



## Kandie L. Power

April 26, 1947 - November 10, 2022

Kandie L. Power, age 75, of Bradley passed away Thursday, November 10, 2022 at her home. She was born April 26, 1947 in Kankakee, the daughter of Harold & Mary (Garrott) Ifland. Kandie married Joseph J. Power on October 18, 1966 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Bradley. He preceded her in death on March 23, 2018.

Kandie was a homemaker and had been employed by Options Center for Independent Living in Kankakee. She was a 1965 graduate of Kankakee High School. Kandie loved reading, shopping, traveling, and attending concerts and plays.

Surviving are two daughters and two sons-in-law, Cindy & Matthew St. Pierre of Bourbonnais and Amy & Jeremy Jeck of Bradley; one brother and sister-in-law, Lee & Pam Ifland of Aroma Park; three grandchildren, Isabella, Jackson, and Libby; and her guide dog, Echo. In addition to her husband, Joseph J. Power, Kandie is preceded in death by her parents and two previous guide dogs, Cindy & Kylie.

Cremation rites have been accorded. A memorial visitation will be held from 1 p.m. until the time of the 3 p.m. memorial service on Saturday, November 26, 2022 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. Deacon Patrick Skelly will officiate the service. Inurnment will be held at a later date at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood.

Memorials may be made to the National Federation of the Blind or Leader Dogs for the Blind.



# Cemetery Details

## Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 Hoff Road  
Elwood, IL 60421

# Previous Events

## Memorial Visitation

NOV **26**. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.  
295 Main St., NW  
Bourbonnais, IL 60914  
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## Memorial Service

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# Tribute Wall

DM

“ Kandie was a good friend of my mother, Carol Denault, my mom passed away October of 2020 but she worked for Kandie years ago helping her in the office and driving her to different events! I'll never forget the time my mom drove Kandie to Chicago for a meeting and my mom got lost in a “not so good” area coming home and she said she just pretended like everything was good, since Kandie couldn't see that they were in a bad area, my mom just kept driving and stayed positive! Kandie and I laughed about that sharing several good memories after my mom passed! My mother loved Kandie and I know Kandie felt the same about my mom! I'm so sorry for your loss and will keep your family in my prayers! She was an amazing woman!

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**Diane Marcukaitis** - December 07, 2022 at 07:45 PM

JM

“ Dear Amy and Cindy,  
I hope the memories of your beautiful and kind mother and father will help you through this difficult time. I smile when I think about all the great times I had with you and your family. Especially the sleep overs! We would order pizza, watch movies and put make up on!!  
Sending you prayers and hugs from Florida 🙏❤️🙏  
Love Janet McCarty-Williams

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**janet mccarty** - November 26, 2022 at 06:24 AM

MO

*Sending condolences to my long ago foster parents that I always still think of.  
They tried to tame my awful attitude but I was so hateful and I wish I wasn't like that.  
I've missed you all and at 57 I really regret my childhood and how I behaved...if I could only go back in time and change things!*  
Mark Andrew Orasco 😭

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**Mark Orasco** - August 09, 2023 at 09:32 PM

JG

“ In the early 2000s, Kandie worked for change to bus services for individuals with disabilities. She allowed me, then a reporter, to follow her around for a day and document what it was like trying to get around the community without consistent public transportation. She gave me and a lot of others in the community a healthy dose of perspective. Above that, though, Kandie was a kind and positive influence to everyone around her. Remembering her fondly.

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**JG** - November 23, 2022 at 10:47 AM

JC

“ Jan & Carl Coleman lit a candle in memory of Kandie L. Power



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**Jan & Carl Coleman** - November 13, 2022 at 07:16 PM

JC

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Your mom was such a wonderful person. We always enjoyed having her on our trips.  
Jan & Carl

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**Jan & Carl Coleman** - November 13, 2022 at 07:14 PM

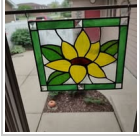
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“ Nora Walker lit a candle in memory of Kandie L. Power



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**Nora walker** - November 12, 2022 at 10:34 PM



“ *My dearest friend since 5th grade. A large hole in my heart right now.* ”

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**Bonnie Bergeron** - November 12, 2022 at 02:29 PM

DL

“ *My deepest sympathy to all of Kandie's family. She & my sister Triva went through alot together.* ”



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**Debra Lambert** - November 12, 2022 at 10:43 AM

JS

“ *Janice Shenk lit a candle in memory of Kandie L. Power* ”



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**Janice Shenk** - November 11, 2022 at 04:20 PM

JA

“ *Judy Andersen lit a candle in memory of Kandie L. Power* ”



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**Judy Andersen** - November 11, 2022 at 03:14 PM