



## Brenda S. Hankins Cox

February 3, 1952 - March 31, 2023

Brenda Sue Hankins Cox, 71, of Lebanon, Indiana, passed away on Friday, March 31, 2023, at Ascension St. Vincent Hospital in Indianapolis. She was born in Lebanon on February 3, 1952, a daughter of the late Richard Lee French and Esther Lovine (Dunn) French Tunnell Golden.

On August 21, 1970, she was married to Mike L. Hankins in Lebanon. He preceded her in death on December 23, 2017.

A lifelong resident of Lebanon, Brenda had worked at various places including Royal Cleaners, Shumate Business Forms, IGA, and the Indiana United Methodist Children's Home. She was a former member of the Moose Lodge. Brenda loved her family and the times spent together. She enjoyed bowling, playing Bingo, and playing pool with her son.

Survivors include children, Richard L. Hankins and Kimberly Meyer of Lebanon; grandchildren, Rachel Dye, Cory Hankins, Kim Hankins, Mason Dakota Hankins, Sierra Loy, and Austin Loy; great grandchildren, Keyian, Brody and Zoey Hankins; brothers, Richard (Nancy) French, Tom (Letia) French, Bob French, and Jerry French; sisters, Carolyn (Jeff) Davis and Janie (Todd) Heffer; sisters-in-law, Joanne (Phil) Stewart and Connie (Robert) Luper; and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents and husband, Brenda was preceded in death by two sisters, Linda Jones and Debi See; and brothers, Charles L. French and Johnny Tunnell.

Funeral Services are planned for 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, April 5, 2023, at Myers Mortuary, 1502 North Lebanon Street, in Lebanon. Visitation will be held from 9:00 a.m. until the time of services. Interment will follow at Oak Hill Cemetery in Lebanon.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to the Humane Society for Boone County, P.O. Box 708, Lebanon, Indiana 46052.

# Cemetery Details

## Oak Hill Cemetery

935 East Washington Street  
Lebanon, IN 46052

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 5. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Myers Mortuary  
1502 North Lebanon Street  
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## Service

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# Tribute Wall

BH

“ I knew Brenda for years. We were best of friends. We worked at Becks Cafe together for a while. I loved her like a Sister. I will miss her Daily.

Barbie Hood - June 09, 2023 at 12:43 PM

EL

“ Richard and Kim, sorry to hear about Brenda's passing. I worked with Brenda at Shumates. She always had a smile and was fun to work with.  
Ernie Lewis

Ernie Lewis - April 06, 2023 at 01:38 PM

DH

“ Richard and Kim, so sorry to hear about your Mom. So was a sweet person to everyone. We will always remember her smile and her kindness. Our thoughts are with you. Larry and Dawn Hankins and families

Dawn Hankins - April 05, 2023 at 11:41 AM

DJ

“ So sorry to hear this. Condolences to all the family.

Delbert and Marilyn Davis

Delbert Davis Jr - April 05, 2023 at 09:19 AM

JF

“ Met Brenda years ago working at the children's home. We continued our friendship thru talks on the phone. She was a sweet and loving woman I will miss dearly 💔 so sad because I will miss our long visits on the phone but so happy she is at peace in the arms of our sweet loving lord Jesus, she loved him so.

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**Jeanie Ferrell** - April 05, 2023 at 09:01 AM

DN

“ Seeing this took my breathe away!! Brenda and I worked many long nights together at the children's home. We shared many stories and made some good memories. She will always hold a special place in my heart.  
All of you are in my thoughts and prayers!

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**Dana Neese** - April 04, 2023 at 10:09 PM



“ brenda was a great friend and caring person injoyed the times we had at the moose lodge with family rest in peace brenda friends mike and tammy musser



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**Mike Musser** - April 04, 2023 at 06:43 PM

LE

“ May you always rest in peace Aunt Brenda...give everyone hugs and kisses for me...we love you and will always miss you!!!  
Your niece Lisa



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**Lisa Hankins Echols** - April 04, 2023 at 05:29 PM

JM

“ Have had the privilege of knowing Brenda for many years, enjoyed a lot of good times together, always a kind and good hearted person. Thoughts and prayers for her family.



Janice Martin - April 04, 2023 at 08:43 AM

CW

Brenda was a very good friend for so many years it was always kind and giving and helped anyone who needed her you will be missed Brenda praying for your family

Connie white - April 04, 2023 at 10:15 PM

CC

“ I have know this family my entire life. This just breaks my heart. My heart and prayers are with you all as you go through this process.



Candy Minor Crosby - April 03, 2023 at 12:09 PM

SB

“ Sally Byrd lit a candle in memory of Brenda S. Hankins Cox



Sally Byrd - April 03, 2023 at 11:33 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Brenda S. Hankins Cox.*



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April 03, 2023 at 10:08 AM