



## Lois "Beannie" Patterson

February 22, 1946 - March 28, 2023

Lois "Beannie" Patterson, 77, of Shirley, went home to be with the Lord on the evening of Tuesday, March 28, 2023, at Hancock Regional Hospital in Greenfield following a brief illness.

She was born on February 22, 1946, in Martinsville, Indiana, a daughter of the late Arnold and Affie (Roy) Moran.

Beannie was a 1964 graduate of Knightstown High School. She met the love of her life, Jim Patterson, at the "Voice of the Nazarene Camp" in southwestern Pennsylvania and they married on June 13, 1966. Beannie was an excellent seamstress and greatly enjoyed making candy and giving it away to friends and neighbors. She and Jim also enjoyed bargain hunting and visiting flea markets and auctions.

Beannie served as a "dorm mom" at the David Lee Perry Christian School in Shirley and had also assisted at the Covenant Christian Academy in Indianapolis. She and Jim were long-time members of Southeastern Holiness Church in Indianapolis. Recently, they had been attending Shirley Gospel Mission which was the church Beannie attended as a child and where she and Jim were married.

Those left to cherish Beannie's memory include her loving husband of 56

years, Jim Patterson; a sister, Vivian Lackey of Knightstown; a brother, Jim (Shannon) Moran of Muncie, and nephews and nieces, Tom Lackey, Steve Lackey, Melissa Hammitt, Timothy Moran, Amy Suding, and April Thomas.

In addition to her parents, Beannie was preceded in death by a brother, George Moran, a sister, Charity Moran, and a niece, Donna Dollens.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 pm Saturday, April 8, 2023 at Shirley Gospel Mission with Pastor Charles Riggs and Pastor Kenny Stetler officiating. Burial will follow at McCray Cemetery in Wilkinson.

Friends may call from 11:00 am until the time of service Saturday at the church.

In lieu of flowers, donations would be greatly appreciated to assist Jim with funeral expenses. You may donate online by Clicking Here (<https://www.sprolesfamilycares.com/online-payments-and-donations/>).

Arrangements have been entrusted to the care of Sproles Family Funeral Home.

The Sproles family and staff are honored to serve the family of Lois "Beannie" Patterson.

# Cemetery Details

## McCray Cemetery

7325 Indiana 109  
Wilkinson, IN 46186

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 8. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (ET)

Shirley Gospel Mission  
212 S. 1st St.  
Shirley, IN 47384

## Service

APR 8. 1:00 PM (ET)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Beannie's sewing and cooking talent was amazing. But more than that, her ability to connect with people and show concern was outstanding. This world needs more people like that. I intended to attend funeral but due to family emergency could not.* ”

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**Rebecca J Burress** - April 07, 2023 at 11:42 PM

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“ *Nights of her and my mom sewing to make sure us girls had nice dresses for church. How much she and my mom liked to scare me with her masks. Her teaching me in school, laughing at my dumb teen drama, and being sweet. She was a kind person who has left an impression in my life.* ”

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**Mea Pine** - March 29, 2023 at 08:04 PM

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*Jon and I only had the opportunity to know her for about 10 years. She was the sweetest lady and made the BEST candy. She was so thoughtful and never left anyone out. We will miss her sweet smile. Jon & Shirley Parmelee*

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**Shirley Parmelee** - March 30, 2023 at 06:17 PM