



## Lynn S. Houk

August 6, 1937 - May 27, 2018

Lynn S. Houk, age 80, of St. Anne, passed away Sunday, May 27, 2018 at her home.

Lynn was born August 6, 1937 in Kankakee, the daughter of Peter & Gladys Sirois DeYoung.

She married Glenn E. Houk on June 30, 1956 in Kankakee.

Lynn was a graduate of St. Anne High School. She attended Olivet Nazarene University and Kankakee Community College.

Lynn retired as the co-owner and operator of the Houk Funeral Home in St. Anne. After retirement, she managed the Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Home in St. Anne along with her husband, Glenn.

She had also been a teacher's aide at St. Anne Grade School. She was the former secretary at the Little Church of the Desert in Twentynine Palms California.

She had been a Sunday school and Bible school teacher at St. Anne Presbyterian Church, where she has also been an elder. Lynn was active in their TAPE Ministry.

Lynn was a member of the Kankakee Art League. She served on the board of the St. Anne Villa.

Lynn enjoyed music, art, flower gardening, and making porcelain dolls.

Most of all, she loved her family and enjoyed spending time with them.

Surviving are her husband, Glenn Houk of St. Anne; three daughters and three sons-in-law, Lisa & Michael Caraway of St. Anne, Lana & John Cooper of Salt Lake City, UT, and Lori & Jeff Blair of Bourbonnais; eight grandchildren, Joshua & Emily Caraway, Jeremy & Victoria Caraway, Nikki Cooper, Paige Cooper, Jordan Blair, Jenna & Brian Cramer, Josiah Blair, and Jonah Blair; four great-grandchildren, Hayden Trolson, Glenn Caraway, Desmond Cramer, and Holden Cramer; and one brother and sister-in-law, Wayne & Gina DeYoung of St. Anne.

Lynn is preceded in death by her parents and one brother, Keith.

Visitation will be held 4:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Friday, June 1, 2018 at Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Home in St. Anne.

An additional visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. until the 11:00 a.m. funeral service on Saturday, June 2, 2018 at River Valley Christian Fellowship Church in Bourbonnais. Rev. Derick Miller will officiate the service.

Interment will follow at Oakwood Cemetery in Wichert.

Memorials may be made to World Vision.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood Cemetery

7697 E. 4500 S. Rd.  
Wichert  
St. Anne, IL 60964

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 1. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

St. Anne - Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Home  
214 W. Sheffield  
St. Anne, IL 60964  
(815) 932-1214  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Visitation

JUN 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

River Valley Christian Fellowship  
800 Cardinal Dr.  
Bourbonnais, IL 60914  
(815) 933-7353  
<http://myrvcf.org>

## Funeral Service

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JUN 2. 11:00 AM (CT)

River Valley Christian Fellowship  
800 Cardinal Dr.  
Bourbonnais, IL 60914  
(815) 933-7353  
<http://myrvcf.org>

# Tribute Wall

DC

“ So sorry I didn't know until today, reading about Glenn.. Sad. Lynn was cousin to my daughters Dad, Russell Corriveau.. They were both super, super people.



Donna Corriveau-Cole - January 21, 2019 at 07:23 PM



“ We were sorry to hear of Lynn's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with Glen and family during this difficult time.

*Deepest Sympathy,*

*The Percy Sirois Family: Lois Billings, Bonnie Lynn, Donna Moore, and Dale Sirois*

Denise Lynn - June 01, 2018 at 05:37 PM

MR

“ Mary Jo Randalls lit a candle in memory of Lynn S. Houk



Mary Jo Randalls - June 01, 2018 at 03:28 PM

JC

“ Glenn, I am very sorry for your loss. Please know that you and your entire family are in my thoughts and prayers.

*Jeff Cavender*

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**Jeff Cavender** - June 01, 2018 at 12:35 AM

BT

“ So many good memories of our friendship. Our thoughts and prayers to the family.

*Betty and Jerry Tousignant*

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**Betty Tousignant** - May 31, 2018 at 10:08 PM

BK

“ Remembering many happy times growing up as cousins and spending time with our sweet and dear Grandma Sirois. Lynn's kindness, thoughtfulness, and compassion for others was tempered with her endearing sense of humor and laughter. She leaves an empty space in many hearts. My love and condolences to her dear and precious family. Bonnie (Sirois) Kelly

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**Bonnie Kelly** - May 31, 2018 at 02:52 PM



“ 43 files added to the album *Life Tributes*



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**Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes** - May 31, 2018 at 02:25 PM

RM

“ *I give God thanks for Lynn. She was a faithful and caring elder of First Presbyterian Church. She was creative, loving and courageous.*

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**Rev. Dr. Felipe Martinez** - May 31, 2018 at 02:20 PM

LB

“ *A real lady and a loss for us all as a community of friends.*

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**Lawrence Burkhalter** - May 31, 2018 at 12:53 PM

HJ

“ *So, so sorry for your loss.....Looks like GOD got another Angel. Her memory will live on through her Husband, Children, Grandchildren & everyone who ever had the honor to meet her. You all have my deepest sympathies. Prayers to all of you.*

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**Hugh Janda** - May 31, 2018 at 12:18 PM

HJ

“ *Hugh Janda lit a candle in memory of Lynn S. Houk*



Hugh Janda - May 31, 2018 at 12:15 PM



“ *Glen, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. She was such a sweet woman. Please accept our(Tom & Bev) condolences.*



Beverly Cranston - May 31, 2018 at 12:08 PM

CH

“ *Our deepest sympathy to you at this time of sorrow. Lynn was such a sweet lady to us. Lynn will be missed, Our thoughts and prayers are with all the family in this time of sorrow. May God grant you peace and healing at this sad time. Charles & Caroline Boudreau*

Charles - May 31, 2018 at 11:50 AM

PI

“ *So sorry for your lost. My prayers to the family*

Pixie - May 31, 2018 at 08:49 AM

BW

“ *I am so sorry for your loss. She was such a sweet lady to me.*

Beth Abrassart Whitesell - May 31, 2018 at 08:00 AM

MV

“ Remembering the good times we had when we were teenagers at the swimming pool her parents had on the farm in Wichert. I was younger but was allowed to tag along sometimes when Lynn and other friends of my sister Joanne decided to do something a little out of the "ordinary".

Melody Vadeboncoeur - May 31, 2018 at 07:43 AM

Nikki Josephine

“ Mim, I miss you so much! 🥺💔🥺💔🥺💔 I love you x the whole galaxy as Hayden would say.

Nikki Josephine - May 30, 2018 at 09:07 PM

KV

“ Kathy Voss-Hines lit a candle in memory of Lynn S. Houk



Kathy Voss-Hines - May 30, 2018 at 05:40 PM

JW

“ I met Lynn through her granddaughter Jenna Blair Cramer  
Mim would come into the salon and was always so nice to everyone  
Always looked forward to seeing her  
She was a very classy lady  
She will be very missed

Julie Williams - May 30, 2018 at 04:03 PM

PM

*Glenn & family we are so sorry for your loss; Praying for peace and comfort for you. "God is the God of all comfort." I remember one day she was telling me she was discussing which one would see the face of Jesus first. Sensed how she longed to see her Savior. I had some good outings with Lynn, She was a fun sweet lady!  
Pastor Ron was pleased he could assist at some of the funerals.  
Wish we could be with you!  
Phyllis & Ron Murphy*

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**Phyllis Murphy** - June 01, 2018 at 01:31 PM