

**SHEILA D. PURCELL**

**May 7, 1947 - Feb. 26, 2005**

**GALVESTON --** Sheila D. Purcell, 57, Galveston, formerly of Vincennes, went home to be with the Lord Saturday Feb. 26, 2005, from Indiana University Medical Center in Indianapolis. Born May 7, 1947, in Connersville, she was a daughter of Joseph L. and Kathleen L. (Frederick) Donahay. On Aug. 7, 1965, in Bicknell, she married the Rev. Warren K. Purcell and he survives.

She was a graduate of North Knox High School in Bicknell and was employed as an Inpatient Coder for Howard Regional Health System in Kokomo. She had also worked for Community Hospital in Indianapolis, and Clay County Hospital.

She was an active member of First Baptist Church in Galveston.

Surviving with her husband, Rev. Warren K. Purcell, Galveston, are a son and daughter-in-law, Jeffrey W. and Dawn M. Purcell, Coatesville; a daughter and son-in-law, Julie J. and David F. Adams, Brownsberg; and three grandchildren, Haley and Adam Purcell, and Max Adams. She was preceded in death by her parents and one sister, Sherry M. Donahay.

Services are 11 a.m. Wednesday at the First Baptist Church, 207 S. Sycamore St., Galveston, with the Rev. David Ferry, Dr. Kenneth Adams, and the Rev. Jesse Horner officiating. Burial will be in Galveston Cemetery. Friends may call 3 to 8 p.m. Tuesday and one hour prior to service time at the church on Wednesday. Memorials may be made to the First Baptist Church Building Fund in Galveston. Arrangements were entrusted to Murray-Weaver Funeral Home in Galveston.

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