



DeLorise Mae Tank

December 12, 1929 - March 27, 2019

DeLorise Mae Tank, 89, of Murphysboro, passed away at 11:45 a.m. Wednesday, March 27, 2019, at Shawnee Christian Nursing Home in Herrin, Illinois.

DeLorise was born on December 12, 1929, in Lewiston, Township, Wisconsin, to Clyde Langley and Lola (Corning) Langley.

She was a housewife and a farmer's wife. She had also worked as a certified nurse's aide in nursing homes.

She liked to crochet and loved to put puzzles together.

DeLorise married Alburn Graves on August 8, 1953, and he preceded her in death in January of 2001. She later married Donald Tank and he preceded her in death on June 2, 2005.

She is survived by 3 children Diane Burke and her husband Mike Burke of Murphysboro, Dan Graves and his companion Linda of Edgerton, WI, and Deborah Schroeder and her husband Shawn of Marshall, WI;

ten grandchildren and twenty-four great grandchildren;

and one sister Bernie Stiefner of Rockford, IL.

She was preceded in death by three sisters Laoma Wills, Eleanore Topham, and Dorothy Ness, and her parents.

Her body will be cremated.

The family would prefer memorials be made to the American Cancer Society and may be made through the funeral home. For more information please visit www.pettettfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *DeLorise Mae Tank*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *My prayers and condolences to the family. I was part of the Graves family for over 25 years. May the Lord help you find comfort at this time.*

Mary Graves - March 28, 2019 at 09:15 PM



“ *Mom, you will be missed. So many memories, pictures, crochet blankets and quilts, car rides, your impeccable flower gardens and gardening and visits for coffee and lunch at cafes. Thank you for giving me an appreciation of the country life and most of all your helping raise me. You and Dad showed me so much love when I got married. And babysat our son his first year of life. Rest now in peace. Love always, Debbie, Shaun and Van*

Debbie Schroeder - March 28, 2019 at 05:17 PM



“ *May the family of DeLorise Mae Tank please accept my sincere condolences hoping you find comfort in God's words at Acts 24:15 and Psalm 37:29.*

JD - March 28, 2019 at 12:54 PM