



Lou E. Sunderland

July 25, 1924 - November 9, 2012

Dateline: Godfrey

Lou Sunderland, 88, died at 5:42 a.m. Friday, November 9, 2012 at St. Anthony's Hospital. Born July 25, 1924 in Roxana, she was the daughter of Robert T. and Ruby (Nelson) Lovell. She married William F. Sunderland in 1947 in St. Louis, MO. He preceded her in death on July 7, 1998. Surviving are four sons, William F. Sunderland Jr. (Joyce) of Bethalto, James T. Sunderland of Alton, Steven W. Sunderland (Sonya) of Godfrey, and Butch Sunderland (Julie) of Godfrey, 10 grandchildren, seven great grandchildren, one brother, Joe Lovell, and five sisters, Grace Welton, Mildred Strunk, Sue Reilly, Jessie Vidokavich, and Mary Clapham. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, four brothers, Don, Dean, Frank, and Bob Lovell, and three sisters, Iris Dix, Margaret Frenz, and Sarah Ann Wiltshire. Memorial services will be at 11:00 a.m. Monday, November 12, 2012 at Abundant Life Community Church in Alton. Pastor Roy Rhodes will officiate. Burial will be at Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery in St. Louis, MO. Memorials may be made to the Christian Broadcasting Network, 977 Centerville Turnpike, Virginia Beach, VA 23463 or the 5A's Animal Shelter. Gent Funeral Home in Alton is in charge of arrangements.

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lou E. Sunderland*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



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January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Sorry for your loss. I'm sure she was a great joy to all. I'm sure she is with her brothers & sisters. Marsha (Margaret's granddaughter)*

Marsha McKinley Goss - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Jim, So sorry for your loss. Praying for you and your family.*

Debbie - November 12, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *SENDING PRAYERS FOR LOU'S FAMILY SHE WAS SUCH A NICE AND LOVING PERSON....GOD BLESS*

JIM,SUSAN OETKEN AND FAMILY - November 11, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *My first boss. Many times during visits back home I thought of stopping by and now greatly regret not seeing your mom again. I will definitely try to make contact with you guys when I next hit Godfrey at Christmas. Your mom was a great boss and I'll always remember her laugh.*

Keith Mary - November 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BS

“ *It's just not going to be the same without you. We loved you more than words can say. Bye Mom, love and miss you already.*

Butch & Julie Sunderland - November 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ *So sorry to hear of the family's death. Praying for the family.*

Sue Roemer - November 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ *God Bless you mother! You can now rest in peace. You were not only a wonderful, loving mother, you were my mentor, friend and such a big part of my life. You had a huge part in making me who I am today. You will be missed more than you know and forever loved.*

Jim Sunderland - November 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM