

*Celebrate Life*

*Quiet the water flows down the hillside,  
Rain has fallen gently on the earth,  
Refreshing the air & flowers,  
Just like a rebirth.*

*Life is much like the water,  
Flowing, changing, lots of bother.  
God has gently brought us life,  
He refreshes us daily as we pray,  
Giving us all insight.*

*Christ says, Come unto me  
I will give you Rest.  
Welcoming, giving us our measure of faith;  
Helping us be our best.  
He is our Rock on which to stand,  
He will lead us by the hand.*

*When life is over & I'm at rest,  
Don't weep for me, I've done my best.  
Sing & celebrate the life I've lived,  
Read your bible, lead others to Christ and  
always be loving & willing to give.*

*Life is short, don't waste a day,  
help your neighbor along the way.  
Go to church, always begin the day with prayer,  
Celebrate life!*

*- Ann Bonacker, 2003*

**CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF  
Edna Ann Bonacker**

**BORN**  
February 19, 1942

**PASSED AWAY**  
May 9, 2025

**SERVICES**

2:00 p.m. ~ Wednesday, May 14, 2025  
Allee-Holman-Howe Funeral Home  
Camdenton, Missouri

**OFFICIATING**

Dusty Burns

**MUSICAL SELECTIONS**

"Where the Roses Never Fade"  
"Mansion Over the Hilltop"  
"It Is Well with My Soul"  
"I'll Fly Away"

**RESTING PLACE**

Pleasant Hill Cemetery  
Camdenton, Missouri

**ESCORTS**

Lance Brown      Tyler Brown      Darrin Schaub  
Terry Cook        Nicholas Cook      Chad Nelson

**HONORARY ESCORTS**

Jerry Rogers  
Caleb Brown Uchtman

**PROCESSION ESCORT PROVIDED BY**

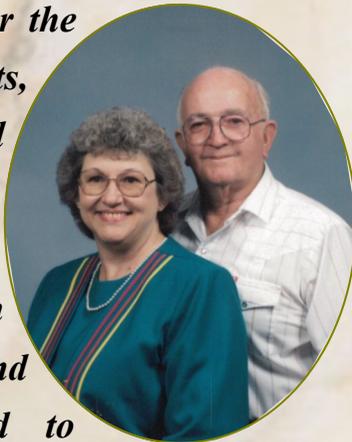
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*E*dna "Ann" Bonacker, daughter of Ed L. and Flossie L. (Gibson) Cyrus, was born on February 19, 1942, in a log cabin near Tunnel Dam, Camden County, Missouri, and departed this life to be with her Lord and Savior on May 9, 2025 in Lebanon, Missouri, at the age of 83.

On June 18, 1981, Ann was united in marriage to Carl L. Bonacker of Linn Creek, Missouri and over the next 22+ years they enjoyed traveling all over the U.S., going to swap meets, their "fur babies", and being self-employed in many businesses. He preceded her in death on April 14, 2004, and afterwards Ann moved to



*Lebanon to be near her daughters.*

*At the age of 17, Ann professed her faith in Christ and was a member of the Pleasant Hill Missionary Baptist Church of Camdenton, Missouri at the time of her death. As long as her health allowed, Ann enjoyed attending church and was especially fond of gospel music and fellowship events. She loved reading, drawing and painting, making greeting cards, and visiting with family and friends. She LOVED ice cream and her grandchildren! She has written many poems, children's books (of which she also illustrated), and a fiction novel.*

*Ann is survived by her daughters, Debbie (Chad) Nelson and Donna (Terry) Cook, all of Lebanon; 5 grandchildren, Lance Brown, Tyler (Lindsey) Brown, Cassie (Darrin) Schaub, Heather*



*Cook (Cory Mihalik), and Nicholas (Shannon) Cook; and 7 great-grandchildren, Caleb Brown Uchtman, Easton and Avery Brown, Reagan and Cove Schaub, Madelynn and Christopher Cook; her nephews and nieces, cousins, and friends.*

*She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Carl; her siblings, Theo Rogers, Loren Cyrus, Dora Mae Knox, and Margaret Pierce; niece, Anita Pierce; and nephews, Michael Pierce, Jimmy Rogers, and Johnny Rogers.*

*Ann was a loving mother, grandmother, great-grandmother and a caring neighbor & friend. Together we celebrate her life and will cherish the memories she created for her family and friends.*

