



Glenda S. Nelson

February 27, 1940 - July 2, 2021

Glenda Sue Nelson, 81, of East Peoria, passed away on Friday, July 2, 2021 at her home. She was born on February 27, 1940 to Lucille Wells in Paragould, AR. She married Kenneth Robert Nelson on July 3, 1959; he preceded her in death on October 21, 1993.

She is survived by her daughter Lori Nelson Hill and her son David R. Nelson, both of East Peoria; one brother, Eddie (Kathy) Hannah; two grandchildren, Jeremiah (Laura) Walton and Nicole Crawford; and 4 great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her grandson, Jason Walton.

Glenda retired from Neuman & Ullman, a wholesale candy distributor. She loved gardening and being a grandma.

A private graveside service will be at Fondulac Cemetery in East Peoria. Gary Deiters Funeral Home and Cremation Services is assisting the family.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Jude Midwest Affiliate in Parker Crawford's honor. Online condolences may be left at www.GaryDeitersFH.com.

Cemetery Details

Fondulac Cemetery

1985 E. Washington Street
East Peoria, IL

Tribute Wall



“ *Glenda S. Nelson*

October 08, 2023 at 04:50 PM



“ *Glenda was already working at a local wholesaler when I was hired. She not only helped me to learn the business, but she quickly became my best and most trusted friend. Our friendship has grown over the last 35 years to a very special level. She is deeply missed.*

Rita Turman

Rita Turman - July 04, 2021 at 03:03 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Glenda S. Nelson.*



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“ *Glenda was such a sweet and giving person. 30 years ago she gave me a very expensive beautiful leather coat. I still have it and think of her kindness every time I wear it. She made the world a better place and will be missed.*

Stephanie Shults - July 04, 2021 at 09:52 AM