



Mona Jean Brown

June 24, 1927 - June 28, 2019

Mona Jean Brown, 92, of New Castle, passed away on June 28, 2019 at IU Health Ball Memorial Hospital in Muncie.

She was born June 24, 1927 in the Mt. Pleasant area of Delaware County, Indiana, a daughter of the late Jerry and Iva (Harris) Brown.

The youngest of 12, Mona Jean attended Center School in Delaware County. She married the love of her life, Charles S. Brown Jr. on July 5, 1946. Mona worked at Ball Brothers, Stokely-Van Camp, Ft. Benjamin Harrison Finance Center and owned Mona's Little Shoppe in New Castle from 1970 till 1981. She loved crafts, the Indiana Pacers, playing card games and spending time with her grandchildren, great-grandchildren and her family. She enjoyed playing golf, watching horse racing, and seeing her grandchildren play sports. Mona dearly loved her "Thursday Nite Dinners" with Shelley, Lee, Case and Cobe. Her family affectionately call her "Grannie".

Mona greatly enjoyed spending time with her husband in Florida and shelling on the beach. She was a long-time member of the First United Methodist Church and had also been a member of Sigma Phi Gamma.

Those left to cherish Mona Jean's memory include a daughter, Inga (husband: Randy) Neal of New Castle; a son, Jeffrey (wife: Kelli) Brown of Shelbyville;

four grandchildren, Shelley Jo (husband: Lee) York of New Castle, Scottie (wife: Chrisann) Neal of New Castle, Jeffrey Charles Brown of Vevay, and Spencer Davis Brown of Shelbyville; six great-grandchildren, Jett, Duke, Jorie and Briggs Neal, and Case and Cobe York as well as several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Charles S. Brown Jr., on June 25, 2002 and 11 brothers and sisters.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 pm, Friday, July 5, 2019 at Sproles Family Funeral Home with Pastor Carol Wiley officiating. Burial will follow in Old Mt. Pleasant Cemetery on Buck Creek Pike just inside Delaware County.

Friends may call from noon until the time of service Friday at the funeral home.

Memorial contributions may be offered to The Indiana United Methodist Children's Home, 515 W. Camp St. Lebanon, IN, 46052. You may send the family a personal condolence at www.sprolesfamilycares.com.

The Sproles family and staff are honored to serve the family of Mona Jean Brown.

Cemetery Details

Old Mt. Pleasant Cemetery

11740 S County Rd 396 E.
Muncie, IN 47302

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 5. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (ET)

Sproles Family Funeral Home
2400 S Memorial Dr
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Tribute Wall

YC

“ *Your Family at Boar's Head, New Castle purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Mona Jean Brown.*



Your Family at Boar's Head, New Castle - July 01, 2019 at 04:56 PM

DR

“ *My sympathy to Mrs. Brown's family. I got acquainted with Mona when I worked downtown at Beall's clothing store and also frequented her little shop. She was a sweet lady. Cherish your sweet memories.*

Donna Ragan - July 01, 2019 at 03:45 PM

SH

“ *Susan Hughes purchased the Simply Elegant Sp athiphyllum for the family of Mona Jean Brown.*



Susan Hughes - July 01, 2019 at 10:23 AM

MK

“ *Mr./Mrs.Lou&Vicky S (Armstrong) Koning lit a candle in memory of Mona Jean Brown*



Mr./Mrs.Lou&Vicky S (Armstrong) Koning - July 01, 2019 at 07:45 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mona Jean Brown.*



July 01, 2019 at 07:25 AM



“ *Mona was a wonderful lady! She used to come to the beauty shop where I worked 50 years ago!! She was a lot of fun!! I know you will all miss her but she has now joined the love of her life!!*



Sharon Dabney - July 01, 2019 at 01:46 AM



Mona and Charlie were a big part of my life. Babysitting Inga, the bridge and golf they played with Mom and Dad, fireworks. I always visited when I was in IN (the last a month ago and a surprise) and there were calls. A life well lived and now home again with Charles. I'll miss you calling me Janie and our talks.

Jane Baker - July 02, 2019 at 12:57 PM



“ *Kim Cox lit a candle in memory of Mona Jean Brown*



Kim Cox - June 30, 2019 at 09:22 PM

LH

“ *Louis & Monica Hall lit a candle in memory of
Mona Jean Brown*



Louis & Monica Hall - June 30, 2019 at 09:20 PM

KW

“ *Katie Wick lit a candle in memory of Mona
Jean Brown*



Katie Wick - June 30, 2019 at 08:48 PM

DW

“ *Thinking of you all and joining in your sorrow at the loss of Mona. I
used to love going to her craft shop during the years I was a Girl
Scout leader and a member of a home ec club - always could get
good ideas there. May your memories comfort you. -Diane Wendell*

Diane Wendell - June 30, 2019 at 08:27 PM

JB

“ *Judy Nichols Barber lit a candle in memory of
Mona Jean Brown*



Judy Nichols Barber - June 30, 2019 at 08:06 PM

SS

“ *Sydney Snedegar lit a candle in memory of
Mona Jean Brown*



sydney snedegar - June 29, 2019 at 06:02 PM