



## Joyce L. Locke

May 28, 1933 - September 30, 2024

Joyce L. (nee Potts) Locke, age 91, of Hobart, Indiana, formerly of Gary, Indiana, passed away September 30, 2024.

She was a graduate of Emerson High School and retired from the School City of Hobart. Joyce was a big part in creating the Hobart Girls Softball League. In addition to coaching, she also played in the Hobart Women's League.

Joyce was preceded in death by her mother and father; Blanche and Emler Potts, loving husband; Robert Locke, sister; Patricia Tompkins; granddaughter; Christin Locke, great-grandson; and Austin Locke.

She is survived by her five children; Bob (Cindy) Locke, Dan (Mary) Locke, Cathy (Jim) Busse, Sue (Bob) Brooks, Terrie (Bob) Anderson, sister; Joan Jewell, 13 grandchildren and 19 great-grandchildren.

Services will be held at Burns Funeral Home & Crematory 701 East 7th Street Hobart, Indiana 46342.

Friends may visit with Joyce's family, Friday, October 4, 2024, from 4:00 PM – 7:00 PM and join them for the funeral service Saturday, October 5, 2024, at 10:00 AM

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# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 4. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Burns Funeral Home - Hobart  
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Hobart, IN 46342  
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## Funeral Service

OCT 5. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ Jake D planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joyce L. Locke.

Jake D - October 03, 2024 at 06:46 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Joyce L. Locke.



October 03, 2024 at 06:46 PM



“ Loving Lilies and Roses Bouquet was purchased for the family of Joyce L. Locke.



October 03, 2024 at 11:34 AM



“ Chris and Heidi Locke Family purchased the Basket of Memories for the family of Joyce L. Locke.



Chris and Heidi Locke Family - October 03, 2024 at 10:54 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Joyce L. Locke.



October 03, 2024 at 10:45 AM



“ Jeff and Gina Krall planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joyce L. Locke.

Jeff and Gina Krall - October 03, 2024 at 10:45 AM



“ Love, Donnie, Jennifer, Alyssa & Cameron purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Joyce L. Locke.



Love, Donnie, Jennifer, Alyssa & Cameron - October 02, 2024 at 06:08 PM



“ Robb Locke purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Joyce L. Locke.



Robb Locke - October 02, 2024 at 05:37 PM

PE

“ Pamela, Chester, Cody, Joshua Ellich planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joyce L. Locke.

Pamela, Chester, Cody, Joshua Ellich - October 02, 2024 at 04:23 PM

PE

“ Pamela, Chester, Cody, Joshua Ellich purchased the Beautiful Dreams for the family of Joyce L. Locke.



Pamela, Chester, Cody, Joshua Ellich - October 02, 2024 at 04:23 PM

KF

“ Knapp Family purchased the Serene Retreat for the family of Joyce L. Locke.



Knapp Family - October 02, 2024 at 03:05 PM

BS

“ I am so sorry to hear of the passing of your mother, Bob. I didn't have the privilege of getting to know her well and I wish I did. I always admired her smile. My condolences to all of the Locke family.

betty j shahbaz - October 02, 2024 at 02:27 PM

CK

*John and I are so very sad and sorry for the loss of your mom. She was always such a nice and gracious lady. She had a beautiful heart.  
Carla and John Ksenak*

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**Carla Ksenak** - October 05, 2024 at 09:15 PM

BK

*“Joyce was so much fun as an opposing coach in Hobart Girls softball. just loved being around her. We also played together on the women's softball team. Love to her girls and prayers for your loss, we will see her again*

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**Bettye Krupchak** - October 02, 2024 at 01:32 PM