



Mary E. Tucker Bucher

October 28, 1916 - March 23, 2015

Mary E. Tucker Bucher, 98, of rural Mentone, died 11:55 a.m. Monday, March 23, 2015, at Grace Village Retirement Community of Winona Lake.

She was born Oct. 28, 1916, in Claypool, to Cloyce and Roxie (Parker) Miller.

On June 9, 1937, in Claypool, she married Edison C. Tucker. He preceded her in death on Feb. 21, 1969. She then married C. Edward Bucher on Jan. 5, 1985, in Beaver Dam. He preceded her in death on July 27, 1998.

She worked at Tippecanoe Valley High School in the cafeteria for five years as well as being a wonderful homemaker, wife and mother.

Mary was a Claypool High School graduate in 1934. She was a member of the Beaver Dam United Methodist Church and a former member of the Order of the Eastern Star. She was a great cook and enjoyed knitting. She loved to watch her family in all their sports activities, especially basketball.

Survivors include her daughter, JoAnn and husband Mike Williams, Atwood; grandchildren Kim Nelson, Plymouth, Chad and wife Lisa Tucker, Mentone, Stephanie and husband Scott Bibler, Claypool, Chan and wife Nicole Tucker, Mentone, Tara and husband Hunter Carlile, Winona Lake, and Cheri and husband Andy Mikesell, Zionsville; 15 great-grandchildren; and stepsons Chuck and wife Helen, Phillip and wife Jeanne and Paul and wife Pat Bucher and families.

She was preceded in death by husbands Edison C. Tucker and C. Edward Bucher, son and daughter-in-law Charles M. and Cara L. Tucker, sister Maxine and husband Joe Ault and grandson Brian D. Nelson.

Her funeral service is 2 p.m. Thursday, March 26, 2015, at King Memorial Home, 101 N. Tucker St., Mentone. Pastor Butch Troke and Pastor Lynn Breeden will officiate.

Visitation is 4-8 p.m. today, March 25, 2015, at King Memorial Home, Mentone, and one hour prior to the service at the memorial home Thursday. Burial is at Mentone Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Beaver Dam United Methodist Church.

Cemetery Details

Mentone Cemetery

Morgan St Jefferson Street
Mentone, IN 46539

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR **25**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

King Memorial Home
101 North Tucker Street
P.O. Box 56
Mentone, IN 46539
(574) 353-7975
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Funeral Service

MAR **26**. 2:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Hartzler Funeral Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary E. Tucker Bucher



Hartzler Funeral Services - March 24, 2015 at 09:30 PM

MM

What a lovely tribute to her.. It looks like she loved her family!! Prayers for peace and comfort in the days and months ahead

Melinda Miller - March 25, 2015 at 03:26 PM

DW

“ So sorry to hear of Mary's passing. Praying for peace and comfort for you all.

Deb (Wulliman) Wright - March 25, 2015 at 10:36 AM



“ Basket of Joy was purchased for the family of Mary E. Tucker Bucher.



March 25, 2015 at 08:40 AM



“ 154 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



Hartzler Funeral Services - March 24, 2015 at 09:18 PM

AS

“ *I am honored to have known her! She always had such a wonderful smile. Sending my thoughts and prayers....*

Angie Swihart - March 24, 2015 at 07:10 PM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Mary E. Tucker Bucher.*



March 24, 2015 at 05:16 PM

TP

“ *Such a beautiful and loving soul! Will miss her.....*

Tammi Parker - March 24, 2015 at 01:09 PM

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KK

“ *A favorite client of mine for years!! Loved her caring , genuine , loving personality. She will be missed here.*

Kim Kyeser - March 24, 2015 at 07:04 AM