



Linda Kay Ryan

November 23, 1955 - October 17, 2020

Linda Kay (Riggs) Ryan, 64, of Dongola passed away at 4:00pm on Saturday, October 17, 2020 at Southeast Hospital in Cape Girardeau.

She was born November 23, 1955 in Cairo, the daughter of William Henry and Elsie Geraldine (Schierbaum) Riggs. She married Jim Ford on June 3, 1972. He preceded her in death on February 9, 1976.

Linda retired from Laborer's Local 773, where she had worked as a claims processor and previously a supervisor of health insurance. Her day revolved around her family and you couldn't find a more proud grandma than her. Linda was baptized at Macedonia Baptist Church.

She survived by her daughters, Jessi Causey and Kisha Hileman; grandchildren, Kaden Greer, Kasen Causey, Ryan (Hannah) Hileman and Nathan Hileman; great-grandchild, Josie Hileman; brothers, Gary Riggs and Keith Palmer; sisters, Melissa Palmer and Mickie Grear; former husband, John Ryan; nieces, nephews and other relatives.

She was preceded in death by her parents and brother, Charles Allen Palmer.

Visitation will be from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 21, 2020 at Crain Funeral Home in Dongola.

Funeral services for Linda Ryan will be at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, October 22, 2020 at the funeral home. Interment will follow at the American Legion Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to Crain Funeral Home to help with funeral expenses.

Cemetery Details

American Legion

Dongola, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **21**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Crain Funeral Home - Dongola
106 NW Front St.
Dongola, IL 62926
866-592-7246
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Service

OCT **22**. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Linda Kay Ryan*

October 23, 2023 at 06:26 AM



“ *Judi Patrick and Family purchased the Beautiful i
n Blue for the family of Linda Kay Ryan.*



Judi Patrick and Family - October 20, 2020 at 02:15 PM



“ *To our dear friend Kisha and her family, may
loving memories of your Mother and
Grandmother bring you peace, comfort, and
strength in the days ahead. We are keeping
you close in heart during this difficult time.
Love always, Al, Jane & David*



Jane - October 19, 2020 at 10:40 PM



“ *Prayers and thoughts to Kaden. I know how
much you loved your grandmother. She has
left you with wonderful memories. Love you
Aunt Kathy*



kathy jennings - October 19, 2020 at 09:05 PM

JC

I was going thru pictures tonight and I came across a pic of you holding Kaden shortly after he was born. Jackie brought you up to our home to meet and love on him. It was a beautiful picture! Thank you for condolences for Kaden. We appreciate them. He and my mom were always like peas and carrots as he grew up. She certainly loves her grandchildren more than anything in the world.

Jessi causey - October 21, 2020 at 01:52 AM

TO

“ I’m sorry for y’all’s loss! But this Lady has been my best friend for 15 years! Even though we did not get to see each other much as I live in ga but the bond never changed! Fly home to Jesus,! No more pain! Love you so much! Toni

Toni - October 19, 2020 at 06:08 PM

JC

Thank you so much toni. You were a wonderful friend whom she loved dearly. I heard her say that many times. Love yo your family too!

Jessi causey - October 21, 2020 at 01:55 AM

JC

“ everything”



Jessi causey - October 19, 2020 at 05:09 PM

CD

“ All my thoughts & prayers are with you all - your Mom was such a nice lady and will be missed. Chris & Gerald Droge Anna IL.

christina droge - October 19, 2020 at 03:06 PM