



Mary Jo Deaton

March 27, 1951 - November 10, 2023

Mary Jo “MJ” Deaton, age 72, of Bradley, passed away Friday, November 10, 2023 at Ascension Heritage Village in Kankakee.

She was born March 27, 1951 in Booneville, MS, the daughter of Clellon & JoAnn Bonds Deaton.

She was a retired Registered Nurse and Director of Nursing at Shapiro Developmental Center in Kankakee.

MJ enjoyed spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren.

Surviving are one son, Michael & Tracy Deaton of Bradley; one sister, Margaret Johnson of Kankakee; one brother, Michael & Terl Deaton of Arkansas; three grandchildren, Lillie Anna Deaton, Michael Deaton Jr., and Baeleigh VanDusen; and five great-grandchildren, Meela, Ryker, Leo, Brooklyn, and Daniel.

MJ is preceded in death by her parents.

A memorial visitation will be held 4:00 -7:00 p.m. on Wednesday, November 15, 2023 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to family wishes.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

NOV **15**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

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

Tribute Wall

BD

“ *Brandon Dexter lit a candle in memory of Mary Jo Deaton*



Brandon Dexter - November 17, 2023 at 02:06 AM

AS

“ *My Condolences to her family and friends. MJ was a great coordinator. Rest Well 🙏*



Anitra S - November 16, 2023 at 09:30 PM

AS

“ *Alexia Sanders lit a candle in memory of Mary Jo Deaton*



Alexia Sanders - November 15, 2023 at 02:34 PM

MA

“ *My deepest condolences 🌸*



Maryellen - November 15, 2023 at 04:07 AM

BE

“❤️ *The Goodwin Family*



Beth - November 14, 2023 at 08:18 AM

KA

“*Kim Kronst Anderson lit a candle in memory of Mary Jo Deaton*



Kim Kronst Anderson - November 13, 2023 at 01:33 PM

TF

“*The Thompson Family lit a candle in memory of Mary Jo Deaton*



The Thompson family - November 13, 2023 at 12:32 PM

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JW

“ *Joanne Warren lit a candle in memory of Mary Jo Deaton*



Joanne Warren - November 13, 2023 at 06:55 AM

JW

“ *I worked with Mary Jo at Shapiro and she was always so pleasant, will be sending prayers for the family at this sad time in their lives. Rest in Peace MJ. Glad I crossed paths with you.*

Joanne Warren

Joanne Warren - November 13, 2023 at 06:51 AM

MG

“ *I've known Mary Jo for many years. I was Michael's 2nd grade teacher. She will truly be missed. Sending love and condolences to the family. May God Bless all of you.*

Mary Gaddy - November 12, 2023 at 12:30 PM

KS

“ *Condolences to her family. Mary Jo was a very good nurse. I knew her from Stmarys. She was kind. Prayers ❤️*
Kathy Sullivan

Kathy Sullivan - November 12, 2023 at 10:42 AM

MM

“ *MR MRS lit a candle in memory of Mary Jo Deaton*



MR MRS - November 12, 2023 at 10:17 AM

AF

“ *Mary Jo, I will forever treasure your kindness and advice the world has lost a bright light! Rest in peace Angie Fry*



angela fr - November 12, 2023 at 08:18 AM

MG

“ *Sending our Sincere Condolences..*



Maria Gwaltney - November 12, 2023 at 08:18 AM