



## Marilyn Lucille Madge Granger

May 26, 1949 - July 2, 2016

Marilyn Lucille Madge Granger, age 67, of Kankakee, passed away Saturday, July 2, 2016 at Presence St. Mary's Hospital.

She was born May 26, 1949 in St. Louis, MO, the daughter of Pierre P. & Mary I. Wibbenmeyer Granger.

Marilyn worked at KCTC and was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Bradley. She participated in the Special Olympics and had also participated in the River Valley Special Recreation Program.

Surviving are one sister and brother-in-law, Elise & Bruce Williams of Dixon; nieces and nephews, Kent & Heidi Williams of Elgin and Elizabeth Williams of Dixon; great-nieces and great-nephews, Hailey, Emily, and Aubrey Williams all of Elgin and Aeriss and Tanner Williams, both of Dixon; and her special caregiver, Rosa Silva of Bourbonnais.

The family would like to thank all of those who have helped care for Marilyn throughout her life; especially, Sr. Inga, Carolyn Meyers, and Scot Bowers.

She is preceded in death by her parents and one nephew, Kyle Williams.

Visitation will be held 10:00 a.m. until the 11:00 a.m. funeral Mass on Friday,

July 8, 2016 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Bradley. Interment will follow at Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Kankakee.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to KCTC Residential Program.  
<http://www.kctc-org.com/>

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Calvary

2000 E. Court St.  
Kankakee, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUL 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Joseph Catholic Church  
211 N. Center Street  
Bradley, IL 60915  
(815) 939-3573  
<http://www.stjosephbradley.org>

## Funeral Mass

JUL 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

CM

“ *Cindy Melhorn lit a candle in memory of Marilyn Lucille Madge Granger*



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**Cindy Melhorn** - July 07, 2016 at 10:07 PM

DJ

“ *Bonjour, so sorry to hear the loss of Marilyn. I'm wondering if Marilyn and I are cousins. Can anyone give me the name of her Dad's parents? Her Grandparents? My Granger family is from Quebec, Canada and they settled in the Kankakee, Illinois area, mainly in St. George during the 1840's. I would really appreciate a reply. Merci*

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**Donald W. Granger Jr.** - July 06, 2016 at 11:45 AM

EW

*Our paternal grandfather was Joseph Isaac Granger and our grandmother was Elizabeth Provost Granger. Our father's family was from Canada, they lived in Bourbonnais. The St. George Grangers might have been cousins. I went to high school with Diane Granger from St. George. Elise (Granger) Williams- Marilyn's sister*

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**Elise Williams** - July 06, 2016 at 08:46 PM

DJ

*Oh Mon Dieu! Qui! We are cousins! Your Great, Great, Grandfather Jean-Baptiste Granger b: 1763 is brother to my GGGG Grandfather Charles Granger II born 1749. I have your Father's brothers listed, your Uncles, Mark b: 1900 and Thomas Walter b: 1916 who married Maude Nelson. Your Grandfather Joseph was a Lawyer in Kankakee. Your Grandfather Joseph came from a family of 2 Catholic Priest, a Mother Superior, 2 brothers who owned a Dry Goods store in Kankakee called "Granger Brothers" all at rest at the Blessed Virgin Mary Cemetery in Bourbonnais. I'm a author of a Family history website called "Charles Granger 1810" about our French Canadian ancestors who left Quebec and settled in the Kankakee area during the 1840's, Please contact me at my posted e-mail address for information to gain access into my website so you and your family can review your French Canadian ancestry & heritage that goes way back to the early 1600's I also have photo's of your GG Grandparents David Granger & Elizabeth Roy and your Great Uncles with biographies. I'm also on Facebook, Donald Granger Triton College and Melrose Park. Hope to hear from you soon. Merci*

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**Donald W. Granger Jr.** - July 08, 2016 at 10:32 AM

SI

“ *Sister Inga lit a candle in memory of Marilyn Lucille Madge Granger*



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**Sister Inga** - July 05, 2016 at 02:11 PM

EW

*Thank you Sister Inga, you were very special to Marilyn. Elise Williams-Marilyn's sister*

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**Elise Williams** - July 06, 2016 at 08:28 PM

TG

*My sympathies Elise...will always remember Marilyn giving us neighborhood kids candy and discussing the latest Beatles album!*

*Tom Goodman*

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**Tom Goodman** - July 08, 2016 at 03:41 PM