



Carolyn Jean Williams

October 29, 1930 - February 5, 2025

IN MEMORY OF:

Carolyn Jean Williams

Serving Location:

CRAIN PLEASANT GROVE-MURDALE FUNERAL HOME

31 Memorial Drive, Murphysboro, Illinois

Carolyn Jean Williams, age 94, of Murphysboro, passed away on Wednesday, February 5, 2025 at Herrin Hospital.

She was born on October 29, 1930 to Paul and Mary (Pierson) Higgeson in Murphysboro, Illinois. On May 13, 1949, she married Robert "Bob" Williams and together they spent 55 years together until his death in October of 2004.

Carolyn had worked as a telephone operator. She attended Christ Community Church. She loved her dog, Dixie. In her later years, she was cared for by Kim Varnum and Jamie Swafford and counted on her dear friend, Rose Evans for support.

Along with her parents and husband, she is preceded in death by her brother,

Franklin Higginson; and sister, Merldene Yates.

Funeral services will be held on Tuesday, February 11, 2025 at 1:00 PM with Deacon Robert Herd officiating at Crain Pleasant Grove – Murdale Funeral Home. Visitation will be held the day of service from 11:00 AM until 1:00 PM at the funeral home.

Interment will follow the funeral service at Bradley Cemetery in Denmark, Illinois.

Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Bradley Cemetery

Denmark, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 11. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home - Old 13
31 Memorial Dr.
Murphysboro, IL 62966
(618) 687-2500
crain@crainsonline.com

Funeral Service

FEB 11. 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM (CT)

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Interment

FEB 11. 2:15 PM - 2:45 PM.

Bradley Cemetery
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