



Maxine (Crews) Burdick

September 2, 1936 - July 10, 2025

To join the livestream of Anita's funeral service, please select the link below. The livestream telecast of the funeral service will begin at 10:55 A.M. (CST) Monday, July 21, 2025. The service will be archived for 90 days from the date of the funeral service for later viewing.

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Anita Maxine (Crews) Burdick, age 88 years, a resident of Vienna, Illinois, passed away Thursday afternoon, July 10, 2025, at 3:19 P.M. at Hillview Senior Living and Rehabilitation in Vienna.

Known to everyone as Maxine, and affectionately as Mickey to her family and childhood friends, she was born September 2, 1936 in Johnson County Illinois. She was the daughter of Jake Henry Crews and Beulah Nell (Ross) Crews.

On November 21, 1962, Maxine was united in marriage to Gary D. Burdick in Metropolis, Illinois. He survives.

In addition to her husband, Maxine is survived by: her daughter – Marsha Burdick of Segrate, Italy; her son - Paul Burdick of Oak Ridge, Tennessee; 6 grandchildren – Silvia (Vincenzo) Laurendi of La Valletta Brianza, Italy,

Melissa Galbiati and Erica Galbiati both of Segrate, Italy, Brach Burdick of Chattanooga, Tennessee, Bronson Burdick and Brent Burdick both of San Francisco, California; 4 great grandchildren – Evelyn (age 9), Grace (age 7), Allyss (age 3) and James Laurendi (age 1); a sister – Cherry Chase of Mt. Vernon, Indiana; 3 brothers – Bill (Sue) Crews of Vienna, Illinois, Ken (Denise) Crews of Goreville, Illinois, and Charles (Cathy) Crews of Plainfield, Illinois; as well as a host of nieces, nephews, cousins, other relatives and many friends.

In addition to her parents, Maxine was preceded in death by: a sister and brother-in-law – Virginia and Richard Wiggs; and a brother-in-law – Glen Chase.

Maxine graduated from Vienna High School in 1952 at the age of 15. Once she reached the age of 16, Maxine began working in the office of Vienna Farm Services. She held this position for 4 years prior to moving to Chicago for a period of 9 months to work. Maxine relocated to Southern Illinois, working in Paducah, Kentucky and later in Metropolis, Illinois where she married Gary. She continued to work until the birth of their first child, Marsha, when she became a fulltime homemaker and stay-at-home mother. Following the birth of their second child, Paul, the family moved to Arrowsmith, Illinois. When Paul was eight years old, Maxine rejoined the workforce and assumed a secretarial/clerical position with the McLean County Service Company. She held this position for 17 years, prior to her retirement. Maxine also served as the bookkeeper for the Village of Arrowsmith for many years.

Maxine was a member of the Daniel Chapman Chapter Daughters of the American Revolution. She was a former member of the Johnson County Homemaker's Extension and the Red Hat Society.

Maxine enjoyed sewing and was a skilled seamstress. She is remembered for her love of crochet. For many years, she would crochet an afghan annually.

Maxine is also fondly remembered for her love of cooking and hosting family gatherings. She was renowned for her dishpan angel food cakes.

Maxine and Gary worshipped together at Taylor Church.

A funeral service honoring the life of Anita Maxine Crews Burdick will be conducted Monday, July 21, 2025, at 11 A.M. at Taylor Church, 5760 U.S. Highway 45 North, Vienna, Illinois. Pastor Bill Schell will officiate.

Interment will be in the Taylor Cemetery.

Visitation will be held Sunday, July 20, 2025, from 5 P.M. until 8 P.M. at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna. There will also be a time of visitation Monday, July 21, 2025 from 10 A.M. until the service hour at 11 A.M. at Taylor Church.

Memorials may be made to the Taylor Cemetery Fund, c/o Bailey Funeral Home, P.O. Box 695, Vienna, Illinois 62995

To share a memory of Maxine or to leave an online message of condolence for her family, please visit www.baileyfh.com

Arrangements have been entrusted to Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna.

Cemetery Details

Taylor Cemetery

5616 Highway 45 North
Vienna, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **20**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Bailey Funeral Home
705 North First Street
PO Box 695
Vienna, IL 62995
(618) 658-2311
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<https://baileyfh.com>

Visitation

JUL **21**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Taylor United Methodist Church
5620 US Highway 45 North
Vienna, IL

Service

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Tribute Wall

NB

“ *Nancy Simmons Belford lit a candle in memory of Maxine (Crews) Burdick*



Nancy Simmons Belford - July 22, 2025 at 09:51 AM

NB

Maxine was a relative She will be missed, and was loved by all

Nancy Simmons Belford - July 22, 2025 at 09:53 AM

LM

“ *My condolences to the Burdick and Crews family.*

larry W. Mizell - July 21, 2025 at 09:40 AM

MM

“ *Margaret Mathis lit a candle in memory of Maxine (Crews) Burdick*



Margaret Mathis - July 16, 2025 at 07:38 PM

CB

“ *My Sincere Sympathy and Prayers for the Crews and Burdick Family*



Carol Orange Bryant - July 16, 2025 at 09:55 AM

JS

“ *John Slack sent a virtual gift in memory of Maxine (Crews) Burdick*



John Slack - July 15, 2025 at 12:53 PM

CR

“ *Carol J Racey lit a candle in memory of Maxine (Crews) Burdick*



Carol J Racey - July 15, 2025 at 12:10 PM

GH

“ *Gary & Janet Hacker lit a candle in memory of Maxine (Crews) Burdick*



Gary & Janet Hacker - July 15, 2025 at 12:07 AM

RT

“ *Ron Thomas lit a candle in memory of Maxine (Crews) Burdick*



Ron thomas - July 13, 2025 at 03:38 PM