



Nancy Jo Oliver

April 15, 1942 - June 29, 2011

Mattoon, IL-Nancy Jo (Lucas) Oliver, age 69, of Mattoon, IL, passed away at 6:56 p.m., Wednesday, June 29, 2011, at her residence, surrounded by her loving family. The funeral service in her honor will begin at 2:00 p.m., Sunday, July 3, 2011, at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Mattoon, IL, with Reverend Dennis Kollross officiating. Burial will be in Rest Haven Memorial Gardens, Mattoon, IL at a later date. Visitation will be held Saturday evening, 4:00-6:00 p.m., at Mitchell-Jerdan Funeral Home, 1200 Wabash Avenue, Mattoon, IL 61938. Born April 15, 1942, in Mattoon, IL, Nancy was the daughter of Robert S. and Norma J. (Klohr) Lucas. She married Jay F. Oliver on September 26, 1961 in Rantoul, IL at the Chanute Air Force Base. He survives. In addition to her husband, she is survived by two children, Kathy J. Storm and husband Jeff of Mattoon, IL, and Jill S. Oliver and partner Karin Susskind of Boulder, CO; one brother, David Lucas and wife Leona of Mattoon, IL; one sister, Deborah S. (Lucas) Nale of Longmont, CO; three grandchildren, Hannah M. Storm of Mattoon, IL, Austin C. Storm of Mattoon, IL, and Gabriel Oliver Susskind of Boulder, CO; three step grandchildren, Brandon B. Storm and wife Alison of Fairview Heights, IL, Brooke N. Lawson and husband Doug of Normal, IL, and Bret M. Storm of Mattoon, IL; and two step great-grandchildren, Camden and Ashlyn Storm, both of Fairview Heights, IL. Both parents preceded her in death. Nancy was a member of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church of Mattoon, IL, and retired as bookkeeper from Super Valu in Des Moines, IL. She was an

active community member and was involved with bridge clubs and lunch groups, was a member of the 1960 class reunion board, and a volunteer at the Mattoon Food Bank. She was active in organizing Mattoon girl's fast-pitch softball and helped form their first team. She also enjoyed flower gardening and decorating. Nancy adored her many friends, treasured her family, and was an extraordinary grandmother. \r\nMemorials in her honor may be made to the Sarah Bush Lincoln Cancer Center, Mattoon Food Bank, or the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church.\r\nPlease visit www.mitchell-jerdan.com to light a virtual candle in her honor or share a memory with her family. \r\n

Tribute Wall



“ *Nancy Jo Oliver*

October 08, 2023 at 07:40 PM



“ *Jay, Jill and Kathy,\nNancy was a life long friend and I will miss her. My love and prayers are with you all. As you know, I was out of town when she passed, but my whole family is remembering you all in our prayers. She was a great person and I was blessed to have known her for 60 plus years.*

Connie Schaljo - July 04, 2011 at 11:10 AM



“ *What a lady she was!! She fought like a Green Wave champion! She will be remembered for so many things....her gentleness, her smile, her courage and her dedication to her family. We will miss her!!*

Linda (Ginder) Giese - July 04, 2011 at 03:44 AM



“ *Your family has our heartfelt sympathy. We always loved visiting with Nancy when we saw her at Brandon and Alison's home. May God shelter you in his caring arms as you cope with your loss.*

Roger and Rita Williams - July 02, 2011 at 02:11 AM

MT

“ Jay and family,\n\n\nYou and your family will be in my thoughts and prayers. Nancy will be greatly missed by alot of people. She handled her illness with class and dignity and didn't let it stop her.\n\n\nGod bless.\n\n\nMary Ann Tayloe \n\n\n

Mary Ann Tayloe - July 01, 2011 at 06:33 PM

SG

“ Jay and Family-\n\n\nWe are so sorry for your loss. You are in our thoughts and prayers.\n\n\nMay the love of friends give you comfort-\n\n\nMay the love of Jesus Christ give you peace.

Sam and Deanna Gross - July 01, 2011 at 01:32 PM

AB

“ I have happy memories of Nancy from high school, including a slumber party at her house where we locked her 'pesky' brother, David, out of the house. We kind of got in trouble with their mom. I'll remember Nancy's sense of humor, her smile, and her brave fight against her illness. Rest in peace, Sweet Lady.

Alice Isbell Brooks - July 01, 2011 at 12:09 PM

BD

“ From all of us in Ks, You all are in our thoughts and prayers.

Bill Divine - July 01, 2011 at 05:31 AM

BD

“ Jay & Family - I know she went skidding into heaven, out of breath, and telling those waiting for her that her time with all of you and her friends was wonderful!!! She was already an angel, so it won't take much more than a set of wings to complete her for this final journey. Dear friend, you will be missed.

Brenda Linder Douglas - July 01, 2011 at 03:39 AM

KM

“ Jay, I am so sorry to learn about Nancy's passing. She will be greatly missed.

Karen Mingus - July 01, 2011 at 02:44 AM

TS

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Thelma and Wayne Shugar - July 01, 2011 at 12:40 AM

RC

“ Jay and family, You guys are in my thoughts . I am sorry for your loss. Nancy will be remember for her great fight. She has been a great friend for over 60 yrs, and she will be missed.

Richard Cobble - June 30, 2011 at 11:28 PM