



Irene Ida Brookes

October 2, 1938 - October 26, 2022

Irene Ida Brookes, age 84, of Crown Point, IN formerly of Ottumwa, IA, passed away on October 26, 2022. She won many ribbons at the county fair for her paintings and liked to crochet everything from afghans to Christmas trees. Irene is survived by her husband of 68 years, Leslie Brookes; sister, Susan Larson; 2 step-brothers; son, Dr. Jeff (Penny) Brookes of Columbia City, IN; daughters: Jill (Tim) Anderson of Pickford, MI, Shirley (Mike) Tessman of Lafayette, IN and Shawn (Steve) Strode of Cedar Lake, IN; 8 grandchildren; 18 great grandchildren; and 2 adopted grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her father, Leo Robinson; mother, Luella Lewis; sister, Jean Rupe; brothers: Gary Hoxsey and Ed Hoxsey; and 2 great granddaughters. A memorial visitation will be held on Sunday, October 30, 2022, from 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home & Crematory, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN. www.burnsfuneral.com

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

OCT **30**. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ My favorite memory of Aunt Irene was when Stacy was born she made me a yellow flower dress and Lori a purple dress. They were so special and beautiful, she could really sew. Another special memory was when she went with me to a Pioneer Girls "open house" while my mom went to Lori's. She brought me good luck because I got first place and I won a free week of Baptist Bible Camp. Sadly for the church, I came home two days later.

Katy Metcalf - October 30, 2022 at 07:54 AM



“ Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Irene Ida Brookes.



October 29, 2022 at 10:30 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Irene Ida Brookes.



October 29, 2022 at 09:06 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Irene Ida Brookes.



October 28, 2022 at 07:23 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue* was purchased for the family of Irene Ida Brookes.



October 27, 2022 at 10:06 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Irene Ida Brookes.



October 27, 2022 at 09:57 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Irene Ida Brookes.



October 27, 2022 at 07:14 PM