



## Mary Gelee Kingrey

July 16, 1927 - April 12, 2016

Mary Gelee Kingrey, age 88, of Warren, died at 12:35 p.m. Tuesday (April 12, 2016) at Heritage Pointe in Warren.

Visitation will be from 3 - 7 p.m. Friday (April 15, 2016) at Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana. Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Saturday (April 16, 2016) at Bailey-Love Mortuary with Minister Scott Reece officiating. There will be one hour of visitation prior to the service. Burial will be in Gardens of Memory in Huntington County.

Preferred memorials are to South Broadway Church of Christ, in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive, Huntington, Indiana, 46750.

Gelee was born on July 16, 1927 in Cumberland County, Kentucky, the daughter of Willie Lee and Hattie Irene (Anderson) Bull. She married George Kingrey on April 20, 1945 in Glasgow, Kentucky; he preceded her in death on May 2, 2013. Gelee was a representative for Avon for over 40 years and was a member of South Broadway Church of Christ in Huntington. She was a member of Right to Life of Huntington County and loved to garden and socialize.

Survivors include three sons - Clifton (Diana) Kingrey of Blue Ridge, Georgia, Joe Kingrey of Gainesville, Georgia, and Randy (Tammy) Kingrey of

Shepherdsville, Kentucky; two daughters - Wanda L. (Roger) Hosler of Huntington and Marlas E. Robrock of Fort Wayne; two brothers - Howard Bulle and Sam Earl Bulle, both of Glasgow, Kentucky; 12 grandchildren, 20 great grandchildren, and four great-great grandchildren. She is preceded in death by her parents, husband, two sons - Tommie Daryl Kingrey and Larry Wayne Kingrey, and a brother - John Will Bull.

# Cemetery Details

## Gardens of Memory

11201 S. Marion Road 35  
Marion, IN 46952

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR **15**. 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>

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APR **16**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall

BL

“ Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary Gelee Kingrey



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**Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary** - April 15, 2016 at 11:47 AM

PM

“ Cliff, Diane and Joe.

*I was on Bailey Love Leaving a Message For a Friend that's Father Past Away and I Came Across Gelee Obituary. Your Mom Was the First Person I Met when I went to Broadway Church of Christ the first time. She was a Wonderful Christian Woman and I Loved Her Dearly. I'm So Sorry about Your Lost. She was, always there when I needed someone to talk to. And before I moved back to Arkansas She was the last person I said Goodbye to.*

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**Patti Mitchell-Powell** - July 20, 2016 at 08:16 PM

AL

“ Loved visiting with Mary when she would come to visit mom and sell some Avon. She was a lot of fun....and dad always loved her green beans ;)

*Andrea Sharp Long*

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**Andrea Long** - June 04, 2016 at 02:00 AM

YS

“ Yvonne (Hiner) Soulliere lit a candle in memory of Mary Gelee Kingrey



Yvonne (Hiner) Soulliere - May 20, 2016 at 12:34 PM

YS

*I'm so sorry for the loss of this dear women. I too will always remember the fun/short church bus ride and her teaching us fun songs that still cross my mind. You will be missed!*

Yvonne (Hiner) Soulliere - May 20, 2016 at 12:37 PM

VJ

“ To Gelee's family> I just heard about her passing a few minutes and I am so sorry. She was such a wonderful person and I loved her so much, .She was such a wonderful example of what a Christian should be. RIP Dear sister in Christ , your memory is blessed.I just can't find words to express my grief.



Vernetta Jester - May 02, 2016 at 09:10 PM

TS

“ To the family of Gelee Kingrey, our thoughts and prayers are with you. We remember George and Gelee picking the kids up on the church bus when they were little. Very nice lady. Terry and Sue



Terry E Scher - April 18, 2016 at 08:56 AM

SB

“ Sam & Phyllis Bulle lit a candle in memory of Mary Gelee Kingrey



Sam & Phyllis Bulle - April 16, 2016 at 09:56 AM

TM

“ Troy and Lori McMullen purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mary Gelee Kingrey.



Troy and Lori McMullen - April 15, 2016 at 04:13 PM

BL

“ 25 files added to the album Life Tributes



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - April 15, 2016 at 11:44 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary Gelee Kingrey.*



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April 15, 2016 at 09:24 AM



“ *GLEENDA JENT lit a candle in memory of Mary Gelee Kingrey*



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**GLEENDA JENT** - April 15, 2016 at 09:22 AM



*GELEE was an amazing lady I knew her for many years, I use to sell avon for her. All the family are in my thoughts and prayers....*

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**GLEENDA JENT** - April 15, 2016 at 09:27 AM



“ *Sincere sympathy to the Kingrey family.  
Jack and Connie Kindler*

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**Connie Kindler** - April 15, 2016 at 08:15 AM



“ *Basket of Joy was purchased for the family of Mary Gelee Kingrey.*



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April 15, 2016 at 07:59 AM

FB

“ So very sorry for your loss. Praying that the Lord will bless you all with His special comfort during this time. Love and prayers, Frances (Kingery) Brown

Frances Brown - April 14, 2016 at 10:29 PM

JK

“ Sending our sympathy to all of you at this difficult time. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Jon and Janice Kellam

Jon and Janice Kellam - April 14, 2016 at 09:50 PM

Angie Brown

“ Angie Brown lit a candle in memory of Mary Gelee Kingrey



Angie Brown - April 14, 2016 at 07:40 PM

Angie Brown

*When I was 11 I met Gelee and her family. She inspired me to go every Sunday and Weds. She took me under her wing, as with a lot of other children and helped me learn to be a Christian. For several years she was very supportive and kind to me and my brother, Jimmy Storie. When we moved out of town she would call and check on us while we finished childhood. Whenever she seen us out in town she was always gracious and kind. So much so that as an adult when it came time for me to get married my husband and I went back to the church I grew up loving. She was just as kind and loving to our children as she was to me. When we moved out of town again I lost touch with her and the church. I am very sad to hear that she passed. I am very certain she is in Heaven with George giving out her southern charm and love. I give my deepest condolence to her family. I was truly blessed to have been one of her "children". I will miss her very much.*

Angie Brown - April 14, 2016 at 07:53 PM

MP

“ *Such a sweet, beautiful Christian lady. Loved her so much, Met her and George at Boundary Line Church of Christ in the 1970's Got to worship with her at Boundary Line, Huntington and Woodland Hills Church of Christ. Every time we shared a hug. She was so special. Then in March we hosted a gospel singing at Heritage Point Warren Home. She set right behind me and SANG her heart out in every song. and we hugged again. A week and 5 days latter her dear friend Mary seen me at Lowe's and stopped me to tell me she had fallen and the family had been called in. We are so sorry that we are on vacation in TX and can not be with her family this week. Please know we are sending you love and hugs.*

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**Marlin and Janet Pattee** - April 14, 2016 at 05:52 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mary Gelee Kingrey.*



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April 14, 2016 at 03:12 PM

CB

“ *We are so sorry for your loss Marlas, Kylia and Logan. We love you. Chrissy and Larry*

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**Christine Buchanan** - April 14, 2016 at 02:15 PM

RR

“ Randy, Tina And Natalee Runner lit a candle in memory of Mary Gelee Kingrey



Randy, Tina and Natalee Runner - April 14, 2016 at 02:04 PM

NF

“ Natalie Fouts lit a candle in memory of Mary Gelee Kingrey



Natalie Fouts - April 14, 2016 at 01:20 PM

LA

“ Leslie, Bri, Bryce, Mom, Larry, Kristie and Avery purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Mary Gelee Kingrey.



Leslie, Bri, Bryce, Mom, Larry, Kristie and Avery - April 14, 2016 at 01:08 PM

DB

“ It was a pleasure to get to know Gelee several years ago at Bluffton Regional. She was a great patient and a wonderful person. My sympathy to her family.

Dr. George Babcock - April 14, 2016 at 12:41 PM

MW

“ *Mary Waters lit a candle in memory of Mary Gelee Kingrey*



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**Mary Waters** - April 14, 2016 at 08:20 AM

MW

*So sorry for your loss. She was such a sweet lady. Good friend to my mom (Joann Haney). Loved to talking to her and George. Great people.*

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**Mary Waters** - April 14, 2016 at 08:22 AM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Mary Gelee Kingrey.*



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April 14, 2016 at 07:50 AM

RB

“ *So sorry to hear of your loss. Prayers for your family*

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**Randy Borskey** - April 14, 2016 at 07:38 AM

HE

“ *Ralph and I have such good memories of eating at Gelee's home and visiting with she and George. We send our deep sympathy to all the family. May God give you all the comfort you need in these difficult days. Love, Ralph and Harriett*

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**Harriett Ely** - April 14, 2016 at 06:53 AM

OB

“ Our deepest sympathy, Tim and Ryen Brumbeloe purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Mary Gelee Kingrey.



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**Our deepest sympathy, Tim and Ryen Brumbeloe** - April 14, 2016 at 06:46 AM

GS

“ Glenna (Bolding) Slone lit a candle in memory of Mary Gelee Kingrey



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**Glenna (Bolding) Slone** - April 14, 2016 at 05:45 AM

BF

“ have known mrs kingery for a lot of years. she was a very special lady. love to go visit and we would talk about avon or gardening.  
Larry and Bonnie Farmer  
James and Alberta Bolding.

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**Bonnie (Bolding) Farmer** - April 13, 2016 at 10:39 PM



“ Tammy Millington lit a candle in memory of Mary Gelee Kingrey



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**Tammy Millington** - April 13, 2016 at 09:07 PM

EH

“ My goodness, I am so very sorry to hear this news. Such a wonderful lady and family. I rode the school bus with my mom (Betty Hackett) as we picked up her kids for school, Larry used to hold me on the bus as a baby (and was always my fav :). Such fond memories! I have since grown to know some of the grandchildren as well. Sending love and prayers to your family at this time! Sincerely, Ellen Hackett



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**Ellen & Jordan Hackett** - April 13, 2016 at 08:42 PM

LL

“ I'm so sorry for Gelee's families loss. Gelee was such a amazing women. All of you are in my thought's and prayers. Davis Family



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**Lisa Leedy** - April 13, 2016 at 08:22 PM

LI

“ You are in our thoughts and prayers Lisa Bolding and family

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**Lisa** - April 13, 2016 at 08:18 PM

JK

“ I'm so glad that I met Gelee and got to know her and George. What a sweet and blessed couple. They are both gonna be missed now here on earth. But what a sweet reunion they are having in heaven. May God comfort their loved ones in this time of loss.  
Joanna Kline

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**Joanna Kline** - April 13, 2016 at 06:33 PM

AR

“ Praying for all of you, love Annette(Kingery) Roehr

Annette Roehr - April 13, 2016 at 06:16 PM

RN

“ Thoughts and prayers to her family

Renee Ness - April 13, 2016 at 06:12 PM

RN

“ Renee Ness lit a candle in memory of Mary Gelee Kingrey



Renee Ness - April 13, 2016 at 06:09 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mary Gelee Kingrey.



April 13, 2016 at 05:39 PM

SK

“ Sympathy to all of you. I cared for George several times at Bluffton Regional Medical Center and always enjoyed talking to Gelee about her family. She was quite special. Sherry (Banter) Knight

Sherry Knight - April 13, 2016 at 05:33 PM

JV

“ Dear Marlas and Family,

*I am so sorry about the loss of your Mother. I wanted you to know that I am thinking of you and praying for you. With Deepest Sympathy,*

*Jane Hale Varney*



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**Jane Hale Varney** - April 13, 2016 at 05:18 PM

JM

“ John & Barb Martin purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mary Gelee Kingrey.



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**John & Barb Martin** - April 13, 2016 at 04:02 PM

S(

“ Salford BBI Family (Cornelia) purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Mary Gelee Kingrey.



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**Salford BBI Family (Cornelia)** - April 13, 2016 at 03:57 PM

RS

“ Rebecca Shaffer lit a candle in memory of Mary Gelee Kingrey



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**Rebecca Shaffer** - April 13, 2016 at 03:46 PM

RJ

“ My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Your Mother was such a sweet and special lady. She gave me a little locket when I was a little girl. I do not still have the locket, but I do still have the wonderful memories of my sweet cousin!! May God's peace and comfort surround each of you! I love you all!



Runelle Jackson - April 13, 2016 at 03:24 PM



“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you  
  
Bolding family

Rita Winkler - April 13, 2016 at 02:42 PM

AB

“ I am so sorry to hear of gelee passing, she was a mom to me. I remember all the great times and all the things that gelee and George did for buddy ,Kathy and myself that I will never forget and keep the memories close! I will always keep them in my heart and prayers. I will miss you so much! I LOVE YOU GELEE! All my thoughts and prayers go out to the family!

Ann Booher - April 13, 2016 at 11:29 AM

MR

Ann, she loved you all dearly. So many fun memories of all of us.  
Love, Marlas

marlas robrock - April 13, 2016 at 09:52 PM

MR

Ann, she loved you very much. So many fun memories of all of us :)  
Love, Marlas

marlas robrock - April 13, 2016 at 09:55 PM

DJ

“ *Denzil Smith Family (Larry, Ronnie, Carol Ann & Jennifer) purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mary Gelee Kingrey.*



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**Denzil Smith Family (Larry, Ronnie, Carol Ann & Jennifer) -**  
April 13, 2016 at 09:40 AM