



Doris Dollar James

December 12, 1930 - August 1, 2016

Doris Dollar James, age 85, of Kankakee, passed away Monday, August 1, 2016 at Miller Healthcare Center in Kankakee.

She was born December 12, 1930 in Middleton, TN, the daughter of Sidney O. & Mary Maxwell Gray.

Doris married Dr. George Dollar in 1995; he preceded her in death in 2006.

On January 3, 2014, she married Robert C. James. He preceded her in death April 26, 2016.

She was a member of Faith Baptist Church. Doris retired from the Manteno State Hospital. She enjoyed sewing, crocheting, and ceramics.

Surviving are three sons and three daughters-in-law, Scotty & Valarie Bell of Aubrey, TX, Harold & Melody Bell of Manteno, and Steven & Ami Bell of Manteno; one daughter and one son-in-law, Patricia & Peter Smith of Manteno; two sisters, Betty Rickman and Jeannette Gainey, both of Bolivar, TN; one brother and one sister-in-law, John & Peggy Gray of Memphis, TN; eight grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

In addition to her husbands, she is preceded in death by her parents; and the father of her children, A.E. Bell.

Visitation will be held 4:00-7:00 p.m. Wednesday, August 3, 2016 at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee, where funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Thursday, August 4, 2016. Pastor Terry Anglea will officiate the service.

Interment will be held at Kankakee Memorial Gardens Cemetery in Aroma

Township.

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Cemetery Details

Kankakee Memorial Gardens

15 S. 3000 E. Rd.
Kankakee, IL 60901

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 3. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home
1480 W. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Visitation

AUG 4. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service

AUG 4. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Doris Gray - Bell - Dollar - James is my grandmother (my biological father was Scotty Bell). I don't have a lot of memories but I remember she always made chocolate pies. She portrayed her life as a christian and shared her love for the Lord. I also am a Christian and try everyday to live the way He commanded. When I first read her obituary, my first thought was WHAT! Then I read it again. I was hurt that the fact that my Grandfather Arnold E. Bell, whom Doris was married to for many, many years seemed like more of an afterthought. He is the father of her children(all of them) Scotty, the oldest followed by Patricia, Wayne and Steve being the youngest. When sharing the story of your life you also should include some of your struggles. That is how Christ tests our faith in how we respond to the difficulty. I pray that she had made peace with the Lord prior to her passing and may we be reunited when Christ comes again to reign over His Holy Kingdom. Rest in peace grandma Doris.*
Love, your granddaughter
Dana

Dana Mancuso - August 04, 2016 at 01:10 PM

DR

“ *Deborah Regnier lit a candle in memory of Doris Dollar James*



Deborah Regnier - August 03, 2016 at 11:22 PM

DR

“ *Mrs. James will be dearly missed. She was so very kind and was a pleasure to care for and assist her and she had wonderful stories to share in reminiscing her life. I send my deepest sympathy to all her family and friends.*

Deborah Regnier CNA/CPT

Deborah Regnier - August 03, 2016 at 11:22 PM

AZ

“ *Steve --*

Please accept the condolences of the entire AMM Team on the loss of your mother. You and your family are in our thoughts and prayers.

Sincerely yours,

Your AMM Family

Ann Zang - August 03, 2016 at 01:53 PM

MW

“ *My sincere sympathy I offer to the family of Doris Dollar James. I have known Doris for many years. Doris's son Steve is married to my daughter Ami. I will pray that God will bless this family at this time of sorrow.*

Mrs. Jean Warburton

Mrs. Jean Warburton - August 02, 2016 at 05:41 PM