



Kerry Kathlyn Varner

November 30, 1942 - August 8, 2018

Kerry Kathlyn Varner, age 75 of Murphysboro, passed away Wednesday, August 8, 2018 at her home.

She was born November 30, 1942 to Claude and Lula (Bryan) Graff in Murphysboro.

She had owned and operated Bookends Book Store for 3 years. She was a homemaker and loved to cook. She loved animals especially her dog, Tony. She loved to RV and read. She played the piano very well and played by ear.

Kerry had a great sense of humor and was loved by all.

She was a member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church of Murphysboro.

Kerry is survived by her sons, Scott Varner of Murphysboro and Mark (Julie) Varner of Franklin; siblings, Russell K. Graff of Webster Groves, MO; L. June Ashman of Murphysboro and Sandra I. Graff of St. Louis, MO; her sweetheart, Donald R. Davis of Murphysboro; nieces, nephews, other relatives and many friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, siblings, Claude L. Graff; N. Joann Ferrell and Priscilla Oien; and a brother-in-law, Gary Ashman.

Funeral Services for Kerry Kathlyn Varner will be Saturday, August 11, 2018 at 11:30 am in Immanuel Lutheran Church with Rev. Joe Hoem officiating.

Visitation will be from 10:30 am until the hour of service at the church.

Interment will follow at Murdale Gardens of Memory.

In lieu of flowers, memorials can be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital and will be accepted at the funeral.

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

Cemetery Details

Murdale Gardens of Memory

137 Murdale Gardens Rd
Murphysboro, IL 62966
(618) 687-1145
crain@crainsonline.com

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 11. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

Immanuel Lutheran Church
1915 Pine St
Murphysboro, IL 62966
(618) 684-3012

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ Kerry Kathlyn Varner

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ Dear Mark & family: So sorry to see that Kerry has passed away. She was such a lovely person and devoted mother. Thinking of you and Christian and all your early antics --she met these all with humor and tolerance. Keeping you and Scott in my thoughts and prayers.....Janet Baril

janet B - August 16, 2018 at 09:44 AM



“ Scott, sorry for your loss, havent talked to you for a while , RANDY KAEMPFE RANDYS SERVICE CHESTER IL

RANDY KAEMPFE - August 12, 2018 at 10:22 AM



“ Sorry to hear about Kerry. I knew her when she was married to Bob garner. She was always nice. Roger

roger - August 11, 2018 at 04:31 PM



“ Love's Journey was purchased for the family of Kerry Kathlyn Varner.



August 10, 2018 at 01:10 AM

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“ To Mark and your family and friends, we at O'Reilly Auto Parts Store 4915 Franklin, TN send our sympathy and condolences to you and yours

Will Madden O'Reilly Auto Parts - August 09, 2018 at 08:52 PM