



Mrs. Wanda J. Uphoff

November 25, 1940 - December 6, 2018

Wanda J. Uphoff, 78, of East Peoria died at 9:15 PM on Thursday, December 6, 2018 at OSF Richard L. Owens Hospice Home in Peoria surrounded by her family. She was born on November 25, 1940 in Ballard County, KY to Hubert and Hattie (Morrison) Matlock. She married Wendell R. Uphoff on November 06, 2004 in Ft. Madison, IA. He preceded her in death on October 23, 2017. Wanda is survived by 2 daughters Sheila K. White and Shelly Lynn both of Peoria; 3 sons James Kelly Lynn of Peoria, Brian K. (Sheri) Lynn of Danvers and Terry D. (Joyce) Lynn of Trivoli; 13 grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; 3 sisters Linda (William) Lynn of Plant City, FL, Brenda (Ron) Durbin of Fortville, IN, and Joyce Ibbatson of Columbus, GA; and 2 brothers Ted (Vanessa) Matlock of Paducah, KY and Jack (Willie) Matlock of East Peoria. She was preceded in death by her husband Wendell; 2 brothers Hubert Matlock Jr. and William Matlock; 4 sisters Mary Ball, Betty Sue, Ina Kiser and Patsy Thompson; 1 daughter-in-law Hillary Lynn; and 2 great-grandchildren. Wanda graduated Ballard Memorial High School in 1958. She then graduated cosmetology school. Finally, she worked as an assembler in Mossville, retiring in 2000. Wanda was a member of the Eastern Star and Daughters of Mokanna. Visitation will be Monday, December 10 from 5 – 7 with The Daughters of Mokanna service at 6:45 at Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services, 444 E. Washington St., East Peoria. Service will be at 10 on Tuesday, December 11 at the funeral home. Burial will follow at Fondulac Cemetery. Pastor Steve Hardin will officiate. Memorials may be made to

Illinois Cancer Care or OSF Richard L. Owens Hospice Home.

Cemetery Details

Fondulac Cemetery

1985 E. Washington Street
East Peoria, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 10. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services
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Service

DEC 11. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services created a Tribute Video in memory of Mrs. Wanda J. Uphoff



Gary Deiters Funeral Home & Cremation Services - December 11, 2018 at 03:29 PM

TC

A very amazing women very strong women with positive values.Wanda you will be missed by many .

Terry Copeland - December 11, 2018 at 10:28 PM

CL

What a beautiful video just so the love she had for all of you. She was a beautiful lady inside and out. She definitely gone to be missed but I bet she's rejoicing in heaven and already watching over all of you

Carrie Leathers - December 12, 2018 at 01:35 AM



“ Mrs. Wanda J. Uphoff

October 08, 2023 at 04:50 PM

VH

“ *To the family of Wanda Uphoff. I live across the street from Wendell & Wanda. They were such sweet people. Please accept my sympathy in Wanda's passing. Another Angel around the throne.*

Val Holt - December 10, 2018 at 08:21 PM

SL

Hello, I'm her daughter, Shelly. Thank you. I definitely feel as though I have a guardian angel💔

Shelly Lynn - December 11, 2018 at 09:26 PM

PN

“ *Good bye good friend. We will miss you alot. We will remember all the wonderful times we had in Mississippi working and swing in the swing together. We love you dearly. Jerry and Phyllis*

Phyllis Nevitt - December 10, 2018 at 10:50 AM

DF

“ *Derrel Matlock, Debra Benson Families purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Mrs. Wanda J. Uphoff.*



Derrel Matlock, Debra Benson Families - December 09, 2018 at 08:29 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mrs. Wanda J. Uphoff.*



December 09, 2018 at 01:36 PM

PR

“ *Patty and Ron, Tami and Rodney, Cindy and Richard purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Mrs. Wanda J. Uphoff.*



Patty and Ron, Tami and Rodney, Cindy and Richard -
December 08, 2018 at 09:46 AM

BW

“ *Aunt Wanda has a heart of gold I will cherish the memories of her for the rest of my life forever in my heart I love u. Bev*



Bev Winchell - December 08, 2018 at 03:53 AM