



## Juanita A Branch

October 7, 1936 - December 21, 2015

Juanita A. Branch, 79, of Benton Harbor died Monday evening, Dec. 21, 2015, at the Royalton Manor in Royalton Township.

Services celebrating her life will be held at 11 AM on Monday, Dec 28, at the Crystal Springs Church of God in Benton Harbor. The visitation will begin at 10 AM on Monday at the church. Burial will be in Fort Custer National Cemetery in Battle Creek on Tuesday. Memorial may be made to the Crystal Springs Church of God. Arrangements are by the Fairplain Chapel of Florin Funeral Service. Please share memories, messages or photos at [www.florin.net](http://www.florin.net).

Juanita was born in Caruthersville, MO on Oct. 7, 1936 to Otto and Reba (Cantrell) Beal. She married Richard M. Branch on Nov. 19, 1977. She enjoyed being a beautician in numerous beauty shops in the St. Joe area for 37 years. She is a member of the Crystal Springs Church of God. In addition to reading her Bible and the local paper, she enjoyed oil painting and working with leaded glass. Juanita with her husband loved to walk and talk with people on the St Joseph Bluff. She also volunteered as a beautician at the High Rise and at the Soup Kitchen. Juanita was a caring, giving, and outgoing individual who loved and enjoyed her grandchildren.

Juanita is survived by her husband, Richard; her children, Charles Imler of

Benton Harbor, Barbara Inch of Galloway, OH, Richard "Rich" Imler of Stevensville and Jeanne White of Niles; her sisters, Carolyn Ballard of Watervliet and Dorothy McClennan of Green Bay, WI and her 4 grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her brother, Joseph Beal and her sisters, Vivian Hart, Naomi Miller, and Demetra Lape.

# Cemetery Details

## Fort Custer National Cemetery

15501 Dickman Rd  
Augusta, MI 49012

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC 28. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Crystal Springs Church of God  
1465 Pipestone Rd.  
Benton Harbor, MI 49022

## Services Celebrating Her Life

DEC 28. 11:00 AM (ET)

Crystal Springs Church of God  
1465 Pipestone Rd.  
Benton Harbor, MI 49022

## Luncheon

DEC 28. 12:00 PM (ET)

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## Burial

DEC **29** (ET)

Fort Custer National Cemetery  
15501 Dickman Rd  
Augusta, MI 49012

# Tribute Wall

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“ *Dear Richard, I am so sorry for your loss!!! I will always remember her in the choir. May you be comforted in knowing that she is in no pain!!! Love, Chris Nails*

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**Christina Nails** - January 02, 2016 at 09:47 AM

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“ *Chuck,  
On behalf of SJHS Class of 1973, I would like to offer our deepest condolences on the passing of your mother. Please know that your classmate's thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

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**Darcy (Eisenhart) Stuck** - December 23, 2015 at 08:38 PM