



## Virginia S Barnes

June 21, 1929 - September 8, 2017

Virginia S. Barnes, 88, of Anderson, born June 21, 1929 in Madison, Indiana went to be with her Lord on September 8, 2017.

She was a Teacher for Anderson Community Schools, retiring in 1990 from Valley Grove School and was a founding director of Sowers of Seeds Counseling, INC.

She was a member of First Church of the Nazarene where she was a part of the Prayer Ministry. She volunteered for St. John's Hospice Program, CASA, AA with 31 years of sobriety and did drug and alcohol counseling at the Madison County Jail.

Ginny is survived by her children, Jan (Gayland) Swaim, John (LeeAnn) Barnes; grandchildren, Shonne Swearingen, Shanna Swearingen, Darci (Jim) Miller, Derryk Swearingen, Justin Barnes, Casey Barnes, great-grandchildren, Megan Swearingen, Morgan Cornett, Kassie Miller, James Miller II, Janna Swearingen, Kevin McCord II, Tyler Tipton, Sherry Swearingen and Jacob Brooks; 4 great-great-grandchildren; several nieces, nephews, special friends and cats.

She was preceded in death by her mother, Myrtle Williams Taylor; father, Clifton Stewart; husband of 27 years, Gene C. Barnes; son, James Barnes; sister, Wanda (Harry) DeVol.

Visitation will be held Thursday, September 14, 2017, 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm at Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, 200 West 53rd St. Anderson, IN followed by the service at 5:00pm officiating by Rev. Gary Cable.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the funeral home.

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

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## Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ Loose Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Virginia S Barnes



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**Loose Funeral Home** - September 13, 2017 at 03:23 PM



“ Darci Ellyn Swearingen was added to the Family Tree.

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**Kevin McCord** - December 20, 2017 at 04:20 PM



“ Derryk Swearingen was added to the Family Tree.

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**Kevin McCord** - December 20, 2017 at 12:36 PM



“ Gene Carroll Barnes was added to the Family Tree.

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**Kevin McCord** - December 20, 2017 at 11:58 AM



“ Kevin Mccord was added to the Family Tree.

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**Kevin McCord** - December 20, 2017 at 03:52 AM



“ Stephen Swearingen was added to the Family Tree.

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**Kevin McCord** - December 20, 2017 at 03:50 AM



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**Kevin McCord** - December 20, 2017 at 03:49 AM



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**Kevin McCord** - December 20, 2017 at 03:48 AM



Kevin  
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“ *Shonne Swearingen was added to the Family Tree.*

Kevin McCord - December 20, 2017 at 03:46 AM



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“ *Janna Marie Swearingen was added to the Family Tree.*

Kevin McCord - December 20, 2017 at 03:40 AM



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“ *Kevin George Mccord was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *Shanna Marie Swearingen was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *John Barnes was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *Jim Barnes was added to the Family Tree.*

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“ *Jan Marie Swaim was added to the Family Tree.*

Kevin McCord - December 20, 2017 at 03:34 AM

JN

“ *Jama Newton lit a candle in memory of Virginia S Barnes*



**Jama newton** - November 26, 2017 at 09:22 PM

Kevin McCord

“ *Virginia Was My Great Great Grandmother And Will Be Missed So Much!!!*



**Kevin McCord** - November 26, 2017 at 09:16 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Virginia S Barnes.*



September 14, 2017 at 09:34 AM

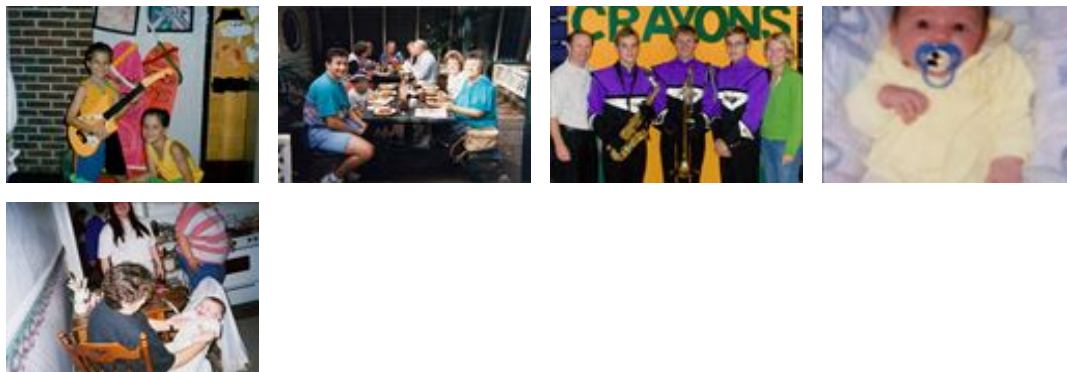
JF

“ *Please accept our deepest sympathy. May all your good memories out weigh your sadness during this difficult time. Isaiah 25:8*

**Jackson Family** - September 13, 2017 at 07:36 PM



“ *30 files added to the album LifeTributes*



**Loose Funeral Home** - September 13, 2017 at 02:15 PM

JC

“ I HAD MRS BARNES AT ROOSEVELT IN THE EARLY 70S..SHE WAS ALWAYS MY FAVORITE TEACHER. SHE WAS ALWAYS SO NICE AND SHE TAUGHT ME ALOT. IT WAS FUNNY DECADES LATER I RAN INTO HER AND SHE REMEMERED MY NAME AND WHEN I WAS IN HER CLASS. THAT WAS AMAZING TO ME. SHE WAS A VERY SPECIAL LADY THAT I NEVER FORGOT. REST IN PEACE MRS. BARNES. KNOW YOU MADE A DIFFERENCE IN MY LIFE....PEACE

JEFF CHILDS - September 12, 2017 at 06:47 PM

DG

“ Mrs. Barnes was such a great teacher. Even though she taught me over 50 years ago I still remember her to this day. My thoughts and prayers are with her family.

David Gamble - September 12, 2017 at 10:12 AM

LS

“ Linda Shannon lit a candle in memory of Virginia S Barnes



Linda Shannon - September 11, 2017 at 08:05 PM

LS

Mrs Barnes was my 8th grade English teacher at South Side and I really loved her. She was always so sweet and always there if you needed to talk.

Linda Shannon - September 11, 2017 at 08:06 PM



“ Joyce Weber lit a candle in memory of Virginia S Barnes



Joyce Weber - September 11, 2017 at 04:43 PM