



Cheryl Ferrari

October 1, 1948 - September 9, 2007

Cheryl Ferrari -- Bourbonnais Visitation for Cheryl "Cheri" Ferrari, 58, of Bourbonnais, will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Thursday at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais, where funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday. Burial will be in St. James Cemetery in Irwin. Memorials may be made for her grandchildren's education. She died Sunday (Sept. 9, 2007) at Riverside Medical Center, following a sudden illness. Ms. Ferrari worked for several years at Commonwealth Edison and has been employed as a legal secretary in Chicago for the past 14 years. She was born Oct. 1, 1948, the daughter of Robert Horrie and Eileen Burkhart Gentry. She grew up in Gardner and graduated from Gardner South Wilmington High School in 1966. She enjoyed spending time with her children and grandchildren, her euchre club at the Chatterbox Cafe, reading, and her special friends at Meckler, Bulger and Tilson Law Firm in Chicago. Surviving are two sons and one daughter-in-law, Tim Duda and fiancée, Kris DeYoung of Bourbonnais, Master Sgt. Mark and Lisa (Broadway) Duda of Columbia, S.C.; two daughters and sons-in-law, Amy (Duda) and Ed Offerman of Herscher, Ashlie (Ferrari) and Eric Coughlan of Kankakee; eight grandchildren, Samantha, Julia, Christian, Carly, Darian, Riley, Sydney and Madison; special cousin, Pat and Bob Swisher of Braceville; and several aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, grandparents and one brother, Randy Horrie.

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“ *I can't express my words enough to tell you guys how sorry i am! It so tough to known what you have to go through. You can never prepair yourself for what you have gone through. Just tell the kids that there are alot of beautiful angels in heaven! i ½ Neicee and Cheri are up there have a coffee break and a good smoke!!!!

Love you guys,

jodi and family
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“ I have fond, happy memories growing up in Coal City with the Duda's. Cheri always had an open door for all the kids. Not just any mom could raise such a nice family. I am so sorry for the sorrow and loss you all must be feeling. Heaven has gained a wonderful angel! **Paula Kennedy**”

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“ Missed, lovingly remembered. **William Parkinson**”

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“ I worked with Cheri at Braidwood Station, in fact, she trained me on my first day of work. I will always remember her. She was a great person to be around and had the best laugh. We had a lot of fun together. She talked about her family all the time and was so proud of all of you. I'm very sorry to read of her passing. You have my deepest sympathy. **Jane Wills**”

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