



Barbara L. Ray

September 26, 1953 - February 26, 2025

Barbara L. Ray, age 71, of Bradley passed away Wednesday, February 26, 2025 at Riverside Medical Center in Kankakee. She was born September 26, 1953 in Kankakee, the daughter of Harold & Lillian (Poskin) Krueger. Barbara married Mark E. Ray on January 17, 1981 at St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church in Kankakee.

Barbara was a homemaker. She enjoyed needlepoint, word puzzles, build a bears, old movies, and bowling. Barbara was a cat lover.

Surviving are her husband of 44 years, Mark Ray of Bradley; and two sons and one daughter-in-law, Anthony & Janie Ray of Bradley and Adam Ray of Bradley. Barbara is preceded in death by her parents.

Visitation will be held from 11 a.m. until the time of the 1 p.m. funeral service on Tuesday, March 4, 2025 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. Deacon Patrick Skelly will officiate the service. Burial will follow at Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Kankakee.

Memorials may be made to the Kankakee County Humane Foundation.

Cemetery Details

Mount Calvary Cemetery

2000 E. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 4. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
295 Main St., NW
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Funeral Service

MAR 4. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

JR

“ *Michael Wolfe and Janet Rasmussen send our deepest condolences to the Ray Family* ”



Janet Rasmussen - March 03, 2025 at 09:43 PM

JR

“ *3 files added to the tribute wall* ”



Janie Ray - March 02, 2025 at 04:32 PM

BL

“ *My sincere condolences to Mark and the family.* ”

Barbara Loudy - February 28, 2025 at 02:32 PM

JR

“ *Barbara was a wonderful mother in law that was more of a second mom than an in law. You will be greatly missed and I will cherish all the memories we made along the way like seeing old movies together or talking about actors in the movies you liked and where they were born. RIH my sweet mother in law (mom) and until we see each other again. ☐ 🙏* ”



Janie Ray - February 28, 2025 at 02:28 PM

MA

“ *Maureen lit a candle in memory of Barbara L. Ray*



Maureen - February 27, 2025 at 10:25 PM

MA

Mark, Tony, Janie and Adam I am so sorry for your loss. I am thinking about all of you at this time. Prayers. Maureen Downs

Maureen - February 27, 2025 at 10:27 PM

JR

Thank you Maureen, we greatly appreciate it.

Janie Ray - February 28, 2025 at 05:47 PM

JL

“ *Mark and family so sorry for your loss 🙏
Prayers for all of you 🙏🙏*



jo ann lewis - February 27, 2025 at 07:49 PM

JR

Thank you Jo Ann ☐

Janie Ray - March 01, 2025 at 09:10 AM