



Joyce L. Clutz

September 1, 1942 - August 31, 2024

Joyce L. Clutz, 81, of Kankakee, passed away peacefully on Saturday, August 31, 2024, at Riverside Medical Center.

She was born on September 1, 1942, the daughter of Robert and Naomi Collette. On February 9, 1963, she married Robert W. Clutz at St. Rose Lima of Kankakee. Joyce took pride in raising her daughters and making their house a home.

She enjoyed going on Facebook, playing POGO, and watching the hummingbirds and cardinals. She really loved the fall season. Joyce loved to host euchre and dice parties with friends in her younger years. Most of all she enjoyed spending time with her family. Anytime she could spend with her daughters and grandson, she was overjoyed. Joyce loved nothing more than being a mother.

Joyce is survived by her loving husband of 61 years, Robert Clutz of Kankakee; her beloved daughters, Jackie (Ronald) Unger of Limestone, Cathy (Shawn) Hamende of Bonfield; grandson, Matthew Hourihan Jr. of Kankakee; sisters-in-law, Linda Morrison of Aroma Park, Carol McMurray of Texas, and Barbara Clutz of Buckingham; as well as many nieces, nephews, and cousins.

She is preceded in death by her parents; a grandson, Steven Hourihan; her

in-laws, George and Celena Clutz.

A Celebration of Life will be held on Friday, September 20, 2024, from 4 PM to 7 PM at Jensen Funeral Home of Kankakee, Illinois.

Memorials may be made to the wishes of the family.

Previous Events

Celebration of Life

SEP **20**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Jensen Funeral Home
3639 EAST State Route 17
Kankakee, IL 60901
jensenfuneralhomes@yahoo.com

Tribute Wall

LS

“Joyce and I started first grade together at Longfellow school in West Kankakee. We lived a block apart and walked to school together and spent time at each other's homes for "girl" time. I knew her parents to be very nice people. Lois David Swartz

Lois Swartz - January 10, 2025 at 12:14 PM

DF

“Deb Foltz lit a candle in memory of Joyce L. Clutz



Deb Foltz - September 20, 2024 at 02:11 PM

DC

“Dedra C. planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Joyce L. Clutz.

Dedra C. - September 19, 2024 at 06:48 PM

SV

“Susan Vining lit a candle in memory of Joyce L. Clutz



Susan Vining - September 16, 2024 at 04:20 PM

SV

“ I'm a cousin of Joyce and Bob. Joyce was always kind to me. She was a good person. She will be missed by many I'm sure 😭😭

Susan Vining - September 16, 2024 at 04:19 PM

TC

“ Love and miss you aunt Joyce so much rest in peace

Tammy chinski - September 12, 2024 at 10:19 PM

VK

“ Such a great friend, and so many wonderful memories for 60+ years. Love you joy. ❤️

Vi Knight - September 08, 2024 at 03:20 PM

SC

“ Bob I am so sorry to hear about Joyce. She was always had such a beautiful smile every time I saw her. I think of you and her with fond memories. Sherry Cummins



Sherry Cummins - September 06, 2024 at 10:31 AM

TZ

“ Aunt Joyce was such a beautiful person. My deepest condolences to Uncle Bob, Jackie, Cathy and Matt. I will always cherish our last talk and the years we spent at family gatherings. Heaven didn't just gain an Angel it gained one of the wisest women I had the privilege of knowing and also calling family. Rest well Aunt Joyce

Terrance Ziemann - September 06, 2024 at 12:34 AM



“ *Bob and family sorry for your loss. May Joyce Rest in Peace.*

Jane Westerhoff - September 05, 2024 at 02:20 PM



“ *Love and miss you Mom, till we meet again.*
Jackie



Jackie Unger - September 05, 2024 at 11:08 AM