



Doris Catherwood

September 28, 1951 - March 27, 2008

Doris L. Catherwood, 56, of Kankakee, died Thursday (March 27, 2008) at Riverside Medical Center. There will be no visitation or services. Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee, is in charge of arrangements. Ms. Catherwood was retired from sales in the transportation industry. She was born Sept. 28, 1951, in Pasco, Wash., the daughter of Kenneth W. and Erma R. Johnston Gerlach. She was the only woman president of the Chicago Traffic Club. She enjoyed gardening and her cats. Surviving are one son and daughter-in-law, Jason and Jessica Beckner of Kankakee; one grandson, Zachary; one granddaughter, Catherine; three sisters and two brothers-in-law, Diana and Jim Judson of Seattle, Wash., Denise and Steve Miller of Stafford, Va., Donna Turner of Kirkland, Wash.; and one brother, Donald Gerlach of Kennewick, Wash. Her parents are deceased.

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“ *Jason, I am so sorry. i ½ She was such a sweetheart. i ½ I have the Hosta's she shared with me when she moved here. i ½ She knew my thumb wasn't green and we often laughed about that. i ½ Our thoughts and prayers are with you and yours, Rhonda##imported-begin##rhonda tatom##imported-end##*

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“ *We are so sorry for your loss. Doris was always very sweet and pleasant. We enjoyed talking to her and spending time with her. She will be missed.##imported-begin##Lori Curtis##imported-end##*

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“ Jason,

I was shocked to hear the news of Doris' passing. I found out at the Intermodal Association of Chicago's monthly dinner meeting this last Monday. We remembered Doris with a moment of silence.

As well, I'm a past president of the Traffic Club of Chicago and remember the hard work and dedication that your mother gave to the Traffic Club. She was the Chairwoman of the Annual Dinner Committee and ran the event at the Chicago Marriott when I was President of the organization.

God bless you and we will always remember Doris.##imported-begin##Paul Eggert##imported-end##

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“ LaVonda and I learned today of the death of our very dear friend, Doris. We have never met someone so warm, caring and giving as Doris. Our condolences to her family and our prayers for all who loved her.

We will miss her and will carry a loss that no one else can fill.

God bless you Doris and may He grant you eternal life in heaven.

Michael and LaVonda ##imported-begin##Michael Krop & LaVonda Krop##imported-end##

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“ Hi Jason,

remember me? I can't believe that Doris has passed away. I found the obituary on line on google. Ofcourse, I had not spoken to her in many many years but I am so sorry for you and your children. If you want to please drop me an email and let me know how you are. Christopher is married with 3 girls living here in NC. I will make him aware of your Mom's passing

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kelly.hudson@allentate.com##imported-begin##kelly catherwood hudson##imported-end##

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