



## Joan Hammond

March 19, 1944 - June 30, 2023

Mable Joan Hammond, known to her loved ones as Joan, peacefully passed away on Friday, June 30, 2023, at Lutheran Hospital of Fort Wayne, Indiana at the age of 79.

She was born on March 19, 1944, in Rochester, Indiana to Oscar Wayne and Lois May (Nordman) Crill. She married on April 29, 1961 in North Manchester, Indiana. to Buddy L. Hammond Sr., he survives.

Joan attended Akron High School. She was a dedicated and hardworking individual throughout her life. In her free time, she enjoyed camping, and she had a special love for animals. These hobbies brought her great joy and allowed her to connect with nature. In years past, she worked in the Deli at Lance's Grocery Store and also for Timbercrest Senior Living Community.

Joan was a woman of faith and found solace in her spirituality. She worshipped at Shiloh Chapel, where she found strength and support within her community. She served as a Sunday School Teacher, Youth Leader, and also was Song Leader at the church. Joan leaves behind a legacy of love, kindness, and cherished memories. She will be deeply missed by all who had the privilege of knowing her.

Joan is survived by her devoted spouse of 63 years, Bud Hammond of Akron;

her loving son, Buddy Jr. and wife Carla Hammond of Akron; her cherished daughter, Kimberly and husband Mark Hubartt of Muncie; and grandchildren Michael, Sarah, Brandon, and Leann.

Joan was preceded in death by her parents.

The funeral service will take place at 2:00 pm, Wednesday, July 5, 2023 at Hartzler Funeral Home 305 West Rochester Street Akron, Indiana with Pastor Dwight Wagner officiating.

The interment will take place in the Pleasant Hill Cemetery, North Manchester, Indiana.

Visitation hours will be from 1 pm to 2 pm, Wednesday, July 5, 2023 at Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, Indiana.

# Cemetery Details

## Pleasant Hill Cemetery

997 W State Rd 114  
North Manchester, IN

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 5. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Hartzler Funeral Home  
305 West Rochester Street  
P.O. Box 856  
Akron, IN 46910  
(574) 893-4423  
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## Funeral Service

JUL 5. 2:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Joan Hammond*



Hartzler Funeral Services - July 02, 2023 at 11:02 PM

RF

“ *Always good to be around Joan & Bud. Great people! Thank God we got to share time with them at River City Campground! May God's Peace & Comfort Bud and the rest of the family* ❤️❤️❤️

Ron & Sharon Frazier - July 06, 2023 at 03:26 AM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Joan Hammond.*



July 04, 2023 at 09:56 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joan Hammond.*



July 04, 2023 at 09:47 AM



“ *Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Joan Hammond.*



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July 03, 2023 at 06:20 PM

MQ

“ To one of the most close best friends I evr had ovr the yrs... It's been quite the journey for us. We met whn June Burrus & Joan came to my hse in Disko w/evangelizing the Community there. I hd jst previously been Saved w/exceptg Jesus as my personal Savior, & got to share my testimony w/thm. They invited me to come to their church- Olive Branch Church.

Our friendship grew frm there in 1972... Our oldest kids wer close in age, & we spent many good tms at each othrs hses. She ws the person I cld go to for help & Prayer...& vice versa. We laughed & cried togethr...We were VERY close. She loved studying the Bible & ws a good Teacher of the Word. She helped disciple me in the Word of God too.

I LVD her fmly-Bud & kids.

Afr I mvd away to Warsaw, we lost touch for a few yrs, but thn God brought us bck together down the road, & we jst pickd bck up where we left off. She had been Healed many tms ovr the yrs, includg receiving a Heart Transplant which lasted way beyond the yrs that most people get.

And again God made sure we came bck together at the end of her Life.

Laughing, holding hands, & Praying together.

I am SO Blessed to hv had such a friend & Woman of God in my Lifetime. GOOD Memories are forever, & LV Remains.

I will miss her...

Marty J Quance (prev Hoffman)

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Marty J Quance - July 03, 2023 at 01:32 PM

KH

Love this, thank you!  
Kimberly Hubartt  
Proud daughter of Joan

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Kimberly Hubartt - July 04, 2023 at 01:02 PM

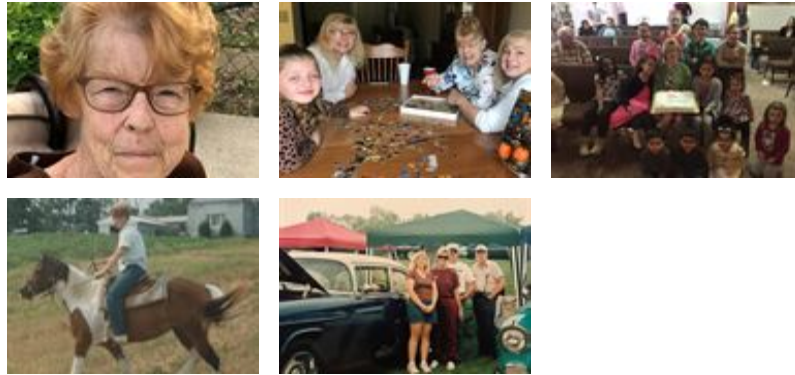
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“ Thoughts and prayers to family and friends from Rick and Linda Bradley.

Rick and Linda Bradley - July 03, 2023 at 06:23 AM



“ 52 files added to the album Life Tributes



Hartzler Funeral Services - July 02, 2023 at 11:02 PM

RB

Beautiful tribute for a sweet lady. Rest in Peace

Rick and Linda Bradley - July 03, 2023 at 10:20 AM



“ Lavender Reflections Spray was purchased for the family of Joan Hammond.



July 02, 2023 at 07:34 AM



“ *Pink Potpourri Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joan Hammond.*



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July 01, 2023 at 08:04 PM