



Edith Dailey

September 30, 1925 - November 4, 2022

Edith Dailey, 97, of New Castle, Indiana, passed away on November 4th, 2022, following a brief illness.

Born to the late George and Elsie (McKinley) Watson on September 30th, 1925, Edith lived most of her life in Muncie, Indiana. She graduated from Muncie Central in 1943 and worked at Glascock Bros. following graduation. In 1945 Edith married the love of her life, Ralph Dailey, after he returned home from serving in WW2. The couple shared 63 years of marriage and lived a love story that would be admired by generations to come.

Edith was a homemaker and lived a life marked by incredible kindness. She cared for both her parents and in-laws in their later years. When she became a grandmother, her house was the preferred place for family to gather for celebrations. Family and friends were always welcomed in her home, especially for the daily coffee break at 2pm. Edith's hobbies included bowling leagues, walking the Muncie Mall, attending and serving at Avondale United Methodist Church, completing crossword puzzles and word searches, and spending time with her family. She diligently sent greeting cards to family and friends for all occasions and always asked that anyone who visited her call when they had safely arrived at home. After selling her home in Muncie to move closer to family, Edith enjoyed playing bingo with fellow residents at Raintree Square.

Although delicate in frame, Edith's personality was anything but fragile. She was always ready to offer opinions and wisdom with family. This was done occasionally with attitude and consistently with love. Her favorite song was "How Great Thou Art" and she also loved Big Bands. Edith's love for the Lord was evident to all who knew her. She was a firm believer in counting her blessings, and shared her wit, respect, and kindness with everyone even into her final days.

Edith is survived by three children: Rod (Linda) Dailey of Mt. Vernon, Illinois; Bonita Isenberg of Charlottesville, Indiana; and Julie (Rob) Booster of Noblesville, Indiana; 12 grandchildren: Andrew (Melanie) Dailey, Aaron (DAnna) Dailey, Hannah (Sam) Story, Joseph (Mandy) Dailey, William (JoAnn) Dailey, Benjamin (Katie) Dailey, Emily (Evan) Schnabel, Hattie Isenberg, Molly (Jacob) Leighty, Ava Booster, Eli Booster, and Arwynn Booster; 16 great-grandchildren, and 7 great-great grandchildren; 2 nephews, cousins, and her favorite feline companions, Colt and Remington, who she affectionately referred to as "the boys".

In addition to her parents, Edith was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Ralph; brother, Chester "Chet"; daughter, Bethann; granddaughter, Anna Isenberg; and son-in-law, Donald Isenberg.

"In my integrity You uphold me and set me in Your presence forever." Psalm 41:12

Services will be held at Sproles Family Funeral Home in New Castle, Indiana. Family and friends may call from 11:00-1:00 on Wednesday, November 9, 2022. Funeral services will be at 1:00 on the same day. Burial will follow at Elm Ridge Memorial Park in Muncie.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Muncie Mission, Samaritan's Purse, or the donor's choice.

You may offer the family a personal condolence at www.sprolesfamilycares.com. The Sproles family and staff are honored to serve the family of Edith Dailey.

Cemetery Details

Elm Ridge Memorial Park

4600 W. Kilgore Ave
Muncie, IN 47304

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 9. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

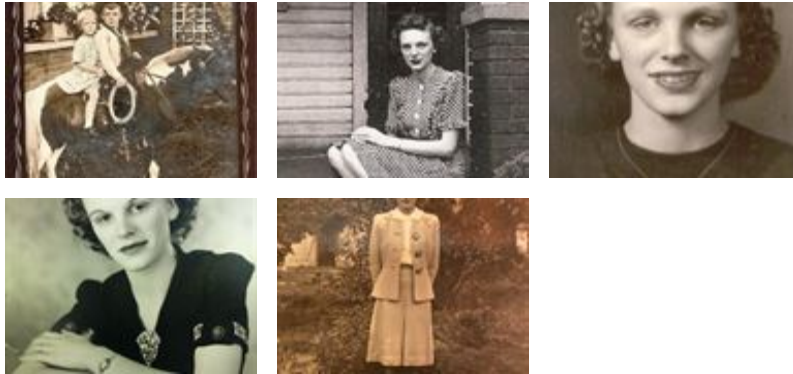
DP

“ *I was just thinking of Edith and googled to find she had passed, I want to extend my condolences to the family*
Dana Peters

Dana J Peters - December 09, 2022 at 03:59 PM



“ *168 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Sproles Family Funeral Home - November 09, 2022 at 08:09 AM

EE

“ *I'm so glad that I spoke to Edith last week. I have fond memories of Edith and Ralph playing golf with Bob and I. We all enjoyed each other's company.*
My thoughts and prayers are with you.
Jean Elder

Emma J Elder - November 08, 2022 at 09:43 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Edith Dailey.*



November 08, 2022 at 12:27 PM



“ *Bonnie, I always liked your mom and dad. your family was always so nice. Im so sorry for your loss. God be with you all. Penny Chandler Keller.*

Penny Chandler Keller - November 08, 2022 at 10:15 AM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Edith Dailey.*



November 08, 2022 at 07:41 AM



“ *Julie, Rod & Bonnie. I'm so sorry for the loss of your Mom. I will miss hearing her voice and talking with her. I'll miss our talks, and her advise. She had a wonderful ear to listen and was always so willing to talk about the family with me. She was a truly special lady. Wish I could be there to give you all hugs. Sending you my love. Tammy Kronenberg*

Tammy Kronenberg - November 07, 2022 at 05:16 PM

CW

“ Julie, Bonnie and Rob,
So sorry we won't be able to attend your mom's funeral. Since Dick has Parkinson's we don't go out a lot. Your mom and I visited on the phone several times. One of our visits we talked about our Possum Trip, such good memories. Praying for you and your family. Love Carolyn Oh yes she loved to show me her latest pictures of her family❤️

Carolyn Williams - November 06, 2022 at 09:41 PM

RM

“ We have all lost a very special person. Sincerest Sympathy to all who knew and loved her. She and Ralph left a big hole that will never be filled. She always had a kind word, and a good piece of advice. I will miss our weekly chats. Love to all of you. Hugs and prayers .

Rose McKinley - November 06, 2022 at 06:50 PM



“ Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Edith Dailey.



November 06, 2022 at 03:48 PM