



Norma Webb Martin

April 11, 1933 - January 12, 2017

Norma (Webb) Martin, age 83 years, a resident of rural Vienna, IL passed away Thursday morning, January 12, 2017, at 6:30 AM at her home.

Norma was born April 11, 1933, at the family home near Tunnel Hill, IL. She was the fourth child born to Ray and Golda (Hankla) Webb.

On April 8, 1950, Norma was united in marriage to David Martin at Tunnel Hill. He preceded her in death on July 9, 2010.

Norma is survived by: her children – Mickey Finch of Anna, Neil (his wife, Kim) Martin of Vienna, and Eric (his wife, Jeanne) Martin of St. Louis, Missouri; 8 grandchildren – Michelle Hodges, Nathan (his wife, Misty) Hodges, Brandon Martin, Kisten (Weston Wilke) Martin, Dustin Martin, Daniel Martin, Julia Martin, and Lily Martin; 4 great grandchildren – Camden Hodges, Taj Hodges, Quincy Hodges, and Easton Wilke; her brothers – Kenneth (his wife, Edith) Webb, Glenn (his wife, Phyllis) Webb and Phil (his wife, Cara) Webb all of Tunnel Hill; her sisters – Elaine (her husband, Reggie) Romine of Danville, Jean Phillips of Tunnel Hill and Charlene (her husband, Dale) Hodge of Goreville, a host of nieces, nephews, other relatives and many dear friends.

In addition to her parents and husband, Norma was preceded in death by a son-in-law – Cord Finch; a brother and sister-in-law – Bob and Edna Ann

Webb and a sister and brother-in-law – Myra and Harley Throgmorton.

Norma was a 1950 graduate of the Goreville High School. She had also attended Shawnee Community College. During her working career, Norma was employed as a bookkeeper at both the Goreville Grade and High Schools and as a sales person at the A.B.C. Children's Shop and Hodges Furniture Store, both in Vienna.

Norma was very civic minded and encouraged others to give time and support to their communities. She graciously volunteered her time to many worthwhile endeavors and served her community in a variety of capacities. Norma was a longtime member of the Johnson County Homemaker's Extension as well as the Johnson County Women's Club, serving as club President for 11 years. Norma also was a member of the "Vivacious Vienna Red Hat" society.

Norma encouraged all youth to pursue a good education and participated in many organizations which supported students, cultural events, and learning. Norma served for 21 years as a member of the Vienna High School Board of Education. She was a passionate advocate for the students of Vienna High School.

She was a woman of deep faith and Christian charity. Norma was a lifelong member of the Community of Christ Church near Tunnel Hill and was an ordained Elder. She spent many years teaching the young children's Sunday school class at the church. Norma loved decorating her home, cooking, raising flowers, gardening, and playing Scrabble and "Words with Friends" on her iPad. She also loved reading, writing, shopping, quilting, and going to rummage sales. She enjoyed watching her children's and grandchildren's sports, choir, band, and other school activities.

Norma was known for the wonderful letters and cards she sent to encourage

and uplift family, friends, and anyone she thought she could help.

She had her opinions but tried to listen openly to others (even if she disagreed). She loved mentoring young people and loved watching their sports activities, but she wanted them to be open to learning about the arts and culture. Norma was also a dedicated volunteer at the Goreville Ministerial Alliance Thrift Store.

Norma was a strong, kind, intelligent, honest, loving person with a quick wit and a great sense of humor. Norma was devoted to her family and cherished the time she spent with them. She had many friends who admired and loved her. She will be fondly remembered for her kind and gracious manner and selfless dedication to her community.

A service honoring the life of Norma Webb Martin will be conducted Monday morning, January 16, 2017, at 10:30 AM at the Community of Christ Church. Dr. Glenn Webb will officiate. Interment will be in the Webb Cemetery.

Visitation will be held Sunday, January 15, 2017, from 4 PM – 7 PM at Bailey Funeral Home in Vienna and from 9:30 AM – 10:30 AM Monday, January 16, 2017, at the Community of Christ Church.

Memorials may be made to the Community of Christ Church, c/o Phil Webb, 5140 Tunnel Hill Road, Tunnel Hill, IL 62972, the Johnson County Women's Club (Scholarship Fund), c/o Faye Mize, 79 Hilltop Lane, Simpson, IL 62985, or the Brush Creek Campground, 464 County Highway 18, Xenia, IL 62899.

Cemetery Details

Webb Cemetery

Webb Cemetery Lane
Tunnel Hill, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN **15**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Visitation

JAN **16**. 9:30 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Community of Christ Church
5170 Tunnel Hill Rd.
Tunnel Hill, IL 62972

Service

JAN 16. 10:30 AM (CT)

Community of Christ Church
5170 Tunnel Hill Rd.
Tunnel Hill, IL 62972

Tribute Wall



“ *Bailey Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



Bailey Funeral Home - January 16, 2017 at 01:00 PM



“ *Norma Webb Martin*

January 30, 2023 at 12:19 AM



“ *BARBARA BRUCE JEFFRESS lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



BARBARA BRUCE JEFFRESS - January 16, 2017 at 09:31 AM



“ *Your family is on my heart and in my prayers. What a beautiful legacy of strength and kindness Norma has left for you. May you find great comfort in knowing you will see her again. With love, Jennifer Abate-Barrett*



Jennifer Abate-Barrett - January 16, 2017 at 05:33 AM

NH

“ My sympathy to the Webb Family for their loss of Norma, she was a very sweet lady.

Nadine Hamilton - January 15, 2017 at 09:07 PM

FK

“ Floyd & Linda Koehler lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Floyd & Linda Koehler - January 15, 2017 at 08:39 PM

BJ

“ To all the Webb family----so sorry for our loss of Norma---must remember her for what she did for her family and the Community---she was a lovely and friendly person who always had a helping hand for everyone---cannot replace such an honorable, religious and honest person----she has a family who has always supported the Webb community----very proud that they are my cousins----
Bryan & Maxine Johnson

Bryan & Maxine Johnson - January 15, 2017 at 07:05 PM

PW

“ Peggy Wetherell lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Peggy Wetherell - January 15, 2017 at 03:32 PM

PW

To the Webb Family, so sorry to learn of your loss. Norma was such a lovely lady, friend, and neighbor. She will certainly be missed

Peggy Wetherell - January 15, 2017 at 03:35 PM

SF

“ *To all the family: So sorry to hear about Norma. I remember her. She was a very nice and pleasant person and especially to have as a cousin. Sorry I can't attend--my prayers go out to you all. Sonja [Webb] Fleming.*

sonja webb fleming - January 15, 2017 at 12:15 PM



“ *Debbie Stewart lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



Debbie Stewart - January 15, 2017 at 08:11 AM



Debbie Reinhardt Stewart

Debbie Stewart - January 15, 2017 at 08:11 AM

LU

“ Norma's delight to her Pool sister always remembered when we do her "frog leap". Lula Ann & Pool Sisters



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LulaAnn - January 14, 2017 at 07:15 PM

LG

“ Lora Goddard lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Lora Goddard - January 14, 2017 at 06:49 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Norma Webb Martin.*



January 14, 2017 at 06:41 PM



“ *Anna Cavitt lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



Anna Cavitt - January 14, 2017 at 06:12 PM



“ *Such a wonderful lady. Very involved in our community and has a heart that keeps giving. You will be missed Norma, now you can rest in peace*



Tracy Dalton - January 14, 2017 at 02:18 PM



“ *Don L. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Norma Webb Martin.*



Don L. - January 14, 2017 at 11:04 AM

TC

“ We are so sorry for your loss if you need anything all you have to do is call our thoughts and prayers are with your family



Tom Carol \$ Jim Cheek - January 13, 2017 at 10:59 PM

TC

It left me out Carol

Tom Carol \$ Jim Cheek - January 13, 2017 at 10:59 PM

DP

“ Davis And Pat Prewitt lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Davis and Pat Prewitt - January 13, 2017 at 06:55 PM

MM

“ Myrla Miller lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Myrla Miller - January 13, 2017 at 06:15 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Norma Webb Martin.*



January 13, 2017 at 03:51 PM



“ *Carla Tapley lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



Carla Tapley - January 13, 2017 at 03:46 PM



“ *Norma was a special lady who touched many lives with her kindness and her sense of humor. When I was in high school, so many people used to confuse me with Eric that I began calling her "Mom" and have continued to send her a Mother's Day card ever since, which she always seemed to enjoy. She will be missed by all who had even a passing acquaintance with her. My thoughts and prayers are with all the family.*

Doug Mathis - January 13, 2017 at 01:18 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Norma Webb Martin.*



January 13, 2017 at 10:37 AM

EC

“ So sorry to hear of Norma's passing. She was a sweet lady that will be missed by all that knew her. Our thoughts and prayers are with her family.

Ellen Carlton - January 13, 2017 at 09:58 AM

JH

“ Janet & Gary Hacker lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Janet & Gary Hacker - January 13, 2017 at 09:55 AM

MR

“ Mike And Teresa Richerson lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Mike and Teresa Richerson - January 13, 2017 at 09:54 AM

SH

“ Steve & Jeannie Housewright lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Steve & Jeannie Housewright - January 13, 2017 at 09:35 AM

SE

“ Sue Etheridge lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Sue Etheridge - January 13, 2017 at 07:14 AM

Taylor Ames

“ Taylor Ames lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Taylor Ames - January 13, 2017 at 07:13 AM

CL

“ Carol Hiller Loban lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Carol Hiller Loban - January 13, 2017 at 05:23 AM

EH

“ Ellen And David Hill lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Ellen and David Hill - January 12, 2017 at 09:53 PM

Jessie
Berry

“ Words can't explain how much Aunt Norma will be missed. It's hard to believe she's actually gone. She led me in my path to God and helped me grow close with him. I love you so much Aunt Norma. You will be missed greatly. <3

Jessie Berry - January 12, 2017 at 09:33 PM

JF

“ Jerry D Martin and Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Norma Webb Martin.



Jerry D Martin and Family - January 12, 2017 at 08:10 PM



“ Terry Anderson lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Terry Anderson - January 12, 2017 at 08:04 PM

JR

“ James And Diane Rainbolt lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



James and Diane Rainbolt - January 12, 2017 at 08:00 PM

NW

“ Neal & Carol Watkins lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Neal & Carol Watkins - January 12, 2017 at 07:50 PM

LC

“ Please accept our deepest sympathies and sincere condolences for the loss of this very special lady. May God bless and comfort you during this time.

Larry and Dianna Choate - January 12, 2017 at 07:33 PM

KH

“ We will truly miss Norma. She was always fun in water aerobics class. Steve enjoyed burning the brush pile for her. Now she is reunited with David in heaven and a sweet guardian angel watching over Vienna. Rest Miss Norma.

Kathy and Steve Hupe - January 12, 2017 at 07:32 PM

AH

“ Norma was always a constant supporter of mine and a great spiritual mentor. She taught me so much throughout my life and I owe her for helping to form me into the woman I am today. Until we meet again, Angie



Angie Harner - January 12, 2017 at 06:28 PM

SH

“ *Sandra Harner lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



sandra harner - January 12, 2017 at 06:21 PM

LH

“ *Lonnie And Cathy Hinton lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



Lonnie and Cathy Hinton - January 12, 2017 at 04:18 PM

JM

“ *Jeanne McKenzie lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



Jeanne McKenzie - January 12, 2017 at 04:15 PM

DS

“ *Doda Starkey lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



Doda Starkey - January 12, 2017 at 04:10 PM

PS

“ *Peggy Jean Smoot lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



Peggy Jean Smoot - January 12, 2017 at 03:58 PM

CH

“ *Cheryl Harris lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



Cheryl Harris - January 12, 2017 at 01:52 PM

SG

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I loved Norma for as long as I knew her. She was a very special person. Prayers for your family.*



Sondra Goins - January 12, 2017 at 12:14 PM

JS

“ *John & Nadene Slack lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



John & Nadene Slack - January 12, 2017 at 11:40 AM

LM

“ Larry And Carolyn McGill lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Larry and Carolyn McGill - January 12, 2017 at 11:37 AM

MS

“ Mike & Nancy Solomon lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Mike & Nancy Solomon - January 12, 2017 at 10:50 AM

MS

In loving memory of our dear neighbor and special friend.

Mike & Nancy Solomon - January 12, 2017 at 10:52 AM



“ Jeannie McCall lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin



Jeannie McCall - January 12, 2017 at 10:27 AM

JT

“ *J Tapley lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



J Tapley - January 12, 2017 at 10:12 AM

FM

“ *In memory of a special lady and dear friend. My sympathy and prayers for the family in their loss.*



Faye Mize - January 12, 2017 at 08:53 AM

CR

“ *Carol J Racey lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



Carol J Racey - January 12, 2017 at 08:46 AM

CR

It was a pleasure knowing Norma. She was a very loving person always finding good in everybody. She worked hard for her church and community, giving service where she could. She loved her family and spoke of them often. She will be missed.

Carol J Racey - January 12, 2017 at 08:53 AM

ER

“ *Elaine Rotan lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



Elaine Rotan - January 12, 2017 at 08:30 AM

SR

“ *Sheri Robinson lit a candle in memory of Norma Webb Martin*



Sheri Robinson - January 12, 2017 at 08:23 AM