



Vivian E. Blanchette

October 20, 1924 - December 22, 2019

Vivian E. Blanchette, age 95, of Gilman, formerly of St. Anne, passed away Sunday, December 22, 2019 at Riverside Medical Center in Kankakee. She was born October 20, 1924 in St. Anne, the daughter of Beaucie & Isabelle (Regnier) Chenore. Vivian married Ernest Brown on November 22, 1945. He preceded her in death on October 9, 1963. She then married Don Blanchette November 25, 1978. He also preceded her in death.

Vivian was a homemaker. She enjoyed doing crossword puzzles, cross-stitching, reading, and traveling. Vivian was an avid Chicago Cubs fan. She was a past member of the Ladies of St. Anne Sodality.

Vivian was a parishioner of Immaculate Conception Catholic Church of Gilman and former parishioner of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Beaverville.

Surviving are one son and daughter-in-law, Dan & Mary Brown of Niceville, FL; two daughters and two sons-in-law, JoLynn & Tom Oliver of Gilman and Cathy & Guy Collings of Bee Branch, AR; seven grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and one great-great-granddaughter. In addition to her husbands, Vivian is preceded in death by her parents; one grandson, Guy Collings; and two brothers, Vern Chenore and Mac Chenore.

Visitation will be held from 4-6 p.m. on Monday, December 30, 2019 at Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Home in St. Anne. An additional visitation will be held from 9 a.m. until the time of the 10 a.m. funeral Mass at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Beaverville on Tuesday, December 31, 2019. Rev. Daniel Belanger will officiate. Burial will follow at St. Mary's Cemetery in Beaverville.

Memorials may be made to St. Mary's Catholic Church Building Fund.

Cemetery Details

St. Mary's Cemetery

Beaverville, IL 60912
(815) 435-2006

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC **30**. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

St. Anne - Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Home
214 W. Sheffield
St. Anne, IL 60964
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Visitation

DEC **31**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
Beaverville, IL
: (815) 435-2432
<http://www.stmaryschurchbeaverville.com/>

Funeral Mass

DEC 31. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Thoughts & Prayers was purchased for the family of Vivian E. Blanchette.*



December 26, 2019 at 03:29 PM



“ *Aunt Viv...Say hello to everyone up there. Such memories...*

Jeffrey Chenore - December 26, 2019 at 11:45 AM



“ *So sorry for your lost. She was a great lady. Thoughts and prayers are with you all.*



Linda Yeoman-Pritchard - December 26, 2019 at 07:40 AM



“ *53 TMG Staff purchased the Share the Health for the family of Vivian E. Blanchette.*



53 TMG Staff - December 25, 2019 at 01:03 PM



“ *She had a long life with a sharp witty mind. Will miss her spunk.*



Christine Collings - December 25, 2019 at 09:03 AM



“ *Vivian always made me smile. She was A LOT of personality in a compact package. I'm glad she got to live out her life in her own home.*

I'm sure we'll all miss her, but I'll remember her with a smile.

Gwen Thomas - December 24, 2019 at 05:22 PM