



## Mary Cary

February 14, 1919 - January 11, 2021

Mary Katherine Cary, 101, passed away on January 11, 2021 at the Bloomfield Care Center in Bloomfield. She was born on February 14, 1919 in Davis County, Iowa to Otto and Faye Utt Church. She married Clell Cary on April 9, 1939. He passed away on April 3, 1987.

A resident of Davis County all her life, Mary milked cows, and raised sheep, hogs, goats, and chickens. She also sold eggs. She always had Boston Terriers for house dogs and there were always farm cats around. She loved her animals and they were all well cared for.

She is survived by a nephew, Teddy and Mary Bogert Cary.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; and two sisters, Betty Cary and Ruth Harper.

Graveside services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, January 14, 2021 at the IOOF Cemetery in Bloomfield with Pastor Jon Klaus officiating. No visitation is planned. Memorials may be made in her name to Good Samaritan Society Hospice.

# Cemetery Details

## IOOF Cemetery

620 North Madison Street  
Bloomfield, IA 52537

# Previous Events

## Graveside Services

JAN 14. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Cary*

January 28, 2023 at 10:57 AM

AK

“ *Mary Cary was such a light in my life (and in so many others). She taught me how to age with grace and so much more. I'll never forget how special she was to me. I love you Mary! Keep on the sunny side friend.*



**Audra Kincart** - January 15, 2021 at 03:43 PM

AK

“ *What a great women! Always worried about the animals in bad weather. Lunch with the law will not be the same without her and nobody could make a rooster sound as good as her after winning bingo. Always made me smile. What a joy to get to know her at the care center. Will miss her greatly!*

**Angie kopera** - January 14, 2021 at 07:03 PM

HV

“ *Mary Cary was a wonderful woman. We will all miss her greatly. I'm so glad I was able to care for her and hear about farming. I'll miss you Mary Cary. Biscuit and gravy days won't be the same without you.*



**Heather VanHemert** - January 13, 2021 at 09:59 PM

BV

“ *I have taken care of Mary for around 10 yrs. She has always been very special to me. Always making me laugh. Having wonderful talks. I will greatly miss her. I love you Mary cary!!*

**Bonnie Veatch** - January 12, 2021 at 07:30 PM

LB

“ Mary was a special lady. I always enjoyed talking to her when I went to visit Mom and Dad at the Care Center. She and Dad had gone to school together and the families had known each other forever. She always had a positive attitude and a song to sing. She ,are me laugh on one of the last times I saw her because she said she hadn't planned to go past her hundredth birthday, but when she went to see St Peter he said it wasn't her time and sent her back to “this hell hole.” . I imagine she's happy now. My condolences to the family.

Lana Boone - January 12, 2021 at 03:48 PM

RH

“ Sorry to hear of your loss. She lived a long life of 101 not many get that gift. Enjoy her memories, was a tough lady, reminds me of my Grandmother she too lived to be 101. God Bless and keep you all.

Ron and Fran Harris - January 12, 2021 at 01:58 PM

MB

“ Caring for Mary was one of my favorite things to do! She always asked how she looked today after brushing her hair and we told her beautiful as ever! She then would go on to tell us ok operator. She will be greatly missed! Always had us laughing!

Miranda blakley - January 12, 2021 at 11:34 AM

BM

“ Barbie Meredith lit a candle in memory of Mary Cary



Barbie Meredith - January 12, 2021 at 10:31 AM

SH

“ Susan Houglan lit a candle in memory of Mary Cary



Susan Houglan - January 12, 2021 at 10:06 AM

KS

“ My dad (Don Myers) loved to to joke around with Mary, he could always make her laugh. When I would visit him he always had something to tell me about her. She was a delight to know her. I’m so sorry for your loss

karen schafer - January 12, 2021 at 09:45 AM

CR

Mary was a bright light for residents and their families, too. “Keep on the sunny side!” She lifted our spirits many times. I hope that song never leaves my head ❤️

Colleen Reph - January 12, 2021 at 10:53 AM

BV

Karen she loved Don. Always talked about him

Bonnie Veatch - January 12, 2021 at 07:33 PM

LR

“ Lynn Roberts lit a candle in memory of Mary Cary



Lynn roberts - January 11, 2021 at 10:54 PM