



Judith S. Swanson

September 4, 1946 - October 15, 2018

Judith S. Swanson, 72, of Kankakee, passed away October 15, 2018 at her home, surrounded by her family.

She was born September 4, 1946 in Winchester, Indiana, the daughter of Myril and Laura Barham.

Judy was a retired registered nurse and was a proud graduate of St. Mary's School of Nursing. Judy worked many years at St. Mary's Hospital, finally retiring from Shapiro Developmental Center. Judy was an avid quilter and was a member of the Quiltmakers of Kankakee. Her family and friends will cherish her quilting work for years to come.

Judy was a member of St. Patrick Catholic Church, Kankakee.

Surviving are her husband, John E. Swanson, Jr. of Kankakee. One daughter, Amy (Jeff) Schneider of Bourbonnais; three sons, Joe (Danita) Swanson of Kankakee; Eric (Susan) Swanson of St. Petersburg, FL.; and Adam Swanson of Kankakee; three grandchildren, Simon Grant, Zach Schneider and Jenna Schneider of Bourbonnais; and one sister, Pat Black of Manteno.

Preceding her in death were her parents and a brother Frank Barham.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 pm until 8:00 pm on Thursday, October 18, 2018 at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee. The funeral mass will take place at 10:00 am on Friday, October 19, 2018 at St. Patrick Catholic Church in Kankakee. Rev. John Peeters will officiate. Burial will follow at St. James Cemetery in Irwin.

Memorials may be made to St. Patrick Catholic Church or Hospice of Kankakee Valley.

Cemetery Details

St. James Cemetery in Irwin

Irwin, IL 60901

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **18**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Mass

OCT **19**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall

MP

“ Dear Adam, Joe & Danita, and family,

We are so sorry for your loss. Please accept our deepest sympathies.

Jeff & Maureen Powell

Maureen Powell - October 17, 2018 at 07:20 PM

MP

“ *My thoughts and prayers are with you and you family. I am sorry I won't be able to travel there for the services, yet I will be with you in spirit. Give your Jack my best.*



Mary Lou Paquette - October 17, 2018 at 09:25 AM

SC

“ *So sorry to hear of her passing. Met her once at AM Quilt Meetup (AMQM). She was a nice person to know.*
Suellen Cowley

Suellen Cowley - October 17, 2018 at 08:00 AM

AM

“ *Your mother blessed so many people with her faith and kindness. Praying that you'll find comfort in your memories of her and in the knowledge that others are missing her too.*

Alicia Mills - October 16, 2018 at 11:58 PM

AM

“ Alicia Mills lit a candle in memory of Judith S. Swanson



Alicia Mills - October 16, 2018 at 10:58 PM

GM

“ Our prayers and sympathy to the family on the loss of your loved one. There is no good time for such a loss. May your shared memories keep her close in your heart and the tears give way to laughter as the years pass. God has claimed another angel.

Gary & Rose Mitchell - October 16, 2018 at 10:46 AM

MZ

“ Michelle ZumMallen lit a candle in memory of Judith S. Swanson



Michelle ZumMallen - October 16, 2018 at 09:36 AM

SW

“ Steve West lit a candle in memory of Judith S. Swanson



steve west - October 15, 2018 at 05:31 PM



Prayers and condolences from John and Lois Dittrich. Tempe, AZ.

John Dittrich - October 18, 2018 at 07:06 PM