



## Lorraine "Lori" Marie Laughland

April 4, 1951 - September 19, 2020

Lorraine "Lori" Marie Laughland, 69, of Murphysboro, passed away at her residence in Murphysboro on Saturday, September 19, 2020.

Lori was born on April 4, 1951, in Princeton, Illinois, to Richard Joles, Jr. and Ruth (Prentice) Joles.

Mrs. Laughland had worked in nursing at the Jackson County Nursing Home in Murphysboro, where she retired.

She loved to cook, garden and she had a "green thumb". She was an avid reader, an excellent seamstress, and she loved to sing.

Lori married John R. Laughland on July 18, 2002, in Murphysboro, and he survives.

Other survivors include two daughters Melissa (Shawn) Starke of Belleville, IL and Heather (David) Etherton of Carterville;

one step son Michael (Marian) Laughland of Murphysboro;

eight grandchildren Morgan Starke of Flint, MI, David Starke of O'Fallon, IL, Lara Starke of Belleville, Shane Laughland of Murphysboro, Danielle

Laughland of Cartersville, Garrett Etherton, and Gabrielle Etherton, both of DeSoto, and Alexis Laughland of Murphysboro;

five great grandchildren Travis Smith, Allyson Smith, Shawn Smith, Haley Jines, and Grant Etherton;

one sister Cheryl Joles of CO and one brother Tom Joles of KY.

She was preceded in death by four brothers, two sisters, and her parents.

Gravesite services will be held for both Lori and John at 11 a.m. Tuesday, September 29, 2020, at Pleasant Grove Memorial Park with Rev. Charles Allen officiating. Military Services in honor of John's service to his country will be conducted by the Paul Stout American Legion Post # 127 of Murphysboro.

Family and friends may meet at the cemetery before the services from 10:30 a.m. to 11 a.m. Tuesday.

In lieu of flowers in memory of Lori, the family would prefer memorials to be made to St. Jude's Children's Hospital and in memory of John, the family would prefer memorials to be made to the Wounded Warriors.

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