



Iona J. Belle Riggle

April 24, 1932 - October 17, 2025

Iona J. Belle Snyder Riggle, age 93 of Kuttawa, formerly from Between the Rivers, died at 3:17 am, Friday morning, October 17, 2025, in Lewisburg, TN. J Belle, whose exceptional baking skills yielded the most scrumptious coconut cake and whose fondness for two-dollar bills was well-known, will be deeply missed. Her presence illuminated any gathering, and her zest for life, particularly evident at the Friday night street dances, inspired countless people. Her love and legacy will be cherished. She loved to dance, to quilt and was an avid member of Between the River's Inc. along with the Red Hat Society, Woodmen of the World and was bestowed the prestigious title of Kentucky Colonel. J. Belle's parents were the late Henry Leonard Snyder and Cynthia Trimm Snyder. She was preceded in death by her husband, who passed away in 1997, Edward Lee Riggle; three brothers R. Lynn Snyder, Cleburne Hayes Snyder, Cecil Snyder and two sisters Maude Downing and Arvella Forsythe. Survivors include two daughters: Tammy Wilson and husband Mark of Shelbyville, TN, Linda Burgess and husband Lee of Lewisburg, TN, one grandson Luke Edward Wilson and wife Alexis of Beaufort, SC and two great grandchildren, Kinslee Wilson and Bodie Wilson both of Beaufort, SC and also several nieces and nephews. Funeral services will be held at 1:00 pm Friday, October 24, 2025 at Dunn's Funeral Home in Eddyville with Rev. Jimmy Jones officiating. Visitation will be from 11:00 am til 1:00 pm at Dunn's on Friday before the funeral. Burial will be at Macedonia Cemetery in Kuttawa.

Cemetery Details

Macedonia Cemetery

Kuttawa, KY

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **24**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Dunn's Funeral Home
301 W. Fairview Ave.
Eddyville, KY 42038
(270) 388-2231

Funeral Service

OCT **24**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Kathy & Glen planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Iona J. Belle Riggle.

Kathy & Glen - October 22, 2025 at 12:14 PM

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“ Kathy & Glen purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Iona J. Belle Riggle.



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“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Iona J. Belle Riggle.



October 21, 2025 at 10:17 AM

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“ J Belle was a wonderful friend and neighbor!! Judy and Dale Owen

Judy and Dale Owen - October 18, 2025 at 10:20 PM

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JBell was my partner in crime always doing what we done best EAT

connie sue Bailey - October 19, 2025 at 03:13 PM