



Mary D. Compton

October 9, 1950 - May 30, 2025

IN MEMORY OF:

Mary D. Compton

Serving Location:

CRAIN PLEASANT GROVE-MURDALE FUNERAL HOME

31 Memorial Drive, Murphysboro, Illinois

Mary D. Compton, Age 74, of Murphysboro, passed away on Friday, May 30, 2025 at Parkway Manor in Marion, Illinois.

She was born on October 9, 1950 to Alvin Dawan and Charlotte Ann (Paul) Ford in Murphysboro, Illinois. Mary was married to Thurman Compton and spent many years together until his passing.

Mary was a homemaker and enjoyed crafts, sewing, and canning. She was quite the entrepreneur and was the “goodest cook ever” and made the most amazing Bread and Butter Pickles.

Survivors include her daughter, Tami Compton; son, Andy Compton; 12 grandchildren; 27 great-grandchildren; two brothers, Alan (Alicia) Ford and

Tom (Debbie) Carlock; and several other relatives.

Along with her husband, she is preceded in death by her father, Alvin Dawan Ford; mother, Charlotte Ann Clampet; step-father, Dwight Clampet; and sons, Michael Warthen and Brian Compton.

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

A private graveside service will be held at a later date at Walker Hill Cemetery.

The cremation of Mary D. Compton will be personally handled by the staff of Crain Funeral Home.

Cemetery Details

Walker Hill Cemetery

Grand Tower, IL

Tribute Wall

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“ I remember one time when Mary & I had all the grandkids & was driving home. Mary was driving & we got pulled over by the police- Mary handed him her license-he said “ma’am-these have been expired for 2 years! The look on Mary’s face was priceless & she was speechless-I ended up driving home-she was so embarrassed-she always had a smile & was so funny. See you in the new system-love you.

Deb Faverty - June 03, 2025 at 06:23 PM

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“ I love you Mary. She was an amazing woman. So loving, giving and caring.

Pam Burris - June 02, 2025 at 03:52 PM