



## Wilma Jean Hancher

February 25, 1938 - June 11, 2025

Wilma Jean Hancher, 87, of Middletown, passed away peacefully on Wednesday, June 11, 2025, surrounded by family and friends.

She was born on February 25, 1938, at home near Cicero, Indiana to Pearl Gunn and Orval Jacobs.

She married the love of her life, Kenneth Hancher, on July 17, 1954 in Elwood, Indiana. They moved to the country and raised six children, and enjoyed 68 loving years together before Kenneth passed away in 2022.

Jean was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and great-great-grandmother, sister-in-law, aunt and niece who loved her family unconditionally.

She loved to garden, work in her flowers, go bowling, crochet, can the vegetables she grew and enjoyed being with her family especially at the holidays.

She is survived by three daughters, Stephanie (Steven) Stanley, Barb Chambliss and Vickie (James) Bennett; two sons, Tim (Kathy) Hancher and Kurt (Tammy) Hancher; nine grandchildren; 21 great-grandchildren; five great-great-grandchildren; five sisters; one sister-in-law and several nieces and

nephews.

She was preceded in death by husband, Kenneth; her son, Kent Hancher; two grandsons; son-in-law; her parents and a brother.

She always had a loving heart towards people and animals, and helped the homeless.

She will be greatly missed by all who knew and loved her.

Visitation will be held Sunday, June 15, 2025, from 4:00 pm - 7:00 pm, and Monday, June 16, 2025, 12:00 pm - 1:00 pm at Loose Funeral Homes & Crematory, Anderson, Indiana.

Services will follow visitation Monday at 1:00 pm at the funeral home with Rev. Don Billey officiating.

Burial will take place in Carey Cemetery, .

Memorial contributions may be made to the Second Harvest Food Bank of East Central Indiana.

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# Cemetery Details

## Carey Cemetery

22221 State Road 37 North  
Noblesville, IN 46060

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**JUN 15.** 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

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

## Visitation

**JUN 16.** 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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## Funeral Service

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JUN 16. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

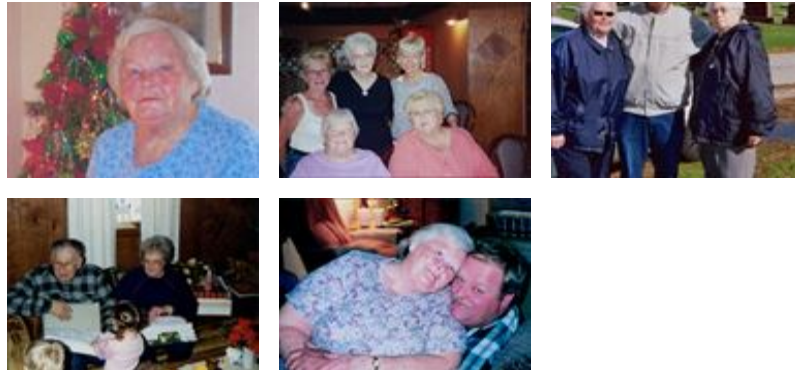
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“ I will always remember my mother as the kindest most loving mother and person. She loved her family and only wanted for us to be happy and be together. That was the one thing that made her the happiest. She left us with broken hearts but we know she is happy now and with daddy and the rest of those who passed before her. I love you mom. Please look over us with daddy and the others. Come and talk to me in my dreams. I hope you are no longer in any pain and free to do all the things you loved to do. I will love you forever. Your daughter Stephanie.

Stephanie Stanley - June 15, 2025 at 11:03 PM



“ 87 files added to the album LifeTributes



Loose Funeral Home - June 15, 2025 at 10:25 AM

LB

“ Love aunt Sharon and Rhonda for Barb purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Wilma Jean Hancher.



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**Love aunt Sharon and Rhonda for Barb** - June 14, 2025 at 10:39 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Wilma Jean Hancher.



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June 14, 2025 at 09:50 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Wilma Jean Hancher.



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June 13, 2025 at 03:26 PM

CC

“ Children & grands of Mary Lucille Chorey purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Wilma Jean Hancher.



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**Children & grands of Mary Lucille Chorey** - June 13, 2025 at 12:09 PM

ML

“ Mary L. purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Wilma Jean Hancher.



Mary L. - June 13, 2025 at 11:59 AM

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“ Nick and Shannon Simpher purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Wilma Jean Hancher.



Nick and Shannon Simpher - June 13, 2025 at 10:19 AM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Wilma Jean Hancher.



June 13, 2025 at 09:36 AM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Wilma Jean Hancher.



June 12, 2025 at 04:36 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Wilma Jean Hancher.*



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June 12, 2025 at 11:20 AM