



Leona E Byrd

October 11, 1931 - April 17, 2020

Leona E. Byrd, 88, of Mentor, passed away Friday, April 17, 2020 at home. She was born October 11, 1931 in Charleston, WV., to the late Oscar and Annis Moore.

Survivors include her children, Gordon Lee Byrd, Cynthia (Terry) Streets, Joann (Leslie) Lawson, Jeanne (Ricky) Ball, David (Paula) Byrd, Tabitha Rees and Caleb (Debi) Byrd; 18 grandchildren; 25 great grandchildren, 3 great-great grandchildren and sisters, Myrna Davis, Naomi (Chester) Miller.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Calvin Byrd and son, Richard Byrd.

Due to current Covid-19 restrictions a private family service was held with a burial taking place in Western Reserve Memorial Gardens, Chesterland.

Arrangements entrusted to Brunner Sanden Deitrick Funeral Home & Cremation Center, 8466 Mentor Avenue, Mentor, Ohio 44060.

Offer condolences at www.brunners.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *I love and miss you too much. Thank You for teaching me.*

Tabitha Rees - June 21, 2020 at 04:52 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers go out for her family. Big hugs & loves for The Ball family, & my niece who grew to know and love her as Nanna.*

Pamela Hirst & Family

Pam Hirst - April 24, 2020 at 06:54 AM



“ *Nana's reach was far beyond family. She loved friends as her own family and made friends feel like family. You are loved and so dearly missed Nana. Dollbaby, angelface*

Nicole Morgan - April 23, 2020 at 07:51 AM



“ *Rest well Mrs.Byrd. You are now home. My heartfelt condolences to the family. Blessed to have met her nearly 40 years ago. Thank y'all for sharing her with so many*
Deb Munnings

Deb Munnings - April 22, 2020 at 03:02 PM



Thank you Deb.

Heather Pontus - April 22, 2020 at 06:46 PM

JB

“ Mr. & Mrs. Byrd have lived in Mentor Headlands right along with my parents, The Ellis Family. My mom & dad remember when they were moving into their home & they were coming down our street riding on a Harley Davidson. Such a WONDERFUL MEMORY! Leona is a BEAUTIFUL Name & she was a KIND Soul. I've known 4 Leona's in my life, my grandmother, my daughter, my cousin & Mrs. Byrd. May she RIP. Prayers to the family & friends in this difficult time. 🌸🦋💕

Julie Blankenship - April 22, 2020 at 01:30 PM

HP

“ You were the best Nana in the world. Anyone who met you instantly loved you. Your heart was gold. Your spirit was sweet. You were such a prayer warrior and your desire was salvation for your family and loved ones. You were always there for me and never judged me. Your love was unconditional. You will be missed. I have such joy knowing that you are finally home with your daddy/father as you referred to as Jesus. Pain free, laughing, running on streets of gold, and chilling with your hubby, son and my parents. I will cherish my memories with you. All of our Sunday talks, your encouraging words and prayers that I coveted so much. Enjoy Heaven and I'll see you again. I love love love you. ❤️❤️❤️



Heather Pontus - April 22, 2020 at 12:39 PM

JB

Awww, such PRECIOUS MEMORIES of your Nana. My mom & dad were there neighbors & friends since they moved into the Headlands. May your Nana RIP & prayers for your family during this difficult time.

Julie Blankenship - April 22, 2020 at 01:15 PM



Thank you for your kind words. She was an amazing woman.

Heather Pontus - April 22, 2020 at 05:16 PM