



Jacquelyn "Jackie" Hammond

September 22, 1936 - June 29, 2024

Jacquelyn "Jackie" Hammond, age 87, of Kankakee passed away Saturday, June 29, 2024 at her home. She was born September 22, 1936 in Kankakee, the daughter of Ted & Flossie (Chambers) Gulczynski. Jackie was raised in Bradley, attending St. Joseph School and graduated from Bradley High School, class of 1954.

Jackie spent most of her career with the Social Security Administration in Kankakee, she represented the office as a guest on WKAN radio programs and at public information meetings. She enjoyed collecting antiques, reading English mysteries and gardening. She also enjoyed traveling, long car trips with her husband, John, along with day trips with friends and a few trips to Europe as well as a very special pilgrimage to Israel. She was a member of the Manteno Women's Club, the Manteno Historical Society serving as its President for several years, Tuesday Book Review, and recently, the Bradley Historical Society. She was honored as Manteno Citizen of the Year in 2019. She also volunteered with Meals on Wheels as well as other various charitable events throughout the years. She was a parishioner of St. Patrick Catholic Church in Kankakee.

Surviving are one son, Jamie (Diane) Boyd of Kankakee; one daughter, Rebecca (Bob) Obarski of Franklin, TN; a stepdaughter, Elizabeth Hammond; one brother, Ted Gulczynski of Clifton; one brother-in-law, Jodee Benoit of Kankakee; five grandchildren, Austin (Liz) Boyd, Matthew Boyd, Alex (Grace) Boyd, all of Kankakee, Andrew Obarski, and Ellen (Nathan) Griffy of

Springfield, TN; and five great-grandchildren, Colleen, Sean, Briar, Porter, and Madeline along with many nieces and nephews. Jackie is preceded in death by her husband, John Hammond, her parents; one son, Robert "Bobby" Boyd Jr; one daughter-in-law, Kelly Boyd; and three sisters, Patricia Clary, Janice Miller, Mary Beth Benoit.

Visitation will be held from 2-5 p.m. Sunday, July 7, 2024 at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Monday, July 8, 2024 at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Kankakee. Interment will be held at All Saints Cemetery in Bourbonnais.

Memorials may be made to the Bradley Historical Society or the family wishes.

Cemetery Details

All Saints Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 7. 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Mass

JUL 8. 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Patrick Catholic Church
428 S. Indiana
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-6716

Tribute Wall



“ *Worked with your mom for years, she was a kind person. So sorry for your loss.* ”



Cathy Schmidt Betourne - July 06, 2024 at 02:47 PM

CD

“ *Chuck & Nancy Dixon lit a candle in memory of Jacquelyn "Jackie" Hammond* ”



Chuck & Nancy Dixon - July 03, 2024 at 01:59 PM

PJ

“ *So sorry for your loss Jamie. Sending prayers for you and your family at this difficult time. Sincerely, Pam Johnson* ”



Pamela Johnson - July 03, 2024 at 07:27 AM

LG

“ *Sorry for your loss. She and my mother, spent many long days shopping. Loved hearing their stories. Steve and Linda Garrison* ”



linda Garrison - July 02, 2024 at 09:45 AM

VH

“ Vickie Hammond lit a candle in memory of Jacquelyn "Jackie" Hammond



Vickie Hammond - July 02, 2024 at 08:18 AM

MM

“ MR MRS lit a candle in memory of Jacquelyn "Jackie" Hammond



MR MRS - July 02, 2024 at 08:06 AM

JS

“ Judy Steele lit a candle in memory of Jacquelyn "Jackie" Hammond



Judy Steele - July 01, 2024 at 07:20 PM

KJ

“ Kathy Jones lit a candle in memory of Jacquelyn "Jackie" Hammond



Kathy Jones - July 01, 2024 at 02:09 PM