



Lois Janet Klump

July 26, 1936 - July 22, 2025

IN MEMORY OF:

Lois Janet Klump

Serving Location:

CRAIN PLEASANT GROVE-MURDALE FUNERAL HOME

31 Memorial Drive, Murphysboro, Illinois

Lois Janet Klump, age 88, of Elkhart, passed away on Tuesday, July 22, 2025 at her home surrounded by family.

Lois was born on July 26, 1936 to Herbert and Cova (Ables) Chamness in Carbondale, Illinois. On October 19, 1959, she married William Klump, Sr. and spent over 55 years together until his passing on July 24, 2015.

In 1958 she graduated with her bachelors degree from Southern Illinois University. She went on to work at the Maytag Factory in Herrin, where she eventually retired. Her hard working nature reflected an innate toughness that she embodied throughout her life.

Lois was a country girl through and through. She enjoyed spending time

outside whether it was mowing the lawn, tending her vegetable garden, or feeding the hummingbirds. She loved camping at the lake and having a nice cold beer whenever the opportunity presented itself. A lover of sports, she was an avid University of Kentucky Wildcats Basketball fan. (Go big blue!)

Most of all, Lois loved her family including the grand-dogs. She expressed love through cooking; and was never more content than when you went back for seconds. She was sweet and kind in her own way and was always there for friends and family during difficult times. Lois was feisty, fun, and deeply loved.

Survivors include her children, Alice Mohr, William (Danielle) Klump, Jr., Janet Klump, and Herl Klump; five grandchildren, Shelly (Patrick) Tullis, Billy Klump, Trenton Klump, Crystal (Caleb) Keigley, and David Kennedy; along with one great-grandson, Jaxson Kennedy.

Along with her parents and husband, she is preceded in death by her daughter-in-law, Patricia Klump; great-grandson, Elliot Tullis; sister, Lillian Costello; and brother Billy Chamness.

No services will be held at this time.

The cremation of Lois Janet Klump 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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So sorry Alice and Janet! Praying for all you thru your loss!

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