



## Jan Ash

December 26, 1944 - December 4, 2017

Janet Sue Ash, 72, of Centralia, passed away Monday afternoon, December 4, 2017, at St. Anthony's Medical Center, in St. Louis.

She was born December 26, 1944, in Alton, Illinois, the daughter of Harry and Wilma Margaret (Kline) Carson. On January 9, 1965, she married Larry R. Ash, and he survives.

She was a member of Pleasant Hill Baptist Church, and started the prayer ministry there, supporting many in prayer. Mrs. Ash was a strong advocate for missions, and she loved making cards and sending them to people. She worked at Hudelson Baptist Children's Home, and enjoyed volunteering with many organizations, including Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts, Vacation Bible School, Girls in Action, and Sunday School. She loved Jesus and her family, and enjoyed quilting.

She is survived by her husband, Larry Ash of Centralia; two sons, Darrell Ash and wife Valerie of Longview, Texas, and David Ash of Miami, Oklahoma; one daughter, Karen Shewan of Reed City, Michigan; and eight grandchildren, Emily, A.J., Stephen, and Joe Shewan, Megan, Michael, and Matthew Ash, and Savannah Ash.

She was preceded in death by her parents, and one sister, Beverly Kuhn.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Ash will be held at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, December 9, 2017, at Pleasant Hill Baptist Church, with Rev. Jason Webb officiating.

Burial will follow at Pleasant Hill Cemetery. Visitation will be held Friday, December 8, 2017, from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. at the Osborn Funeral Home

in Dix. Memorials may be made to the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church for the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering, and will be received at the service, or by mail to the Osborn Funeral Home, P.O. Box 130, Dix, Illinois 62830. Online condolences may be made at [www.osbornfuneral.com](http://www.osbornfuneral.com), or on the funeral home's Facebook page.

# Cemetery Details

## Pleasant Hill Cemetery

Mt. Vernon, IL 62864

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 8. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Osborn Funeral Home  
322 North Main Street  
Dix, IL 62830  
(618) 266-7231  
office@osbornfuneral.com  
<https://www.osbornfuneral.com>

## Service

DEC 9. 11:00 AM (CT)

Pleasant Hill Baptist Church  
19479 IL-37  
Mt. Vernon, IL 62864

# Tribute Wall

Sheila  
Tackitt

“ *I am so sorry Larry. I had no idea or I would have been there. I hope you know how much the both of you mean to me.*

---

**Sheila Tackitt** - December 09, 2017 at 02:16 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Jan Ash.*



---

December 06, 2017 at 12:00 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Jan Ash.*



---

December 06, 2017 at 11:25 AM