



Lois Rantz Savoie

January 20, 1934 - January 23, 2018

Lois Rantz Savoie, 84, of Bradley, passed away on Tuesday, January 23, 2018 at Presence St. Mary's Hospital in Kankakee. She was born on January 20, 1934, in Kankakee, to Clarence and Maxine Lemna Rantz. Lois married Norman Savoie in February of 1958. He preceded her in death on March 20, 2003.

Lois was a homemaker and personal caregiver. She loved cooking and baking, blues music, and reading. She liked keeping up on politics and sports, especially the Chicago Cubs. She enjoyed going to festivals. Most of all, Lois loved spending time with her children and grandchildren. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Bradley.

Lois is survived by five sons, Andy (Dru Sefton) Savoie, of Washington, DC, Maury Savoie, of Bradley, Marty Savoie, of Chicago, Pierre Savoie, of Springfield, and Charley (Jackie Hisel) Savoie, of Bradley; six grandchildren, Laura (Aaron) Fussell, of California, Matthew (Lauren) Savoie, of Portland, OR, Jason Savoie, of Kankakee, Kevin Savoie, of California, Nathan Faber, of Bourbonnais, and Zachery Savoie, of Mattoon; and one step brother, Jim Doty, of San Diego, CA.

She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; one son, Leon "Lee" Savoie; and one sister, Norma Dionne.

Visitation will be held from 4:00 pm until 8:00 pm on Friday, January 26, 2018 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. The Rosary will be recited by Deacon Patrick Skelly at 10:00 am on Saturday, January 27, 2018 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. Burial will follow at Mound Grove Cemetery in Kankakee.

Memorials may be made to the wishes of the family.

Cemetery Details

Mound Grove Gardens Cemetery

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

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 26. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

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

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Tribute Wall



“ Thinking of you mom this Christmas season, the first one without you. I know you are in a better place because you said Christmas just wasn't the same without dad. You cried a lot of tears over dad and more than a few over us kids growing up. We will always miss your fruitcakes, rum balls, turkey, pumpkin pies, apple pies, snickerdoodles, peanut butter fudge and your spaghetti! We didn't know how good we had it! Oh the stories and memories. You were so damned funny (especially when you were mad). Thanks for being such a good mom. Love you, Marty

Marty Savoie - December 28, 2018 at 05:35 PM

DB

“ Sorry to hear about Lois. She was the Number 1 fan of T bird Huck and Shufflesoes. She knew her Blues. She also knew Pumpkin Logs. Sorry I could not attend. Sorry Again.

D'Arcy Ballinger - January 26, 2018 at 10:26 PM

DD

“ Dawn Conwill Duckworth lit a candle in memory of Lois Rantz Savoie



Dawn Conwill Duckworth - January 26, 2018 at 08:08 PM

JE

“ *Marty and family, I am very sorry for your loss. You have my sympathy and prayers.* ”



Julie Enright - January 26, 2018 at 03:56 PM

JR

“ *My very first "job" was watching the Savoie boys now and then for Lois and Pete who lived across the street from us in Marycrest. I loved that family.* ”

James Riordan - January 26, 2018 at 01:01 AM

JH

“ *Mrs. Savoie, I'll always treasure your thoughtfulness and welcoming smile. I can hear your voice right now and it makes me happy that I had the pleasure of knowing you. Birthdays & Christmases will never be the same without your cards. Those exchanges between us meant a lot to me. I will miss you dearly.* ”

I love you and may your Journey to the afterlife take you to your love ones that are awaiting you.

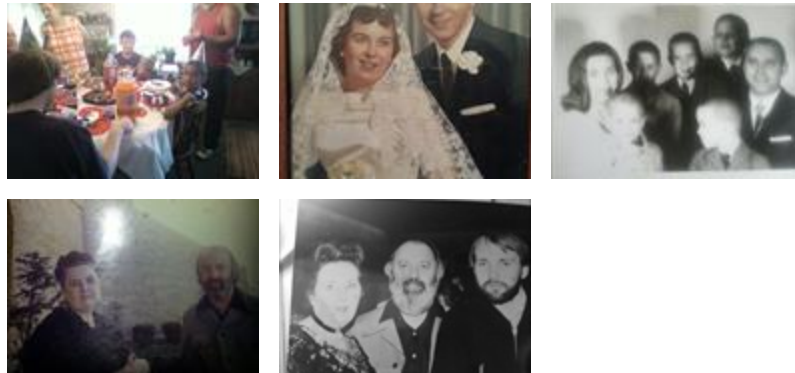
Sincerely,

Jeffrey Hooker

Jeffrey Hooker - January 25, 2018 at 09:52 PM

MS

“ 10 files added to the album mom



marty savoie - January 25, 2018 at 09:37 PM

JA

Lois had the best idea for the Savoie kids when they were little....she sent away for Bozo tickets to WGN....there was an 8 year waiting list...well, she finally got the tickets in 1972.....Now, Lois is celebrating the grand-prize game in Heaven with Bozo, Oliver and Cookie the clown...Well done my friend...

Joe Anthony - January 27, 2018 at 01:40 PM

LN

“ *Heaven has gained another angel! What a great woman she was! Much love, prayers, & sympathy to the family.*

Les & Greta Naese - January 25, 2018 at 12:14 PM

DS

“ *Goodbye, Ma. You'll live on in our memories and your awesome fruitcake recipe. We will keep that tradition going for you. Rest well with Pete. Love you, Dru*

Dru Sefton - January 25, 2018 at 10:52 AM