



## Verna Lydia Blair

October 17, 1938 - October 9, 2019

Verna L. Blair, 80, of Chandlerville, passed away at Memorial Medical Center, in Springfield, IL, at 4:11 p.m. on Wednesday, October 9, 2019. She was born October 17, 1938 in Cass County, Illinois, to LaVerne and Anna (Hillen) Eilers. She married Paul "Duke" Blair on February 14, 1959.

Mrs. Blair is survived by her husband, Duke, of Chandlerville and two daughters: Paula (Brad) Richardson of Bath and Penny (David) Claussen of Petersburg. She was preceded in death by one son, Phillip Scott Blair on August 25, 1979. Also surviving are four grandchildren: Lindsay (Alan) Franklin, Whitney (Raymond) Moy, Danielle Claussen, Brenton Claussen; great-grandson, Jack Franklin; sister, Judy Henry and brother, Dean (Georgia) Eilers.

Mrs. Blair worked for Franklin Life before marriage. Later, she worked as Secretary at the Bath and Kilbourne grade schools. She enjoyed reading, quilting, sewing, painting and carving.

Funeral services will be held on Monday, October 14, 2019 at 2:00 p.m. at Lintner-Hurley Funeral Home in Chandlerville. Visitation will be held one hour prior to the services. Burial will follow the services at Chandlerville Cemetery. Brian Eilers will officiate.

Memorial contributions may be made to Chandlerville Cemetery, Gift of Hope or the donor's choice. Online memorial messages may be left for the family at [www.hurleyfh.com](http://www.hurleyfh.com).

Lintner-Hurley Funeral Home in Chandlerville is in charge of arrangements.



# Cemetery Details

## Chandlerville Cemetery

Chandlerville, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT **14**. 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Lintner Hurley Funeral Home - Chandlerville  
255 South Main Street  
P.O. Box #346  
Chandlerville, IL 62627  
(217) 458-2424  
<https://www.hurleyfh.com/>

## Funeral

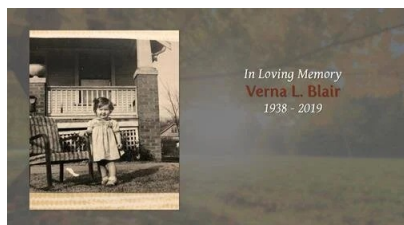
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# Tribute Wall



“ Hurley Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Verna Lydia Blair



Hurley Funeral Home - October 14, 2019 at 09:07 AM



“ Verna Lydia Blair

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ Thoughts and prayers are with you. She will be missed by so many. She was such a sweet lady, loved her lots.

Kim Baker - October 15, 2019 at 01:46 PM



“ Sorry for your lose. Will be thinking and praying for you all at a time like this.

Rod shults - October 13, 2019 at 08:36 PM

UW

“ So sorry to hear of Verna's passing. She was a very lovely lady. She had a kind heart. She always treated me like one of the family. Verna and Duke will always have a special place in my heart. Bless you all. Love Una Belle

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**Una Wertz** - October 12, 2019 at 11:49 AM

BL

“ Duke and family,  
So sorry for the loss of your wife and mother. May God provide peace and blessings during this difficult time. 💔

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**Bob Lynn** - October 12, 2019 at 09:48 AM

PB

“ Paul And Becky lit a candle in memory of  
Verna Lydia Blair



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**Paul and Becky** - October 11, 2019 at 10:27 PM



“ Dawn of Remembrance Basket was purchased  
for the family of Verna Lydia Blair.



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October 11, 2019 at 05:45 PM

DW

“ *Sorry for your loss Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family!*



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**Dan and Chris Wilson** - October 11, 2019 at 04:20 PM

LS

“ *So sorry for your loss,prayers.Always remember Verna at the restaurant ,always a friendly smile and good food. Will be greatly missed.*

*Sincerely'  
Linda Sexton*

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**Linda Sexton** - October 11, 2019 at 12:28 PM

SA

“ *Penny and David, We are sorry to hear of the passing of your mother. May God comfort you in the loss. Say "Hi" to Duke for us.*  
*Steve & Sharon Allen*

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**Sharon Allen** - October 11, 2019 at 11:55 AM

JL

“ *Jon And Susan Lacey lit a candle in memory of Verna Lydia Blair*



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**Jon and Susan Lacey** - October 11, 2019 at 10:06 AM

DB

“ Dawn Hardy Burch lit a candle in memory of Verna Lydia Blair

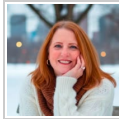


Dawn Hardy Burch - October 11, 2019 at 09:30 AM

LW

“ Thoughts and prayers for you all, Duke and Verna were a big part of my childhood. When I think of Bath they are a very important part. My deepest sympathy. Lorie Blodgett Whitmer

Lorie Whitmer - October 10, 2019 at 10:04 PM



Thank you, Lorie.

Paula Richardson - October 11, 2019 at 10:31 AM

JS

“ I believe the last time I saw Duke and Verna was at a birthday party for Mrs. Vangeisen. Mom and I sat down and talked for a long time. Laughter of course was involved. Very nice woman... She will be missed love and prayers to the family!!

Judy Schafer - October 10, 2019 at 08:12 PM

JM

“ Janice Connolly Mibb lit a candle in memory of Verna Lydia Blair



Janice Connolly Mibb - October 10, 2019 at 07:16 PM



“ So sorry for the loss of Aunt Verna.. She was such a wonderful lady.. Sending Prayers Uncle Duke and family for comfort 🙏

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**Janet Ishmael Jones** - October 10, 2019 at 07:03 PM

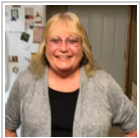


“ Bev Hood lit a candle in memory of Verna Lydia Blair



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**Bev Hood** - October 10, 2019 at 05:14 PM



“ I REMEMBER WHEN SHAWN PATRICK GOT MARRIED & Verna CAME UP TO ME & SAID HOW ARE YOU DOING Bev I HAVEN'T SEEN YOU FOREVER

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**Bev Hood** - October 10, 2019 at 05:11 PM