



## Norma Jean Voorhies

July 26, 1943 - October 12, 2022

Norma Jean Voorhies (nee Smith) age 79, of Demotte, formally of Crown Point and Calumet Township, IN passed away at her home with family by her side on October 12, 2022.

Norma was born on July 26, 1943 to Betty and Hershel Smith Sr. She graduated from Calumet High School in 1961 and married the love of her life, Dale Voorhies, that same year. Norma was preceded in death by her parents; sister-Willa Mowry, and brother-Kevin Smith. Norma is survived by her loving husband of 61 years, Dale Voorhies, her brothers Hershel Smith and Jim (Janet) Smith and her children: Les (Deb) Voorhies, Cheryl (John) Carniello, Randall (Bridget) Voorhies and Candace Weyent; grandchildren: Anne Drivdahl, Kyle Koedyker, Stephen (Katie) Carniello, Matthew Voorhies, Alison Koedyker, Lauren (Khattab) Carniello, David Koedyker and Randi Voorhies; great-grandchildren: Aiden, Kyla, Greyson, Caidan, Lorelai, Viviane, Malcom and Morgan.

Norma's pride and joy was her family. She relished family dinners and celebrations. Norma's other passion in life was traveling across the country with her husband on their Gold Wing, many times joined by other friends in their motorcycle club. Norma had the opportunity to see nearly every state from the back of their motorcycle, including two memorable trips to Alaska. Norma will be greatly missed and forever in our hearts. Dale and his children would like to thank Dale's sisters Mary and Margaret, Norma's brother Hershel, as well as JoAnne and MaryAnn for all of their assistance.

A visitation will be held Monday, October 17, 2022 from 3 p.m. until the time of service at 6 p.m. (Mark Wilkins officiating) at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point. [www.burnsfuneral.com](http://www.burnsfuneral.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 17. 3:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

Burns Funeral Home & Crematory - Crown Point  
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Crown Point, IN 46307  
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## funeral

OCT 17. 6:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

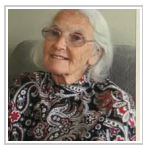


“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Norma Jean Voorhies.* ”



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October 17, 2022 at 12:19 PM



“ *Becky Voorhies lit a candle in memory of Norma Jean Voorhies* ”



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**Becky Voorhies** - October 17, 2022 at 04:23 AM



“ *Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of Norma Jean Voorhies.* ”



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October 16, 2022 at 11:58 PM



“ *Written in the Stars was purchased for the family of Norma Jean Voorhies.* ”



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October 16, 2022 at 02:37 PM

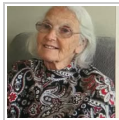


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**Becky Voorhies** - October 14, 2022 at 03:52 PM



*This was from her Facebook page.*

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**Becky Voorhies** - October 14, 2022 at 04:03 PM



*I donated to "Conquer Cancer" in honor of Norma today.*

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**Becky Voorhies** - October 17, 2022 at 12:10 PM