

Beverly Delores Phillabaum

June 11, 1932 – Jan. 1, 2019



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She was born in Akron on June 11, 1932, to the late Clarion Elijah Hunter and Emma Majesca (Thompson) Hunter.

Beverly graduated from Laketon High School in 1950 and then attended Elkhart Business University. In 1964, Beverly earned her AMRA correspondence and became an accredited record technician.

On Aug. 9, 1955, Beverly was married to Sam William Woodard. He preceded her in passing on Dec. 31, 1986. On June 25, 1988, she married Henry Otto Phillabaum Jr. He preceded her in passing on Sept. 23, 2017. She was married to Richard "Dick" Duzenberg on May 20, 2018. He survives.

Beverly had worked as the director of medical records and medical staff coordinator at Howard community hospital for 27 years, retiring in 1988. She then developed and directed the medical record department at Kokomo Rehab

Hospital from June 17, 1991, to July 1995. She had previously worked in medical records in Detroit and South Bend and two hospitals in Peru, Wabash RR Employees Hospital (where she met Sam) and Dukes Memorial.

Beverly was a member of the State and National Medical Record Association, District and National Association for Medical Transcription and Indian Heights Grace Brethren Church.

In addition to her husband, Richard, Beverly is survived by her daughters, Deanna (Mark) Graham, Vevay, and Loretta Jaenicke, Kokomo. Beverly also leaves 10 stepchildren; seven grandchildren; four great-granddaughters; 16 step-grandchildren; and 12 stepgreat-grandchildren to cherish her memory.

In addition to her parents and two husbands, Beverly was preceded in passing by her son, Kevin William Woodard; brothers John Hunter, "Gene" Hunter and Billy Hunter; and sister Bonnie Karns.

There will be a visitation for Beverly on Saturday, Jan. 5, 2019, from 11 a.m.-1 p.m. at Indian Heights Grace Brethren Church, 725 E. Center Road, Kokomo, with a funeral service immediately following the visitation.

Memorial contributions in Beverly's name may be made to the Child Evangelism Fellowship of Indiana-Six

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