



Doris Jean Ellis

July 5, 1945 - December 23, 2021

Doris Jean Ellis, age 76, of Murphysboro, passed away on Thursday, December 23, 2021 at 11:50 p.m. in Memorial Hospital of Carbondale.

Doris was born on July 5, 1945 in Herrin, a daughter of Marion Douglas and Gladys Mae (Doering) Parks. She married Freddie Lorene Ellis on August 13, 1964 and he preceded her in death on October 6, 2017. Doris was a breast cancer survivor. She was a homemaker and loved gardening and her livestock. She especially loved spending time with her children and grandchildren. She was a member of Ava Assembly of God.

Survivors include her son, Ketih Ellis of Ava; two daughters, Melody Hill of Murphysboro and Lorna (Timothy) Edgar of Ava; two sisters, Dora Mae McCormick of Lockport, Illinois and Sheila Wece of West Frankfort; two brothers, Jess (Goldie) Parks of Fairfield and Billy (Phyllis) Parks of Thompsonville; four grandchildren, Amber, Ashly, Christopher and Jeremy; seven great-grandchildren, Brooklyn, Phalin, Brylyn, Nevaeh, Nora Jean, Grayson and Nala; and several nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one brother, Robert (Daisy) Parks; and one sister, Francis (Victor) Pearce.

Funeral services will be held at Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home

on Monday, December 27, 2021 at 11:00 a.m. with Reverend Steve Raglin officiating. Interment will follow in Pleasant Grove Memorial Park.

Visitation will be held at the funeral home on Monday from 9:00 a.m. until the hour of service.

Memorials may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital and will be accepted at the funeral home.

Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home has been entrusted with the arrangements.

To view the obituary or to leave an online condolence for the family, please visit www.crainsonline.com.

Cemetery Details

Pleasant Grove Memorial Park

31 Memorial Dr.
Murphysboro, IL 62966
(618) 687-1145
crain@crainsonline.com

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 27. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdale Funeral Home - Old 13
31 Memorial Dr.
Murphysboro, IL 62966
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Funeral Service

DEC 27. 11:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Doris Jean Ellis*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Aunt Doris was a wonderful person and will be greatly missed. I ask God to bless and watch over her children and their families during this time.*

*Love,
Kevin and Patty Verseman*

Patty Verseman - December 28, 2021 at 11:29 AM