



Mary Ellen Conely

August 26, 1929 - September 19, 2018

Dateline: Godfrey

Mary Ellen (Harman) Conley passed away Wednesday, September 19, 2018 at Morningside of Godfrey. She was born August 26, 1929 in Girard, Illinois, the daughter of the late Foster Rice and Effie Alan (Hylton) Harman. She often said she lived by the letter S –swimming, sewing, singing and selling real estate. However, her greatest S was her salvation. She received Jesus Christ as her Savior as a child and was a lifelong member of Brown Street Baptist Church. She faithfully prayed for her family and invited them, friends and missionaries to her home. She also thanked the Lord daily for the caring staff at Morningside. She is survived by her children, Catherine (Raymond) Vajda of Godfrey, Illinois, Scott (Teresa) Conley of Godfrey, Illinois, Judith Conley of Alton, Illinois and grandsons, Jonathan (Deirdre) Schrader of Schroon Lake, New York, and Aaron Vajda of Godfrey, Illinois whom she loved dearly. Also surviving are her siblings, Ruth Voumard of Colorado Springs, Colorado, Willa Humenick of Alton, Illinois, Shirley (Wilbur) Schreiber of Arriba, Colorado, and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her sisters Minnie Bowsher, Virginia Nielsen, Doris Harman, and brother Foster Jr. Harman. There will be no visitation with private burial services at St. Patrick's Cemetery in Godfrey officiated by the Reverend David Conrad. In lieu of flowers memorials may be directed to Brown Street Baptist Church Building Fund or The Activities Department at Morningside of Godfrey. Gent Funeral Home in

Alton is in charge of arrangements. Online guestbook and information may be found at www.gentfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Ellen Conely*

January 28, 2023 at 10:19 AM



“ *Mary Ellen Conely*

January 28, 2023 at 08:19 AM



“ *Many good memories if your mom in our Alton Chapter of Sweet Adelines. Loved hearing the quartet sing, especially, "Short People". When I think of your mom I think of someone who was kind, talented, fair, and a leader. Mary always had strong opinions and would always speak her mind but was also a team player and would always choose what was best for the team. I loved your mom very much and am sorry for your loss. I am happy for her, she is now with her Lord.*

Gaylene Kinder - October 02, 2018 at 08:22 AM



“ *So sorry to learn of the passing of Mrs. Conely Sincerely, Steve Schuman*

Steve Schuman - September 23, 2018 at 06:23 PM

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“ I remember miss Mary at the Hylton reunions. I will always miss her character and how much life she had when I saw her. I am proud to call her my cousin. May her soul finally Rest In Peace.

Love

Gary Sr. Lien, Mary and Gary Hylton
Decendants of John B, Ralph Hylton
and Louise

Mary Hylton - September 22, 2018 at 08:49 AM

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“ My condolences, Cathy, to you and your family. Mothers are special people and will receive special rewards.

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Moreland Gaddis - September 20, 2018 at 12:04 PM