



## Lois G. Kirchman

November 26, 1934 - September 28, 2021

Lois G. Kirchman, age 86, of Bourbonnais passed away Tuesday, September 28, 2021 at Riverside Medical Center in Kankakee. She was born November 26, 1934 in Bourbonnais, the daughter of Lawrence & Nelda (Bouchard) Provost. Lois married Gerald E. Kirchman on July 14, 1956 at St. Teresa Catholic Church in Kankakee. He preceded her in death on March 16, 2019. Lois worked as a Registered Nurse at St. Mary's Hospital in Kankakee and the VA Research Hospital in Chicago. She had also been an Aide for special needs at the Kankakee County Coop and worked with the Outreach community at Maternity B.V.M. Catholic Church. Lois enjoyed gardening and was an avid Chicago Cubs fan. Most of all, she enjoyed spending time with her family.

Lois was a parishioner of Maternity B.V.M. Catholic Church, where she was also an active CCW member.

Surviving are three sons, Dale Kirchman of Bourbonnais, Matthew Kirchman of Salem, MA, and Jeremy (Laurie) Kirchman of Albany, NY; three daughters, Valerie (Dan) Guenette of Bourbonnais, Catherine Jackson of Shawnee, KS, and Michelle (Kelly) Frank of River Forest; one sister, Dolores (Raymond) Ruder of Bourbonnais; one sister-in-law, Evelyn Provost of Bourbonnais; thirteen grandchildren; and ten great-grandchildren. In addition to her husband, Lois is preceded in death by her parents; three brothers, Donald Provost, Virgil Provost, and Delmar Provost; and two sisters, Lenore Langellier and Doreen Boone.

Visitation will be held from 5-7 p.m. Friday, October 1, 2021 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. A funeral Mass will be held at 10 a.m. on Saturday, October 2, 2021 at Maternity B.V.M. Catholic Church in Bourbonnais. Rev. Jason Nesbit will celebrate the Mass. Interment will follow at All Saints Cemetery in Bourbonnais.

Memorials may be made to Maternity B.V.M. Catholic Church.

# Cemetery Details

## All Saints Cemetery

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

OCT 1. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.  
295 Main St., NW  
Bourbonnais, IL 60914  
(815) 932-1214  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Funeral Mass

OCT 2. 10:00 AM (CT)

Maternity B.V.M. Catholic Church  
308 E. Marsile  
Bourbonnais, IL 60914  
(815) 933-8285  
<http://www.mbvmchurch.org/>

# Tribute Wall

JO

“ Kirchman family, so sorry for your loss of your mom. Enjoyed the times that your mom and dad came to the lake house in Effingham and visited. We will miss your mom as we do your dad. They were kind and generous to everyone.

*John and Mary Ellen Jackson*

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**John** - October 02, 2021 at 10:09 AM

DK

“ my deepest sympathies to her family. She was a very lovely person and always nice to be around. May the good lord be with you at this most difficult time.

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**Dewey Kilbride** - October 02, 2021 at 09:16 AM

EK

“ I am soo sad to hear this news. Lois and I were part of a group of friends at the Special Ed Co-op that really enjoyed our work, and had fun doing it! We truly laughed together. May she Rest In Peace.

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**Eileen Kregor** - October 01, 2021 at 10:39 AM

WS

“ Dear Kirchman Family,  
Remembering your Mom from years ago when Jeremy and our Jason were classmates. She always had a smile and such a peace-filled manner about her. Hoping that all the wonderful memories of her fill the void until you are all together again.

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**Wayne and Cheryl Segneri** - October 01, 2021 at 12:17 AM

MR

“ Dale,  
Saw your mother passed away this week. You and your family are  
in our prayers.  
Mike & Susan Rude  
Marion, Il.

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**Michael Rude** - September 30, 2021 at 08:30 PM



“ Please accept our sincere condolences for Lois's passing. We pray  
that you & her loved ones feel God comfort in the coming days . We  
will miss seeing her in church.  
Dennis & Lois Adame.

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**Lois Adame** - September 30, 2021 at 08:30 PM

TE

“ Tim And Connie Eaker lit a candle in memory  
of Lois G. Kirchman



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**Tim and Connie Eaker** - September 30, 2021 at 05:13 PM

SH

“ Sr. Martha Harrington lite a candle in memory  
of Lois G. Kirchman. I will miss her presence  
at the weekly Masses. She always had a  
smile. God bless her. My prayers are with her  
and her family



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**Sr. Martha Harrington,sscm** - September 30, 2021 at 10:05 AM

AM

“ I was deeply saddened to hear of Lois’s passing. She was a classmate and friend. God Bless her, she was a wonderful person.

Armeline McCawley - September 29, 2021 at 05:13 PM

TM

“ Tom Mallaney lit a candle in memory of Lois G. Kirchman



Tom Mallaney - September 29, 2021 at 02:30 PM

MS

“ Dear Val and family ..... I send heartfelt condolences on the loss of your wonderful mother Lois. She lived a selfless life of giving and loving. She was so proud of her beautiful family and the life she shared with her beloved husband Gerry. I fondly remember how much they both loved music and how devoted they were to each other. They raised a beautiful family and now are reunited and with their Lord. May He hold them in the palm of His hand as they rest in peace. Your memories are a treasure. You will remain in my prayers. May your deep faith will sustain you and all she loved.

Merrill Seal - September 29, 2021 at 01:14 PM

PE

“ Peggy lit a candle in memory of Lois G. Kirchman



Peggy - September 29, 2021 at 01:12 PM



*Dear Matt and the Kirchman family. Sincerest condolences in the loss of your beloved Mom. Keeping you in my heart & prayers*

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**Lynne Perrault** - October 03, 2021 at 10:49 PM