



## Cora V. Barna

October 24, 1922 - January 28, 2025

Cora V. Barna, age 102, of Watseka passed away Tuesday, January 28, 2025 in Kentland, IN. She was born October 24, 1922 in Bradley, the daughter of Clarence & Goldie (Reins) Williams. Cora married John Barna in 1942 in Kankakee. He preceded her in death.

Cora worked at Osco Drugs for 32 years.

Surviving are one son, Greg & Valeria Barna of Watseka; one daughter, Karen James of Manteno; five grandchildren, Greg Barna Jr., Michelle Engelking, Melissa Curry, Kimberly Denault, and Nikki Desiderio; one sister; and two brothers. Cora is preceded in death by her husband and parents.

A private graveside service will be held at Mound Grove Gardens in Kankakee.

# Cemetery Details

## **Mound Grove Gardens Cemetery**

1000 N. Greenwood  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
(815) 933-6726

# Tribute Wall

HS

“ Sorry to hear of your Mom’s passing. Many memories of your Mom while living on Fairway Court. I even remember the gift she gave us in 1957 when Mike was born. When she started working at Osco she wanted me to check when both of you came home from school. The kids are always bringing up things they remember while growing up

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**Harriet Schultz** - March 02, 2025 at 11:21 PM

LA

“ Karen, I’m sorry to hear of your mom’s passing. I enjoyed working with her at Osco Drug. Classy lady! 🙏

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**Laura Anderson** - February 08, 2025 at 12:34 PM

BL

“ Karen, so sorry to learn of your mom’s passing. She was a joy to work with at Osco and a special lady! Sincere condolences!

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**Bill Lamping** - February 05, 2025 at 07:58 PM

DC

“ Karen, so sorry to hear about your mom! Hope you find comfort in all your special memories! My condolences to all of your family. Sincerely, Donna Casino

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**Donna Casino** - February 02, 2025 at 04:23 PM

PO

“ *My condolences Karen on the loss of your mother. I remember growing up when I was in downtown Kankakee I sometimes stopped by to visit your mother in Osco Drugs. Keeping you and your family in my thoughts and prayers, Pat O'Connor.* ”

Pat O'Connor - February 02, 2025 at 04:08 PM

RR

“ *Ron & Ronda Rust lit a candle in memory of Cora V. Barna* ”



Ron & Ronda Rust - February 01, 2025 at 03:39 PM

RR

*Our deepest, most heartfelt sympathy in the loss of your mother. May your cherished memories be of comfort in the days ahead.*

Ron & Ronda Rust - February 01, 2025 at 03:42 PM

MM

“ *Mary Morgan lit a candle in memory of Cora V. Barna* ”



Mary Morgan - February 01, 2025 at 01:38 PM

CF

“ *Karen, I am so sorry for your loss. It is horrible losing your mother. Please accept my deepest sympathy. Carolyn Janusauskas-Fields.* ”

Carolyn Fields - February 01, 2025 at 10:05 AM

PA

“ *Paula lit a candle in memory of Cora V. Barna*



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**Paula** - February 01, 2025 at 09:46 AM

MM

“ *MR MRS lit a candle in memory of Cora V. Barna*



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**MR MRS** - February 01, 2025 at 07:43 AM