:40 AM

JW

“ *Jody Wolf lit a candle in memory of Mary Ellen Buzzard*



Jody Wolf - January 16, 2016 at 05:38 AM

TS

“ *Mark,*

So sorry for your loss. Your in our thoughts and prayers!

Rick and Tiffany Saunders

Tiffany Saunders - January 15, 2016 at 09:15 PM



Thank you so much Tiff and Rick!

Mark Buzzard - January 19, 2016 at 12:27 AM

KH

“ *Mary ellen was just a lovely, sweet woman. Mom always thought so much of her when they worked together at the bank....love to her family..Kathy Harper*



kathy harper - January 15, 2016 at 08:21 PM

TT

“ *Tom Tallman lit a candle in memory of Mary Ellen Buzzard*



Tom Tallman - January 15, 2016 at 03:41 PM

VF

Buzzy, I am so sorry to hear about your wife. You were and always will be a couple made in Heaven. So Blessed to have known you both and your family through the years at Horace Mann School. God Bless

Virginia Floyd - January 18, 2016 at 09:07 AM

MH

I worked with Mary Ellen at First National Bank. She was a wonderful lady, always so sweet and kind. Thoughts and prayers with all of you.

Michelle Hogan - January 19, 2016 at 10:23 AM