



Karen Sue Schelm

June 8, 1949 - December 7, 2016

Dateline: Brighton

Karen Sue Schelm, 67, died at 1:25 a.m. Wednesday, December 7, 2016 at Willow Rose Rehab. & Health Care Center in Jerseyville. Born June 8, 1949 in Alton, she was the daughter of Raymond and Lucy (Dalton) Needham. Mrs. Schelm worked for Owens Illinois for 12 years before working as a cashier for Red Fox, Sinclair's and Tom's Grocery Stores. On January 12, 1974 she married Rodney Schelm in Alton. He preceded her in death in 1982. Surviving is a son, Raymond Schelm of Jerseyville, two grandchildren, Alayna Schelm and Ashlynn Schelm, and a sister, Nancee McNamara of Alton. Along with her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by two brothers, Terry Needham and her twin brother, Bob Needham. Graveside services will be at 11:00 a.m. Saturday, December 10, 2016 at Upper Alton Cemetery. Gent Funeral Home in Alton is in charge of arrangements. Online guestbook and information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Upper Alton Cemetery

Oakwood Avenue
Alton, IL 62002

Previous Events

Graveside Service

DEC 10. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Karen Sue Schelm*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Karen Sue Schelm*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Raymond and family,
I am so sorry for your loss. Praying for your
family.
Sara Greenwell*



sara - December 09, 2016 at 06:44 PM



“ *I worked with Karen and her brother Bob at the glass works long ago. Bob and myself shared an apartment for a while. Rest in Peace Karen.*

Carl Elsperman - December 09, 2016 at 10:16 AM