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Leona F. Reynolds, age 71, of Lorain, passed away on Tuesday, December 18, 2012 at Mercy Regional Medical Center.

Born on April 28, 1941 in West Virginia to the late William and Lassie (nee Moore) Watson, Leona lived most of her adult life in Lorain.

For many years she worked at Lorain Printing and then later worked as a processor at Clovervale Foods for a number of years.

She was a long time member of Pleasant View Old Regular Baptist Church in Litchfield, Ohio.

Leona enjoyed reading and spending time on the lake. She also took pleasure in traveling, camping and spending time with her family.

She is survived by her son, John (fiancée Cindy Veres) Williams, of Lorain; 5 grandchildren, Mark Williams, Jenelle Williams, Kassondra Secrist, Matt Williams and Kayla Howard; 8 great-grandchildren; her brothers, William Watson, Jr., of OH and James Watson, of PA; her sister, Ruth Carter, OH; and her step-sons, Frederick Reynolds and Charles Michael Reynolds, and step-daughter, Theresa Taylor, and their families.

Leona was preceded in death by her husband, Charles Reynolds; her son, James Randall Williams; her daughter, Geri Lynn Williams; her brothers, Elmer Ray Watson and Charles Watson; and her sisters, Edna Louise Varney and Vada Gill.

The family will receive friends on Thursday, December 20th from 4-7 p.m. in the Dovin and Reber Jones Funeral & Cremation Center, 1110 Cooper Foster Park Rd., Amherst. Funeral services will be held on Friday at 11:00 a.m. in the funeral center. Pastor Larry Newsome of Pleasant View Old Regular Baptist Church in Litchfield, and Pastor Matt Jones, of Broadway Assembly, in Lorain will both officiate. Burial will follow in Resthaven Memory Gardens.

Family and friends may leave online condolences at www.dovinreberjones.com.

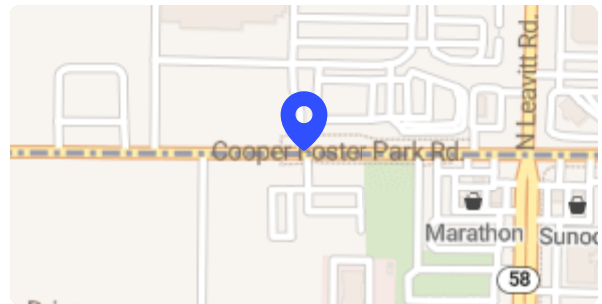


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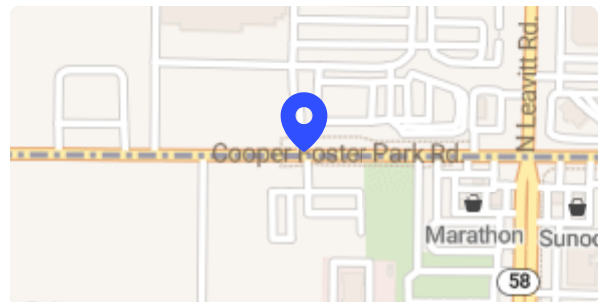
Visitation

- Thursday**, December 20, 2012
- 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM ET
- Dovin and Reber Jones Funeral & Cremation Center**
1110 Cooper Foster Park Road, Amherst OH 44001



Funeral Service

- Friday**, December 21, 2012
- 11:00 AM ET
- Dovin and Reber Jones Funeral & Cremation Center**
1110 Cooper Foster Park Road, Amherst OH 44001





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TV

Tiffany Cain - Stna At Kingston Of Vermilion posted:

I am truly sorry about your loss. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.

December 21 at 8:00 PM

NF

Nancy Fike posted:

I only met Leona one time, at Jeanies house for a birthday party for one of her grandchildren but her laughter and smile will always remain a cherished memory in my mind. She will be greatly missed. We little knew that morning That God would call your name In life we loved you dearly In death we do the same. It broke our hearts to lose you But you did not go alone For part of us went with you The day God called you home. You left us beautiful memories Your love is still our guide And though we cannot see you You are always by our side. Our family chain is broken And nothing seems the same But as God takes us one by one The chain will link again. Nancy Fike

December 19 at 8:00 PM

BN

Brandon Robinson - Lorain, Oh - Grandson N Law posted:

gramma in the past three years you have been their for me and everytime you found a way to make me smile just like you did last year when i lost my grandma you grabed me and gave me the biggest hug and said baby you still have one grandma left and you were right gramma thank you for everything you have done for us and i promise i will do everything in my power to take care of your babies thank you so much gramma i love you a lot a bit as you use to say to me i know we will all truly miss you you were the best grandma anyone could ask for and so much more now its your time to rest i love you gramma Brandon

December 18 at 8:00 PM

CN

Carolyn Marcum - Elyria, Oh - Neice posted:

Dear Aunt Lea, God must have needed a perfect flower for his garden because he called you home. I love and miss you! Carolyn

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BB

Bill Watson - Peebles, Oh - Brother posted:

Lea and I kept in touch by phone a lot. Always called her my little sister. Most of my brothers and sisters always reminded me that I was a mean sort of kid. But Lea always said that it was not true. She probably was fibbing but I really liked her for saying it anyway. She will be missed so much especially for her hot wings and all her good food at the family get togethers. Happy heavenly life little sister. Your (little bit mean) brother, Bill

December 18 at 8:00 PM

Jl

Jean - Lorain, Oh - Ex-Daughter In Law posted:

So sorry for the loss of a great woman. She will be dearly missed by all here.. Loved her with all my heart. Couldnt ask for a better mom, grandmother, friend or woman. Prayers are with all the family..

December 18 at 8:00 PM

JG

Jenelle - Lorain, Oh - Granddaughter posted:

I miss her so already. I've never met someone so selfless and sweet in my life. She loved all of our friends so the heartache caused by her passing will be tremendous. I can hear her telling me " stop crying and straighten my face up!" Like she used to when I called her upset asking advice. Too many fond memories and laughs to list. Rest in peace

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MN

Mary Jo Troub - Neice posted:

I love you Aunt Lea! You will truly be missed. I remember your sweet loving ways. Always trying to make everyone happy. Give daddy a hug for me!

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SF

Susan Howard - Coshocton, Oh - Friend posted:

the most kind hearted woman I ever met..im glad I got to know her. My prayers to family an friends of her. God has a special place for Leona..God rest her soul..Another beautiful angel to heaven..

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KG

Kassondra Secrist-Robinson - Lorain, Oh - Granddaughter posted:

Maw-maw was such a kind-loving and sweet woman. She always knew how to cheer me up because she always was able to tell when i was feeling sad. She always wanted to help others even if she wasn't doing so good her self. I will always remember the sweet and fun memories that we always had together. I love you maw-maw and since you were called home you can now rest in peace! Tell mom, uncle randy and grandpa we all love and miss them too! Love Kassondra, Brandon, Destiny, Madahlynn and bubby!

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CL

Cindy Veres - Lorain, Oh posted:

I first met Lea in 2003 when I met her son John. She immediatly accepted me into her life and made me part of her family from the first time I met her. She became my mother, my friend, and grandmother to my children. I'll hold dear the many memories I have of her...The Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners that we spent in the kitchen over a hot stove, the cookouts at Findlay on the summer holiday weekends, the "hi baby, how you feeling?" whenever i was sick, and so many more. I love you Lea. You'll always hold a special place in my heart. Give my mom and dad that special hug of yours, and tell them I love them.

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EC

Eddie And Carolyn Watson - Jacksonville, Fl - Cousin posted:

We are saddened by Leona's passing and pray that God will send comfort and encouragement to the family.

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SN

Sandy Watson Leedy - Peebles, Oh - Niece posted:

I will always remember Aunt Lea for the unconditional love she showed everyone.

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BF

Bro. Amos And Sis. Vonda Collins - Willard, Oh - Friends posted:

We were so sorry to hear of Sis. Leona's passing. She was a wonderful person. Our deepest sympathies and condolences go out to the entire family. God bless you all.

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PL

Phyllis - Lorain, Oh posted:

When Kassandra came into our family, Lea came with her. What a wonder addition she was. My kids just instantly loved her. Oh how she loved her grandbabies. and how they love her. She cared about everyone and she became a great friend. I will miss her. Thank you Lea for touching our life and sharing Destiny and Mattie with me. I will always let them and bubby know how much you loved them and how happy they made you. Phyllis

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SH

Sherell Williams - Hohelwald, Tn posted:

With Deepest Sympathy and much love to you all. Sherell Williams

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VF

Vicki - Elyria, Oh - Friend posted:

So sorry to hear of the passing of a wonderful woman. I always saw her with a smile. May you rest in peace -Vicki, Hayden, Ella, Hailey

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RF

Rhonda Boggs - Elyria, Oh - Friend posted:

She'll be missed but she's in a better place! Thinking of you all and keeping you in our Prayers. Rhonda, Sean, Chad & Caden Boggs

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Leona by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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