



Laverna Jane Dare

March 1, 1938 - July 14, 2023

Laverna Jane Dare, 85, died at 8:25 a.m. Friday, July 14, 2023 at her home. Born March 1, 1938 in Fosterburg, she was the daughter of Earl and Opal June (Hatcher) Miller. She married Edwin Dare on December 24, 1955 at Calvary Baptist Church in Alton. He survives. Jane worked as a seamstress out of her home. Along with her husband, she is survived by three daughters and a son, Susan Doyle (Thomas) of Godfrey, Diana Bradbery of Houston, TX, Dave Dare (Monica) of Godfrey and Julie Ziino (Rick) of Godfrey, six grandchildren, Christina Kelly (John), Meghan Moehn (Niles), Tim Doyle (Nikki), Zachary Ziino (Emma), Eric Ziino (Selena), and six great grandchildren, Devin Adams, Gavin Doyle, Oliver Ziino, Amelia Ziino, Cooper Doyle, and Benjamin Ziino. Also surviving is a brother, Wayne Miller (Jean) of Galatia, IL, two sisters, Brenda Plunk (David) of Godfrey, and Barbara Harder (Homer) of Edwardsville, and a brother-in-law, Harold Steiner of Florida. Along with her parents, she was preceded in death by two brothers, Rance Miller and Virgil Miller (Betty), three sisters, Lena Steiner, Harriett Hochstuhl (Dan), and Mary Cloud and a son-in-law, Billy Bradbery. Visitation will be from 10:00 a.m. until time of memorial service at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday, July 18, 2023 at Gent Funeral Home in Alton. Pastor Zachary Ziino will officiate. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society. Online guestbook and information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 18. 10:00 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

Gent Funeral Home Inc
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Alton, IL 62002
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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall



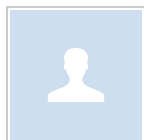
“ My wife and I met Ed and Jane at a rendezvous in Indiana. Right away we knew they were amazing people. Extremely loving and caring folks. Over the years we bought much soap from them. Jane knew my interest in making soap and since we just lived over the river, invited us to come over. She patiently show me how to make her soap and made me promise not to give out the recipe. A promise I have kept. I will surely miss her smile and friendship. We will meet again one day in our Lords Kingdom.

David Beyes II - August 21, 2024 at 01:29 PM



“ Jane will be missed.

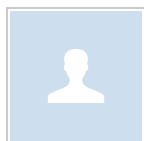
John C. Bielik - July 18, 2023 at 02:24 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Laverna Jane Dare.



July 17, 2023 at 03:22 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Laverna Jane Dare.

July 17, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *Pink Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Laverna Jane Dare.*



July 17, 2023 at 08:11 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Laverna Jane Dare.

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“ *Janes legacy for us is one of kindness and laughter. Her ability to show us how to laugh at ourselves and life was a special gift. A simple straight forward honesty that always breathed of kindness and acceptance.*
Sue and Joe

susan skinner - July 16, 2023 at 02:35 PM



“ *Aunt Jane was always so sweet and kind, we are going to miss you.*
Lots of love,
Roxann

Roxann Miller - July 16, 2023 at 11:24 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Laverna Jane Dare.



July 16, 2023 at 09:09 AM



“ *Florist Choice Bouquet* was purchased for the family of Laverna Jane Dare.



July 15, 2023 at 06:20 PM



“ *Fairest of All* was purchased for the family of Laverna Jane Dare.



July 15, 2023 at 03:17 PM



“ *A Full Life* was purchased for the family of Laverna Jane Dare.



July 15, 2023 at 01:27 PM



“ *Enduring Grace was purchased for the family of Laverna Jane Dare.*



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“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Laverna Jane Dare.*



July 14, 2023 at 10:58 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Laverna Jane Dare.*



July 14, 2023 at 10:32 PM



“ *We discussed age and decided that we would not call ourselves old until 90, and we still could be 19 in our hearts. You will always be in our hearts. Love Lisa and Michael*

Lisa and Michael Crane - July 14, 2023 at 07:20 PM