



## Mary L. Clark

June 12, 1940 - December 4, 2021

Mary L. Clark, age 81, passed away Saturday, December 4, 2021 at her home in Bourbonnais.

She was born June 12, 1940 in Rockford, the daughter of Erwin & Clara (Hedberg) Strommer. Mary married William Clark on June 6, 1964 in Rockford.

Mary was a devoted Wife, Mom, Grandma and Sister. She was proud to have raised five caring children. She was an avid reader, enjoyed bird watching, loved lemons, laughter, camping, fishing, and listening to a good thunderstorm. Most of all, she loved giving, bringing joy, and spending time with her family.

Mary is survived by Bill, her husband of 57 wonderful years; her five children, Tracy Harwell (Dennis Hess) of Bradley, Scott (Gwenn) Clark of Ashkum, Christopher Clark (Jessica Van Swol) of Chicago, Cassandra Clark (Ryan Preston) of Kenney, and Dan Clark of Kankakee; her seven grandchildren, Lyndsay (Collin) Harwell, Cody (Merrisa) Harwell, Taryn (Cal) Harwell, Jacob (Taylor) Harwell, Zoe Clark, Daisy Clark, and Caitlyn Fontaine; one great-grandson Henry and another great-grandson on the way; her siblings, Erwin Strommer Jr., Richard Strommer, Mavis Fuller, David Strommer, and Phyllis McGough; and numerous nieces, nephews, and cousins. Mary is preceded in

death by her parents and siblings, Irene Cedervall and Frances Strommer.

A service will be held in the chapel at Mt. Calvary Cemetery in Kankakee on Saturday, December 11, 2021, at 11 a.m.

Donations may be made in Mary's name to Dolly Parton's Imagination Library or the Ronald McDonald House Charities.

Arrangements by Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais.

# Cemetery Details

## Mount Calvary Cemetery

2000 E. Court St.  
Kankakee, IL 60901

# Previous Events

## Cemetery Chapel Service

DEC 11. 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ *My love goes out to Bill & the kids.  
My Aunt Mary was the kindest most beautiful lady I have ever known.  
She cared about and loved everyone, especially her family.  
Get kids and grandchildren were always her number one topic of conversation.  
I remember her as being so giving to everyone, and when I talking to her on the phone, we never ran out of things to say.  
We would talk for hours about the kids and grandkids, about all the cousins, and about my dad.  
I'm gonna miss those talks, her laughter, and her beautiful spirit.*

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**Teddy Strommer (nephew!)** - December 09, 2021 at 05:29 PM

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“ *Scott and Gwenn, I am sorry to hear of your mother's passing!*

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**Craig A. Pontious** - December 09, 2021 at 02:49 PM

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“ *To Mary's family, I send my sympathy. I am Pam Gal's sister.*

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**Penny Noe(Pam Gal's sister)** - December 08, 2021 at 07:09 PM

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“ *When she came home from the hospital one time I made her and Bill a blanket for being such good neighbors and when she called me to thank me she cried saying that lemons were her favorite and yellow was her favorite color! It was a blanket were fleece with big lomon it made me so happy! They are great people so she will be missed!*

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**Pam Gal** - December 08, 2021 at 05:45 PM

JW

*I am so sorry for your loss. God bless and be with each and everyone.*

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**Jean Wessels** - December 10, 2021 at 04:35 AM

RS

*So sorry for your loss. We always enjoyed our visits at the Wolf family reunions. Bill and her children were her life and she enjoyed it all. Our prayers are with you Bill and all the kiddos.*

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**Richard and Mary Lou Salvator** - December 10, 2021 at 08:28 PM