



Nancy A. Stephens

November 5, 1951 - January 1, 2026

Nancy A. Stephens, age 74, of Bourbonnais, formerly of Frankfort, passed away Thursday, January 1, 2026 at her home. She was born November 5, 1951 in Chicago, the daughter of Murray & Irene (Objnski) Cook. Nancy married Ed Stephens on October 5, 1979 in Joliet.

Nancy was a homemaker and cared for her family. She loved spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren, whom she took on many trips.

Nancy was an animal lover, especially dogs. She enjoyed shopping.

Surviving are her husband of 46 years, Ed Stephens of Bourbonnais; four sons, Daryl (Marie) Gasaway of Crete, Tommy (Amie) Gasaway of Manteno, Murray Gasaway of Manteno, and Ed Jr. (Julie) Stephens of Essex; one sister, Sandy (Mike) Van De North of New Lenox; six grandchildren, Jackson, Ruby, Keaton, Aubrey, Jamie, and Kelly; and several nieces and nephews. Nancy is preceded in death by her parents and one brother, Bob Cook.

Cremation rites have been accorded. A memorial visitation will be held from 9 a.m. until the time of the 11 a.m. memorial service on Friday, January 9, 2026 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. Rev. Scott Henley will officiate the service.

Memorials may be made to River Valley Animal Rescue or the Kankakee County Humane Foundation.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JAN 9. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Bryan C. planted a grove of 5 [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Nancy A. Stephens.*

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