Gwendolyn "Jean" Plucker

May 6, 1938 - February 15, 2025

IN MEMORY OF:

Gwendolyn “Jean” Plucker

Serving Location:
CRAIN PLEASANT GROVE-MURDALE FUNERAL HOME
31 Memorial Drive, Murphysboro, Illinois

Gwendolyn “Jean” Plucker, age 86, of Murphysboro, left this world to go to her heavenly home on Saturday, February 15, 2025 at 8:35 AM after coffee with her son at her residence.

She was born on May 6, 1938 and was adopted by Paul K. and Georgia “Varnum” Meadors at age 5. They also adopted one birth brother, Paul L. Meadors. Gwendolyn lost contact with two other brothers until late in life. One brother and her only sister died before the adoption.

Gwen married Leslie Plucker, and they had three children, Connie (Stanley) Fowler of Carbondale, IL, Cindy (Dale) Armstrong of Blue Springs, MO, and Curtis Eric (Janet) Plucker of Murphysboro, IL who will miss her and her

strong coffee. Also left to treasure her memory are nine grandchildren, 11 great-grandchildren, and one brother, Ray of California.

Gwen enjoyed her flowers, her family, and reading her Bible. She always loved Jesus and was quick to testify when opportunity arose.

Gwen is preceded in death by her husband, Leslie; daughter, Cindy, which broke Gwen's heart; son-in-law, Dale; her parents, Paul and Georgia Meadors; grandsons Bobby Armstrong and Stanley Paul Fowler, both of whom died too soon; brothers, Paul L. Meadors, William Howard Higginbotham and Raymond Harold Higginbotham; and one sister, Hermeina Carol Higginbotham.

Gwen's life was full of heartache, but she found happiness in her family, she found love in her children, and peace in her faith.

She often said "I'll miss you all here, but will be happy to reunite with the ones that passed before me."
Per her request, there will be no services as she wants everyone to remember her as she was.

The family requests with gratitude that memorial contributions be made to the donor's choice in memory of Gwen.

The cremation of Gwendolyn "Jean" Plucker will be personally handled by the staff of Crain Funeral Home.

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

Tribute Wall

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Condolences to Jean's family. I remember you, Cindy, and your Mother.
Your grandparents lived across the street from my grandmother.
They lived next to Logan school, mine lived across the street on the corner.
So sorry for your loss.

Suzie Naegele - February 21, 2025 at 08:30 PM

MC

Connie, I am sorry for your loss.

Marxia Chew - February 20, 2025 at 08:34 PM

So sorry to hear that Jean has passed. it's been a while since we spoke. I have had her on my mind a lot lately..

Roberta Geren - February 21, 2025 at 01:00 PM

My only sister big sister. sorry we have lost touch..may you rest in peace until we see each other again, Love Forever

Roberta Geren - February 21, 2025 at 01:09 PM

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I remember Jeanie plucker when I was a young man still in grade school in high school. Used to go to her house to visit Bob Ellis he was over road truck driver. Used to go down to visit with jeane and Bob. For many years until Bob passed away. She was a good lady inside and out she had a heart of gold and she liked showing her hospitality whenever you showed up at her house.. R.I.P UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN ON THIS OTHER SIDE OF THIS WORLD. FLY HIGH YOU'VE EARNED YOUR GOLD WINGS LADY. REJOICE IN THE HEAVENS ABOVE THE DAY THAT YOU'VE LONG TO SEE HAS CAME. YOUR LORD AND SAVIOR HAS ACCEPTED YOU INTO HIS HOUSE AND ALL THE ANGELS WERE THERE TO GREET YOU WHEN YOU LEFT THIS WORLD. UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN SENDING THE HUGS AND PRAYERS FOR YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS LEFT BEHIND HERE ON EARTH.

timmy tolbert - February 20, 2025 at 12:12 PM

I'm going to miss you Jean, I truly loved Jean and respected her. She was extremely kind and wonderful to have a cup of coffee with. Always loved sitting and chatting with her and gable her dog liss them both.

Penney Ditzler Icenogle - February 20, 2025 at 01:24 PM

Oh the memories of coffee, kindness and laughter.. very sweet woman, who treated everyone who came unto her path in life, welcomed and like family.. So very sorry for your loss..

Marcy Thomas - February 21, 2025 at 12:20 AM