



## Joyce A. Day

February 1, 1957 - October 24, 2023

Joyce A. Day, 66, of rural Roann, Indiana went home to be with the Lord unexpectedly surrounded by her family at 9:42 am, Tuesday, Oct. 24, 2023 at her residence.

Joyce was born on Feb. 1, 1957 in Wabash, Indiana to Luther and Marie (Becraft) Young. She was a 1975 graduate of Northfield High School. She married on May 12, 1979 in Urbana, Indiana to De Wayne Day, he survives.

She worked for Midwest Poultry Services for 38 years, retiring in Aug. of 2023. She was the Director of Quality Assurance for 34 years. She traveled to multiple states for MPS to oversee many plants. Throughout her career, she attained many certificates in food service, and was even the Upper Wabash Vocational School Outstanding Student in 1974-1975.

She loved euchre and played up to 3 times a week. Joyce enjoyed baking, everyone loved her cookies, cakes, and especially her peanut brittle. Together with her husband, they enjoyed camping, traveling all over the country, and playing cards. In years past she attended the Olive Branch Church of God. She traveled to numerous sporting events for her grandchildren and great grandchildren. Joyce would do anything for her family and will be deeply missed.

She is survived by her husband De Wayne Day of Roann; daughter Detre and husband Scott Jones of Denver; son William and wife Katie Day of Rochester; grandchildren Austin, Anthony, Alicia, Kaylyn, Howie, Liam, and Arden; 10 Great Grandchildren; sister Geraldine Friend of N. Manchester; and brother Gerald Young of Texas.

Joyce was preceded in death by her parents and brothers Alfred Young and Eugene Young.

The funeral service will take place at 10:30 am, Saturday, Oct. 28, 2023 at Hartzler Funeral Home 305 West Rochester Street Akron, Indiana with Pastor Kathy Nelson officiating.

The interment will follow in the Akron Cemetery, Akron, Indiana.

Visitation hours will be held from 3 pm to 7 pm, Friday, Oct. 27, 2023 at Hartzler Funeral Home, Akron, Indiana.

Memorial contributions can be made in her memory to the American Red Cross.

# Cemetery Details

## Akron Cemetery

S 1075 E  
Akron, IN 46910

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **27**. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Hartzler Funeral Home  
305 West Rochester Street  
P.O. Box 856  
Akron, IN 46910  
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## Funeral Service

OCT **28**. 10:30 AM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Joyce A. Day



Hartzler Funeral Services - October 26, 2023 at 10:45 AM

JB

*Joyce was a beautiful woman that always had kind words and a big smile on her face.  
There will never be another like her.  
I am so sorry for your loss.*

Jackie Burnett - October 30, 2023 at 09:06 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Joyce A. Day.

October 27, 2023 at 01:43 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joyce A. Day.



October 27, 2023 at 12:32 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Joyce A. Day.

October 27, 2023 at 12:20 PM



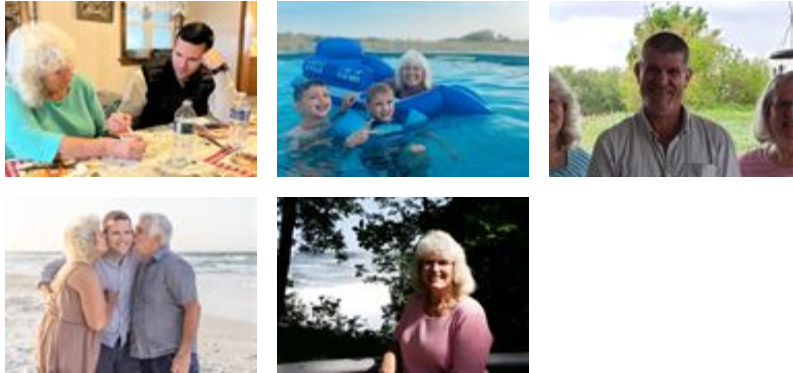
“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Joyce A. Day.



October 27, 2023 at 12:20 PM



“ 28 files added to the album Life Tributes



Hartzler Funeral Services - October 27, 2023 at 09:14 AM



“ Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joyce A. Day.



October 27, 2023 at 09:01 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joyce A. Day.



October 26, 2023 at 08:16 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Joyce A. Day.

October 26, 2023 at 03:16 PM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Joyce A. Day.



October 26, 2023 at 03:16 PM



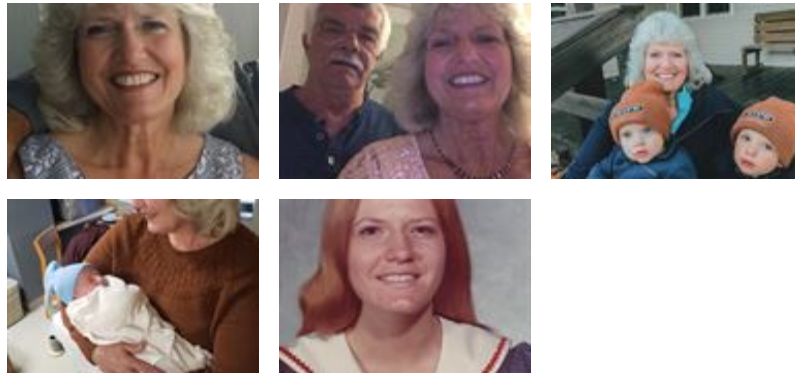
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Hartzler Funeral Services - October 26, 2023 at 01:24 PM



“ 100 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Hartzler Funeral Services - October 26, 2023 at 10:47 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness* was purchased for the family of Joyce A. Day.



October 26, 2023 at 10:41 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Joyce A. Day.

October 26, 2023 at 08:54 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Joyce A. Day.



October 25, 2023 at 11:35 PM

LM

“ We will miss you Joyce .I remember one cold winter you fuyts came down we lived in our first trailer .lol the 4 of us played Euchre til the early in the morn and the wind was blowing bad my curtains were moving haha.

You will be greatly missed girlfriend.Ill never forget your laugh.Love you,Lisa Mathias

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**Lisa Mathias** - October 25, 2023 at 05:10 PM

AC

“ Alderfer Bergen & Company purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Joyce A. Day.



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**Alderfer Bergen & Company** - October 25, 2023 at 03:52 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Joyce A. Day.

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October 25, 2023 at 03:31 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joyce A. Day.



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October 25, 2023 at 03:31 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Joyce A. Day.*



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October 25, 2023 at 01:10 PM