



## Mary Gibson

January 7, 1950 - January 20, 2022

Mary Gibson, age 72, of Manteno, passed away Thursday, January 20, 2022 at her home after a long battle with cancer.

She was born January 7, 1950 in Champaign, the daughter of Karl & Doris Mowrer Aufdenkampe.

Mary married Paul Gibson on March 27, 1971 in Sidney.

She loved gardening, reading, and crocheting. Most of all, she loved spending time with her grandchildren.

Mary was a member of the Interfaith Organization. She was an active member of the Manteno United Methodist Church and an active member of the Bell Choir at her church.

Surviving are her husband of 50 years, Paul Gibson of Manteno; two daughters, Erica Gibson of Channahon and Erin Crawl of Chesapeake, VA; five grandchildren, Dylon Southard, Katie Southard, Kasey Southard, Jackson Crawl, and Sidney Crawl; one brother, Dean & Kathy Hale of Champaign; two sisters, Joyce Wilson of Savoy and Karla & Gary Gerdes of Champaign; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Mary is preceded in death by her parents; and one brother-in-law, Tom Wilson.

Visitation will be held 4:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Monday, January 24, 2022 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Manteno.

An additional visitation will be held from 10:00 a.m. until the 11:00 a.m. funeral service on Tuesday, January 25, 2022 at Manteno United Methodist Church.

Cremation rites will be accorded following the visitation.

Memorials may be made to Uplifted Care.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN **24**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Manteno - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.  
291 N. Main St.  
Manteno, IL 60950  
(815) 932-1214  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Visitation

JAN **25**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Manteno United Methodist Church  
255 W. Second Street  
Manteno, IL

## Funeral Service

JAN **25**. 11:00 AM (CT)

Manteno United Methodist Church  
255 W. Second Street  
Manteno, IL

# Tribute Wall

PH

“ We would like to express our sorrow at the passing of Mary. We certainly will miss her and sorry that we will miss the services as we are in California.

*Carole and Park Hollenbeck*

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**Park Hollenbeck** - January 24, 2022 at 02:23 PM

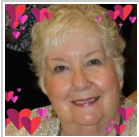
TE

“ Tim And Connie Eaker lit a candle in memory of Mary Gibson



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**Tim and Connie Eaker** - January 23, 2022 at 08:14 PM



“ My heart is heavy now for dear Mary's, Paul and daughters and grandchildren and family. Mary took me under her wing, so to speak. When I first moved to Manteno and joined Manteno U.M, Church, she invited me to go with her to a Craft Show by the train station in Kankakee. We had a fun time getting acquainted. Also, in our Bible Study Class, Mary was always with a kind word to bring to the group and delicious treats. I'll miss her very much and always remember her inspiration and faith as she fought her illness with such calm and perseverance.

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**Harriett Eckberg** - January 23, 2022 at 12:01 PM

GM

“ My heart goes out to Mary's family and my Cousins. It's sad, but happy to know Mary is no longer suffering. I will especially miss Mary at gatherings and her yeast rolls. However, I will always remember when Mary and I would be at a gathering after both our mothers had died and Aunt Eula was also in attendance. Aunt Eula would call us over and put her arms around us and say "Now I'm with my sisters again." Mary looked like Doris and I looked like Mary.

-- Ginny Lou McCarrey

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**Ginny McCarrey** - January 22, 2022 at 07:33 PM

NM

“ Nicole Cole Martinez lit a candle in memory of Mary Gibson



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**Nicole Cole Martinez** - January 22, 2022 at 05:11 PM

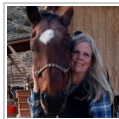
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“ JACQUE BROWN lit a candle in memory of Mary Gibson



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**JACQUE BROWN** - January 22, 2022 at 02:21 PM



Thank you Jacque ❤️

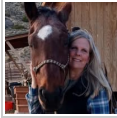
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**Erica Gibson** - January 22, 2022 at 03:20 PM

LS

“ Erika, Sorry to hear of your loss. Mom has been in my prayers since we talked months ago. May you have many happy memories to sustain you and your children for many years.

larry skelly - January 22, 2022 at 10:52 AM



Thank you Mr Skelly❤️

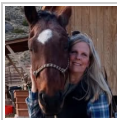
Erica Gibson - January 22, 2022 at 03:20 PM

BH

“ Bryan & Joelene Hays lit a candle in memory of Mary Gibson



Bryan & Joelene Hays - January 21, 2022 at 04:56 PM



Thank you❤️

Erica Gibson - January 22, 2022 at 03:20 PM

CM

I am very sorry to hear about Mary. She was a gracious hostess to me and my daughter when we met Joyce and Doris there at her house. Yes, she was the one who looked the most like her mother.  
Carol Moore

Carol Moore - January 22, 2022 at 10:56 PM



“ 100 files added to the album *LifeTributes*



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**Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes** - January 21, 2022 at 02:19 PM

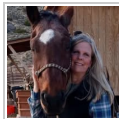


“ *Claudia Weigt Patterson lit a candle in memory of Mary Gibson*



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**Claudia Weigt Patterson** - January 21, 2022 at 01:14 PM



*Thank you Claudia* ❤️

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**Erica Gibson** - January 22, 2022 at 03:21 PM