



Bessie "Bess" Winkler

December 11, 1946 - September 13, 2024

Bessie "Bess" Winkler, 77 passed away on September 13, 2024. She was born December 11, 1946 to the late Bedford and Arngie Ferrell. Bess graduated from Anderson High School in 1966, and enjoyed a lengthy career as a dental assistant at various dental offices in Anderson. She loved nature and was a Corvette enthusiast. In fact, Bess was the first woman to become President of the Anderson Corvette Association. Her family describes her as outgoing and a social butterfly, she loved everything family and was a die hard Democrat.

She is survived by her husband of 59 years, Roy Winkler; daughter Kimette "Kim" Winkler; granddaughter, Tia (Vito) Amalfitano; great-granddaughter, Calliope Amalfitano; and expecting great-grandson.

She is preceded in death by both of her parents; brother, Willie Ferrell; and sister, Cewilla Bilbrey.

Visitation will be held Thursday, September 19, 2024, from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm, with funeral services starting at 1:00 pm. Loose Funeral Home & Crematory, 200 W. 53 St. Anderson, IN. Please visit www.loosecares.com to place a memory of Bess.

Previous Events

Visitation

SEP **19**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory
200 W 53rd St
Anderson, IN 46013
(765) 649-5255
info@loosecares.com

Funeral Service

SEP **19**. 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Loose Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Bessie "Bess" Winkler



Loose Funeral Home - September 18, 2024 at 04:38 PM



“ Victoria C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Bessie "Bess" Winkler.

Victoria C. - September 19, 2024 at 08:13 AM



“ Jon Fields purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Bessie "Bess" Winkler.



Jon Fields - September 19, 2024 at 07:23 AM



“ Celestial Love was purchased for the family of Bessie "Bess" Winkler.



September 18, 2024 at 05:56 PM

JS

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. Bess was always welcoming when we came to your home. I remember that Bess certainly loved her birds. My daughter raised finches and gave her two. I hope the sound of their twittering brought her joy. May your warm memories bring you peace and comfort.

Judith Smith - September 18, 2024 at 12:50 PM

PH

“ Roy & Kim,
I am so sorry to learn of the passing of Bess. Please accept my sincere condolences and hope that the wealth of wonderful memories you have together will help you through this difficult time and beyond.
Phil Hexamer

Phil Hexamer - September 18, 2024 at 09:00 AM

AN

“ Roy and Kim - We are sorry for your loss. Bessie was a very special person who we remember fondly. Chuck and Adrienne Newman and David and Veronica Carr

Adrienne Newman - September 17, 2024 at 08:22 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Bessie "Bess" Winkler.



September 17, 2024 at 10:07 AM

JS

“ *Judy and Roger Short planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Bessie "Bess" Winkler.*

Judy and Roger Short - September 17, 2024 at 10:07 AM