



## Lois L. (Ochs) Beard

April 6, 1932 - August 24, 2023

Lois L. (Ochs) Beard, 91, of North Huntingdon, died Thursday, August 24, 2023. She was born April 6, 1932 in Wilmerding, a daughter of the late Walter E. and Anna Marie (Master) Ochs. Lois was a retired secretary working for Dormont Manufacturing in Delmont and Redstone Highlands in North Huntingdon. She was a Collegian in the Women of the Moose, Lodge 171, Irwin and enjoyed bowling. She was a member of New Hope Presbyterian Church, North Huntingdon. In addition to her parents she is preceded in death by her husband William J. Beard Sr., her son William J. Beard Jr., and siblings Raymond Ochs, Jane Mann and Agnes Rowles. She is survived by her children Cheryl Ann (Jeff) O'Neill of North Huntingdon and James W. (Vivian) Beard of Newport News, VA; her grandchildren Jeffrey O'Neill and his fiancé Tabytha Sant, Brittne Beard, and James W. Beard; also niece and nephew Nancy (John) Harr and Thomas Rowles. Friends will be received from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday at the William Snyder Funeral Home, 521 Main Street, Irwin, 724-863-1200. A funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. Monday in New Hope Presbyterian Church with Pastor Brenda Barnes, officiating. Interment will follow in Penn Lincoln Memorial Park. In lieu of flowers a contribution in Lois's name can be made to New Hope Presbyterian Church or Pet Friends. For online condolences please visit [www.snyderfuneralservices.com](http://www.snyderfuneralservices.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Penn Lincoln Memorial Park

14679 U.S. 30  
North Huntingdon, PA 15642

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 27.** 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

William Snyder Funeral Home, Inc.  
521 Main Street  
Irwin, PA 15642  
(724) 863-1200  
<https://williamsnyderfuneralhome.com/>

## Funeral Ceremony

**AUG 28.** 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (ET)

New Hope Presbyterian Church  
12727 Lincoln Way  
North Huntingdon, PA 15642

# Tribute Wall



“ *Lois L. (Ochs) Beard*

October 07, 2023 at 10:37 AM



“ *What a wonderful honor it was to be one of Lois's hairstylist's. Every time I saw her she was dressed beautiful and wanted to look her best! Cheryl and Jeff, you both took such wonderful care of her! Please accept my deepest sympathy and love in this most difficult time!! 🙏❤️*

**Becky Olson** - August 27, 2023 at 03:36 PM



“ *You and Jeff are in my thoughts. My love and sympathy go out to you. GOD Bless you all at a time like this and forever more. Lois H.*

**lois hancock** - August 26, 2023 at 03:55 PM



“ *Donna and I send our deepest sympathies, so sorry for your loss!*

**Dennis & Donna Mickanin** - August 25, 2023 at 06:04 PM