



Mary Delmore

January 8, 1927 - June 3, 2006

Mary Delmore -- Kankakee Mary Delmore, 79, of Kankakee, died Saturday (June 3, 2006) at Riverside Medical Center, following surgery. Visitation will be from 4-8 p.m. Tuesday at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Wednesday at St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church. Rev. Charles Wheeler will officiate. Entombment will be in All Saints Cemetery, Bourbonnais. Memorials may be made to Provena St. Mary's Hospital. Mrs. Delmore was a registered nurse, retired from St. Mary's Hospital after more than 30 years. She was born Jan. 8, 1927, in Mankato, Minn., the daughter of Henry and Kathryn Thurmes Kiffe. Her husband, James Patrick Delmore, whom she married June 16, 1951, in Mankato, is deceased. She was a 1948 graduate (R.N.) of College of St. Catherine in St. Paul, Minn. She was a volunteer Red Cross nurse most of her career. She was a member of St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church, the CCW and was also a Eucharistic minister. She enjoyed sewing, gardening, spending time with family and friends and also her dog, Riley. Surviving are two sons and daughters-in-law, Joe and Amy Delmore of Bourbonnais, Dan and Darlene Delmore of Rancho Murieta, Calif.; two daughters and sons-in-law, Sue Delmore and Phillip Billman of Rancho Murieta, Jane and John Pilotte of Libertyville; six grandchildren, Stephanie Delmore, Nicole, Greg and Erin Pilotte, Bob and Kate Delmore; one great-grandson, Logan Zimmerman; and one brother and four sisters-in-law, Bill and Harriet Kiffe, Terry Kiffe and Sr. Elizabeth Delmore, all of Minnesota, and Rita Jirikovec of Wisconsin. Her parents, one son,

Michael Delmore, and one brother, Bob Kiffe, are deceased.

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“ *I had the opportunity to work with Mary at PSMH. She was always caring, giving, had words of wisdom and could always bring the best out in any situation with her laughter and sense of humor. ½She was a great asset to healthcare, the patients and those, like me, who were able to learn from her.

My sympathy to her family and friends

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“ There are no words to express how incredibly sorry we are that your family has experienced the unexpected loss of your beloved mother, Mary. ¶½In the few years we have known the Delmores, we have come to appreciate the strength and character of Mary's family and the degree to which they share their love with others. Mary leaves behind an extraordinary family who will make her eternally proud. ¶½May the time quickly come when you can rejoice in the love, light, laughter, and lessons she shared without it hurting so deeply. ¶½In the meantime, we are thinking of you, sending our love, and praying that God blesses you and keeps you as you release Mary's beautiful soul to go home. ¶½###imported-begin###Doug and Robin Johnson###imported-end###

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“ Okay Lord, the Delmore's have been through enough, and they've passed the test. Give them some more of Mom Mary's strength to make it through this one.

 ¶½I have thoughts of her every Xmas when I unwrap her knitted Xmas tree she gave me years ago, I always will.

 ¶½I lost my Mom five years ago. I won't try to tell you it's easy. but I will tell you,I still talk to her, and she's listening. Mary is too.

 ¶½¶½Kind thoughts from old friends, Sandy and Rob...let's please keep in touch, it's been too long.###imported-begin###sandy mackey & rob la plant###imported-end###

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“ Dan, Sue, Jane and Joe,

I found such a connection with your mother because of Mike. He always said that our mother's looked alike and they did. During this past year I have shared so many good memories with Mary. I would call her up and say "Hi Mary" and she always knew that it was me. I talked with her a few days before her surgery and I told her that Gordy and I were planning a trip down this fall to see her and she could show us Mike's final resting place, she was thrilled. I thank God that I have been able to meet each and every one of you. You will be forever in our hearts and I do hope that we will always keep in touch. Mary was such a wonderful lady and she will be so missed. She is with her boys. God Bless all of you!!!

Love, Gordy and Jackie###imported-begin###jackie and gordy morrill###imported-end##

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“ Greg and I only briefly were able to meet Mary, and not under the best circumstances. We met her when her sweet son passed away. We were good friends with Mike, and the few times we visited with Mary were wonderful. Words cannot express how sorry we are for all of you to have to cope with another tragic loss in your family. We believe that she and Mike are now reunited. To all of you in the family, again, we are so sorry. Know that you are always in our thoughts and prayers.###imported-begin###Greg & Kim Thoen###imported-end##

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“ I will miss you forever and love you always, Grandma!

xo,

Stephanie###imported-begin###Stephanie Delmore###imported-end##

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“ We are so profoundly sorry to be writing yet another tribute to a member of the Delmore family. Mary was a wonderful, fun and sensitive soul and we will miss her. Our sympathy to all of the family members. We wish we could be there to hug you all and tell you how sad we are for you and how much we wish it were different. Much love and support.##imported-begin##Kerry Manske##imported-end##

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