



## Mary E. Payton

February 3, 1915 - May 5, 2015

Mary E. Payton, passed away peacefully, May 5, 2015, at Redbanks Nursing Home in Henderson, KY, at the age of 100.

The daughter of Elbert and Ethel Isbell, born on February 3, 1915, Mary was a long-time resident of Henderson, Kentucky. A mother of three, she worked for years in Evansville as a seamstress at Saters but later devoted her life to family and the care of her daughter Linda. She answered to many names- Mary, Mom, Sister Payton, Nanny, Auntie Minnie- and was best known for preparing the greatest home cooked meals in town. There was always a seat at the dinner table and something good cooking in the kitchen for anyone who wished to join, which was a direct expression of her love for family and friends.

Mary was a member of Airline Baptist Church, a devout Christian who lived her life accordingly. She is preceded in death by her husband Walter of 57 years, and her daughter, Linda Ann.

Survivors include:

Son: Charles Lee Payton and his wife Marjory

Daughter: Nancy Jane Payton

Grandchildren: Kimberly Hunnicutt, Tammy Metzger and husband Jerry, Tina Payton, Randy Payton, Samuel Galloway III, and Bradley Shelton Payton

Great Grandchildren: Grant Metzger, Spenser Peters, and Justin Slade

Relatives and friends are invited to Mary's Life Celebration from 2:00- 8:00 PM Thursday and again on Friday starting at 10:00 AM at Benton-Glunt Funeral Home. The funeral service will be held at 2:00 PM on Friday, May 8, 2015 at the funeral home with the Reverend Nathan Whisnant officiating. Burial will follow at Roselawn Memorial Gardens in Henderson, KY.

A very special thank you to Saint Anthony's Hospice staff members for the loving care provided to Mary.

Expressions of sympathy may take the form of contributions to: St. Anthony's Hospice and/or Airline Baptist Church 1942 Clay St, Henderson, KY 42420.

Arrangements entrusted to Benton-Glunt Funeral Home, A Life Celebration® Home, online condolences may be made at [www.bentonglunt.com](http://www.bentonglunt.com)

# Previous Events

## Life Celebration

MAY 7. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home  
629 S. Green St.  
Henderson, KY 42420  
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## Life Celebration

MAY 8. 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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## 2:00 P.M. Tuesday May 8, 2018 Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Benton-Glunt & Tapp Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Mary E. Payton*



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**Benton-Glunt Funeral Home** - May 07, 2015 at 02:08 PM



“ *Mary E. Payton*

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November 29, 2022 at 08:01 AM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Mary E. Payton.*



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May 07, 2015 at 01:33 PM



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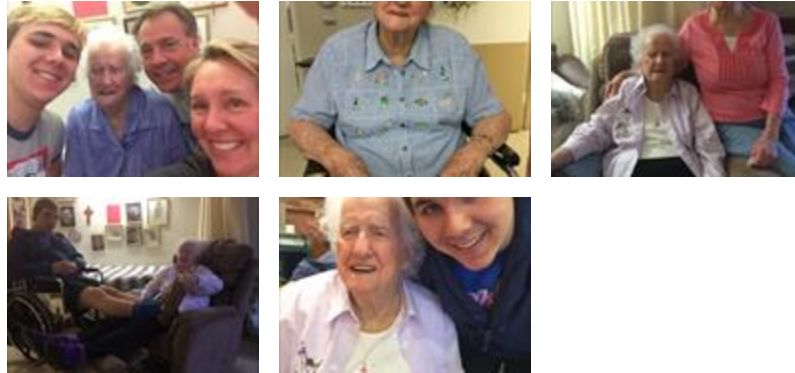


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May 07, 2015 at 09:40 AM

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“ 24 files added to the album *Tammy's pics of Nanny*

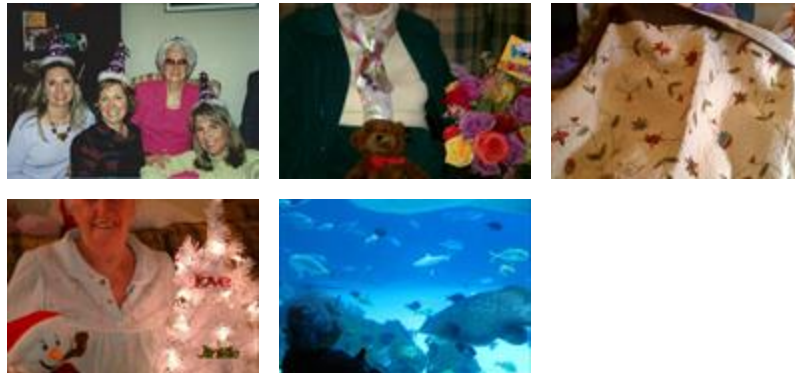


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**Tammy Metzger** - May 06, 2015 at 07:32 AM

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“ 17 files added to the album *New Album Name*



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**Tina Payton** - May 05, 2015 at 07:59 PM

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“ Nanny's oat meal, green beans, banana pudding, iced tea, Cherry Delight, roasts, red velvet cakes and banana bread come to mind right off the bat. Summers at 244 Blue Ridge will always have a large place in my heart. I am so grateful I have so much of her in me and so happy she's rejoicing with Jesus, Pa, Linda, Granny Bell and Pa Bell because she's missed them so much. Sure hope heaven has enough smellies up there. She loves her good smellies.

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**Tina Payton** - May 05, 2015 at 07:55 PM

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*I remember aunt Minnie wonderful desserts, especially her red velvet, I still use her receipe. I remember too coming down from Louisville and spending summers, she was always so full of life and the times with Linda were priceless. I can imagine she and Linda are having great conversations and not having to scream at each other in heaven !!!!*

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**judy hall** - May 06, 2015 at 12:52 PM