



Darlene "Ducky" St. John

August 24, 1939 - July 12, 2016

Darlene "Ducky" St. John, 76, of Kankakee passed away on Tuesday, July 12, 2016 at her home. She was born on August 24, 1939 in Wardell, Missouri, the daughter of Charles and Pauline (Babb) Fox.

Ducky worked for American Greetings for about 25 years. She enjoyed reading and spending time with her family and grandchildren.

She is survived by two sons Michael (Sandy) Dodds of Limestone and Guy Just of Aroma Park; four daughters Sheri Bucksath of Limestone, Kelly (Scott) Arseneau of St. Anne, Cristi Just of Bloomington and Gina Ruyle of Clinton; one sister Dorothy (Larry) Starr of Kevil, KY; several nieces and nephews, 13 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and 2 great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husbands Richard Dodds, Robert Just and Gerald St. John, three brothers Yvon Fox, Alan Fox, Lloyd Fox, and one son Steven Dodds.

Per her wishes, cremation rites have been accorded. Private inurnment will be held on Monday July 18th at All Saints Cemetery in Bourbonnais. Memorials may be made to Trinity United Methodist Church in Kankakee.

Cemetery Details

All Saints Cemetery

1839 W. Route 102
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 933-2342

Tribute Wall

SJ

“ *Ducky's 3rd husband, Jerry, was our uncle. Ducky made Jerry so happy and we are grateful for that. She had a very full and rewarding life.*

Steve and Jan St. John - July 24, 2016 at 11:14 AM



“ *Our sympathy goes out to the family. We were neighbors to Darlene and family years ago out in Limestone. There are so many fond memories of Darlene and family. My Mom and Darlene were very good friends and had memories such as shopping at Sears, attempting to roller skate, and doing ceramics together. R.I.P Darlene.*

*Love,
The Meents Family*



Mary Meents - July 21, 2016 at 02:14 PM

LM

“ *To the family of Darlene St.John.. I am so sorry for the loss of your mother and family member I have fond memories of growing up with the family and Darlene was just so sweet to us growing up.. even though we moved out of the neighborhood in 1983 I always kept your mother and family members in my heart my deepest sympathies and thoughts are with you at this time of your mourning..*



Lori meents - July 19, 2016 at 02:56 PM

MA

“ Too many memories to mention! Sending my love to all!
RIP Ducky!
Love Mariann

Mariann - July 17, 2016 at 08:30 AM

Pauline
Todd
Taylor

“ I first met u at your house with my husband and Sherri we sar out by
the river and had a fabulous evening. That was the first time I had
ever seen a humming bird great memory. Rest in peace fly high with
the angels. Hugs to the family Pauline and Mark Taylor.

Pauline Todd Taylor - July 17, 2016 at 06:54 AM

Pauline
Todd
Taylor

“ Pauline Todd Taylor lit a candle in memory of
Darlene "Ducky" St. John



Pauline Todd Taylor - July 17, 2016 at 06:51 AM

Brianne
Ryan

“ So many words...I'm glad I was able to say
them to you instead of leave them here. You'll
always be in my heart.



Brianne Ryan - July 16, 2016 at 01:17 PM