



Karen L. Ninis

February 27, 1964 - October 5, 2011

Visitation for Karen L. Ninis, 47, of Bradley, will be from 2 p.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday at the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee, where funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Monday.

Burial will be in Mound Grove Gardens of Memory. Memorials may be made to the family. She died Wednesday (Oct. 5, 2011) at St. Francis Hospital in Indianapolis, Ind.

Ms. Ninis was a support service worker at Shapiro Developmental Center for the past 15 years. She was born Feb. 27, 1964, in Kankakee, the daughter of Stephen and Carol Board Martin. She loved cooking and gardening, and was devoted to her family, especially her children and grandchildren.

Surviving are her significant other, Kevin Fries, of Bradley; her children, Todd (Candi) Ninis, and Sarah (Nelson) Gowler, of Bourbonnais, Thrisha (Jeff) Myers, of Wyoming, Kristy Ninis, and Anna Ninis (Steve Ladson), of Bradley; eight grandchildren, Jordyn Ninis, Avory Ninis, Mallory Ninis, Cortlynn Ninis, Talyah Myers, Dyllan Myers, Chelsea Rueff and Jared Rueff; her mother, Carol Meents, of Bradley; and siblings, Robert Martin, and Daryl Martin (Susan Mazza O'Lena), of Bradley, James (Cindy) Martin, of Wisconsin, Steve (Heather) Martin, of Arlington Heights, Harold Wayne (Amy) Meents, of Eldorado, Richard (Mary) Martin of Saunemin, and Dennis Martin, of Richland,

Mo.

She is preceded in death by her father, one brother, David Martin, and one sister-in-law, Connie Ninis.

Cemetery Details

Mound Grove Gardens Cemetery

1000 N. Greenwood
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 933-6726

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **9**. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

OCT **10**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home
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Tribute Wall

SG

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Sarah Gowler - October 13, 2011 at 10:30 PM

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Sarah Gowler - October 13, 2011 at 10:28 PM

BE

“ *Brenda Euell lit a candle in memory of Karen L. Ninis*



Brenda Euell - October 12, 2011 at 05:15 PM

BE

Sorry to hear of Karen's passing. We went to Westview together and played softball. Had good times and she was a good friend in school. May God bless her family.

Brenda Euell - October 12, 2011 at 05:20 PM

DB

“ Deanna Brandenburg-Gaytan lit a candle in memory of Karen L. Ninis



Deanna Brandenburg-Gaytan - October 11, 2011 at 06:54 PM



So Sorry to hear about Karen. Went to school together since grade school. We had so much fun together. I was shocked to learn of her passing. Would have liked to pay my respect in person, just found out today. God bless the family.

Deanna Brandenburg-Gaytan - October 11, 2011 at 06:57 PM

DB

“ Denise Brandenburg-Martinez lit a candle in memory of Karen L. Ninis



Denise Brandenburg-Martinez - October 11, 2011 at 05:37 PM

DB

it's been a long time since i have seen Karen, we went to school together a long time ago, we had such wonderful times, i am so sorry for your loss. i just found out that she passed, i wished i would have known so i could have paid my respects. god bless all of Karen's family.

Denise Brandenburg-Martinez - October 11, 2011 at 05:40 PM

DM

“ *Dianna McDaniel lit a candle in memory of Karen L. Ninis*



Dianna McDaniel - October 11, 2011 at 01:08 AM

DM

“ *I knew Karen for many years, we had a birthday party together years ago at Genes' Place. Her birthday was the day after mine. I will never forget Karen, she was the most pleasant woman I believe I have ever met. A true blue friend and awesome mother to all her children. She will be truly missed and my deepest sympathy to the families and her friends...R.I.P. My dear friend....DeDe*

Dianna McDaniel - October 11, 2011 at 01:07 AM

RW

“ *Kevin my friend forever,
My heart goes out to you and the family. My
prayers are with you.
Bob Wilms*



Robert Wilms - October 10, 2011 at 11:17 PM

BW

“ *Dear Kevin,*

I am so very sorry for your loss, and the loss of all those who knew and loved Karen. For so many years I've seen you by her side at different events, and I know you two were so close. You will be in my thoughts and prayers as you go forward.

Becky Wilder - October 10, 2011 at 03:29 PM

TV

“ Gonna miss ya girl. Never enough time to get together. You and Lilli were always there for me. May your family find peace and you as their guardian angel.....



Tina VanVleck - October 10, 2011 at 11:06 AM

RS

“ To Karen's family and friends:
We are so terribly sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.
Randy and Stephanie Schiszik
(Friends of Steve Martin)

Randy Schiszik - October 09, 2011 at 02:52 PM

BG

“ Barbara Geisler lit a candle in memory of
Karen L. Ninis



barbara geisler - October 09, 2011 at 02:08 PM

KW

“ Kanika Washington lit a candle in memory of
Karen L. Ninis



Kanika Washington - October 09, 2011 at 12:25 PM

DR

“ *Donna Regnier lit a candle in memory of Karen L. Ninis*



Donna Regnier - October 08, 2011 at 07:18 PM

MT

“ *May the new found peace be and stay with you*



Michael Tanner - October 08, 2011 at 09:18 AM

 Kenneth Mausehund Sr

“ *Kenneth Mausehund Sr. lit a candle in memory of Karen L. Ninis*



Kenneth Mausehund Sr. - October 08, 2011 at 05:07 AM