



## Joyce K. Birch

March 25, 1943 - October 1, 2012

Anderson -Joyce K Birch, 69, of Anderson, passed away on October 1, 2012 at her residence following an extended illness. She was born on March 25, 1943 in Anderson, Indiana where she resided all of her life. She retired from Delco Remy Division of General Motors after thirty years of service. She was active in Greyhound Pets of America and enjoyed reading, crocheting, sewing, doing crafts and most importantly spending time with her grandkids. Joyce is survived by her longtime companion, Dennis Achenbach, son, Eric Hoppes, daughter, Lisa Greg Branham Edwards, four granddaughters whom she adored, Alexis Henderson, Jessica Gray, Logan Doodlebug Edwards and Kenzie Edwards. Great-grandchild, Amari Wilkerson, Siblings: Mark Scales, Jim Coffman, Steve Jeannette Coffman, Sara Jerry Rich and Betsy Mabrey and several nieces and nephews. Dear friends, Melva, Karen and Naomi also survive. She was preceded in death by her parents: Mary Finney and Fred Scales Jr. and mother and father-in-law: Helen and Hercules Hoppes. Visitation will be held Thursday, October 04, 2012 4:00 pm - 6:00 pm at Robert D. Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, 200 West 53rd St. Anderson, Indiana. Memorial Service will be Thursday, October 4, 2012, 6:00 pm at the funeral home. Memorial contributions may be made to Greyhound Pets of America, PO Box 42304, Indianapolis, IN 46242. [www.loosecares.com](http://www.loosecares.com).

# Tribute Wall

JS

“ I am going to miss Joyce dearly. I love that I had the chance to know her. I will have a lot of good memories of her. She was always there . Always had a smile. I would do any thing for her and wish I could of done more.Will be missed by all.

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**Jim Stone** - October 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ deepest condolences to you and the family. Just remember, that soon death will be no more nor crying nor pain. This too shall pass.

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**Linda Williams** - October 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JV

“ I am sorry for your loss Lia,may god be with you and your family in this time of loss. I will be keeping you and your family in prayer.  
Jackie

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**Jackie Vaughn** - October 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ My thoughts and prayers to you Lisa, Eric, Dennis and all the Grandchildren, and the extended Family! I have prayed for so long for this magnificent woman who had so much love for all of you Kids and Grandskids that God take care of her for as long as he chose on this earth for her to be here! Now he's taken her "Home", where there will be no more pain and suffering! She is indeed well now and so blessed in glorious Heaven!!! You all will miss her so much, but one day you will rejoice when she meets you at the pearly gates with her arms wide open!!! I love you, Lisa, and I will continue to pray for all of you that you get through these hard times as easily as possible!! My condolences again to you Lisa, Eric, Dennis and the Grandchildren, that the Lord is with you all through these tough times! I love you, Lee!!!! Pam

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**Pamela K. Black** - October 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PC

“ Alexis, Greg and I are sorry to learn about your Grandmother. We did not have the pleasure of meeting her, but know you spoke of her with much love often. Please know we are thinking of you and your family during this difficult time. Pam and Greg

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**Pamela Cohen** - October 02, 2012 at 12:00 AM