



## Carlene Fortner

November 12, 1939 - April 24, 2026

IN MEMORY OF:

Carlene Fortner

Serving Location:

CRAIN FUNERAL HOME – EGYPTIAN MEMORIAL GARDENS

3208 South Park Avenue, Energy, Illinois

Carlene Fortner, age 86, Marion, Illinois, formerly of Wamac, Illinois, passed away on Friday, April 24, 2026 at Deaconess Illinois Medical Center in Marion.

She was born on November 12, 1939 to Hayden C. and Mary Evon (Andrus) Gream in Wamac, Illinois.

Carlene was a caregiver for many years. She was of Baptist Faith. Carlene loved to play bingo, go shopping, and most of all she loved her family and the Lord.

Survivors include her children, Tommy (Linda), Karey (Lynn), Angel, Charles (JoJo), Wayne (Cathy) and Bon-die; 17 grandchildren, Jonny (Amanda), ShelDen, Alexandra, Hevyn, Derick (Whitney) Halston (Kelsey), Jonette

(Jacob), Robert, Regina (Eric), Lindsey, Patricia (Alex), Jaclyn, Justin (Lindsay), Trenton, Brandon, Levi, and Caleb; and 14 great-grandchildren, Maverick, Hudson, Kamden, Gibson, Cayden, Riley, Cameron, Brooklyn, Xavier, Jada, Brynlee, Blakely, Logan, and Maddie; and a brother, Carey.

Along with her parents, she is preceded in death by her infant daughter, Kathy Nell; grandson, Joshua; and siblings, Jimmy, Liz, Bonnie, Kay, Shirley, and Johny.

No Services will be held at this time.

The cremation of Carlene Fortner will be personally handled by the staff of Crain Funeral Home.

Crain Funeral Home in Energy is in charge of arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Prayers for the Family



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**sandra royer** - May 02 at 09:48 PM

MG

“ Mary Lee Gream lit a candle in memory of  
Carlene Fortner



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**Mary Lee Gream** - May 01 at 01:00 PM

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“ Charles Fortner lit a candle in memory of  
Carlene Fortner



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**Charles Fortner** - April 30 at 05:05 PM

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“ Karey Richards lit a candle in memory of  
Carlene Fortner



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**Karey Richards** - April 30 at 03:48 PM