

Cheryl Irene Ellis

October 30, 1947 - May 7, 2022

Cheryl Irene Ellis, age 74 of Vergennes, passed away Saturday, May 7, 2022 in Memorial Hospital of Carbondale.

She was born October 30, 1947 in Chicago to George and Christine (Melson) Meadows.

On June 12, 1969 she married Elmer Ellis. Together they shared almost 53 years of making wonderful memories.

For many years Cheryl had worked at the Apple Tree Inn. She loved to sing at church and also enjoying doing karaoke.

She was a member of the 1st Assembly of God Church in Murphysboro.

Cheryl is survived by her loving husband, Elmer of Vergennes; her children, Donald (Sherry) Ellis of Vergennes; Tammy (Dennis) Doty of Murphysboro; Kathy Ellis of Vergennes and Matthew (Kerrah) Ellis of Vergennes; grandchildren; Nicki; Zach; Briana; Morgan; Cody; Tyler; Trent; Zack; Riley; Chase and Matthew; great-grandchildren; Connor; Rayleigh; Brynlee; Cailynn and Braxton; two sisters, Debbie Hindman of Murphysboro and Alice Barber of IN; nieces; nephews; other relatives and many friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents; a sister, Georgia Anna Fox; a grandson, Kyle Ellis and a great-granddaughter, Charlette Rae.

Funeral Services for Cheryl Irene Ellis will be Thursday, May 12, 2022 at 11:00 am in Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home with Rev. Richy Pyatt and Rev. Dean Aiken officiating. Entombment will follow in Pleasant Grove Memorial Park Mausoleum.

Visitation will be Wednesday, May 11, 2022 from 5:00 pm until 8:00 pm at the funeral home.

In lieu of flowers, expressions of gratitude may be directed to the Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home to help offset funeral expenses.

Cemetery Details

Pleasant Grove Memorial Park Mausoleum

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 11. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

MAY 12. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall



“ Cheryl Irene Ellis

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ I will always be so thankful to God, for September 2016. My sister spent 3 weeks with me, at my home in Tennessee. We would sit out on our deck and talk until the sun came up, most of the time. We learned so much about each other, in that 3 weeks. She had been christian for a long time. Her memory of the bible was amazing. We prayed together every day, when she was with me. I will miss her so much. She had such a pretty singing voice. I know she is running up and down the streets of gold in heaven, and singing to Jesus.

My sister was such an inspiration to me, in the way she knew the bible and loved the Lord. She always tried to have a good attitude, considering all her health challenges. She would tell anyone she talked to, she wasn't worried or scared about dying. Instead she would say, she was excited and ready to go and be with God. I hope everyone who reads this, can experience the same kind of love and attitude about trusting in God.

I may not have my beautiful sister here, but she will always be in my thoughts and heart.

Allie Barber - May 10, 2022 at 10:55 PM

DE

“ Sherry and i were very close when we were young as we got older and married, we went defeat ways. the last 5 years we have got back as we were before, and we would talk three times a week for about 2 hours. WE talked a lot about when we were young and how are life was then i will miss that a lot. Love you more than you know as you would say love you more no, we loved each other more than we can say. Love you to the moon and back always. You will be in my heart for every WE will be together some day.

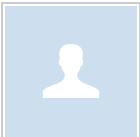
Debbie - May 10, 2022 at 03:50 AM



“ Elmer, I am sorry to hear about your wife. I hope that your memories will be a comfort to you and your family.

Cathy Hines-Boulton

Cathy Hines-Boulton - May 09, 2022 at 07:42 PM



“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Cheryl Irene Ellis.



May 09, 2022 at 04:25 PM