



## Beverly J. Green

January 21, 1948 - March 18, 2023

Beverly J. Green, age 75, of Bonfield passed away Saturday, March 18, 2023 at Ascension St. Mary's Hospital in Kankakee. She was born January 21, 1948 in Elliotville, OH, the daughter of Charles Gilkey & Juanita (Gilkey) Young. Bev married Tom Green on June 7, 1969 in Winchester, VA.

Bev lived a very active life. She held many jobs throughout her years including fast-food service, custodian at Open Bible Church, housekeeping services in nursing homes, secretarial jobs and most recently driving a school bus for Bourbonnais School District. Bev enjoyed many hobbies such as, flower gardening, crafts, traveling, and her antique booth at Indian Oaks Antique Mall. Most of all, she enjoyed decorating - home interiors, special events, holidays, and weddings were among her favorites. Bev loved babies and children. She had been a foster mother for several years and was known to many as Baby-sitter Bev.

Bev was a member of the Gathering Point in Bourbonnais.

Surviving are her husband of 53 years, Tom Green of Bonfield; three daughters and two sons-in-law, Lori & Jay Medalis of Orland Park, Keri & Tim Horn of Bourbonnais, and Jeni Corneal of FL; her mother, Juanita Young of The Plains, OH; one sister and brother-in-law, Linda & Bill Kerr of Albany, OH; one brother and sister-in-law, Mike & Sherry Gilkey of McClure, PA; nine

grandchildren, Isaiah (Molly) Green, Lydia Corneal, Joe Corneal, Isabelle Horn (fiancé, Jacob Marshall), Gabrielle Horn (fiancé, Said Korajkic), Payton Medalis, Rayna Medalis, Tessa Medalis, and Parker Corneal; and one great-grandchild, Olivia Green. Bev is preceded in death by her father; two brothers, Wayne Gilkey and Nick Gilkey; and one sister, Rita Jones.

Visitation will be held from 4-7 p.m. on Friday, March 24, 2023 at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee. A funeral service will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, March 25, 2023, also at the funeral home. Congregational Care Pastor Dane Mathews will officiate the service. Cremation rites will be accorded following the services. Private family inurnment will be held at a later date.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be directed to the family in remembrance of Bev.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAR **24.** 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home  
1480 W. Court St.  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
(815) 932-1214  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Funeral Service

MAR **25.** 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

LM

“ Mommy, I will Forever Miss You I will always carry you with me in my heart. I start to question why you had to leave so soon, but then God Spoke to Me and He said to me That your Earthly Journey was now over and you were now going to hear the Words “Good and Well Done My Faithful Servant” and Jesus was ready to welcome you into Paradise. Where I know Your Daddy and Brothers and Grandma Green & Grammy & Ricky & Uncle Harry were waiting to give you a tour of Heaven. I have this picture in my head when I close my eyes that I can’t shake, it’s you and Papa walking the streets of Gold and you are telling him all the things He’s missed out on the past 30 years he now has 9 Great Grandchildren and one Great Great Granddaughter. I know you are in paradise and I wouldn’t want you to come back to Earth because compared to where you are now it would be selfish to want you to come back to Earth. So do your Baby Girl a Favor and save a place for me when I get there and we can both walk the streets of Gold and I can tell you everything you missed out on. Please watch over my Daddy He lost half his heart when you left. I Love You Mommy. Forever Your First Baby Girl. ❤️



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**Lori Medalis** - March 25, 2023 at 02:51 AM

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“ Debi Prussner lit a candle in memory of Beverly J. Green



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**Debi Prussner** - March 24, 2023 at 11:28 PM

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Carol - March 21, 2023 at 08:52 AM

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“ R.I.P Bev, fly in heaven now. We will miss your beautiful smile and warm heart. I love you and will miss you.



Donna and Monte Schweizer - March 20, 2023 at 10:36 PM

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“ Carole Harms lit a candle in memory of Beverly J. Green



Carole Harms - March 20, 2023 at 08:30 PM

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“ My last memory of Aunt Bev was when they came to visit a few years ago and she decided she liked my new twisted x boots ,she made me take them off and put them on her feet lol she was wanting to go home with them but they were to big!Then she kept trying to get Oreos 🤔🤔🤔🤔She loved those!!'m going to miss you Aunt Bev you are forever in my heart RIP,love you!!!Bonita

Niece - March 20, 2023 at 03:41 PM



Mom loved her some Oreos!

Keri Green-Horn - March 20, 2023 at 11:20 PM