



Sara White

April 27, 1936 - October 8, 2008

Sara White -- Irwin Visitation for Sara J. "Sallie" White, 72, of Irwin, will be from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Sunday at the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Monday at St. James the Apostle Catholic Church in Irwin (Kankakee), where she was a member. The Rev. Ronald Hart will officiate. Cremation rites will be accorded following the services. Inurnment will be in St. James Cemetery, Irwin. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley or to St. James Cemetery Fund. She died Wednesday (Oct. 8, 2008) at Provena Heritage Village. Mrs. White worked at Club Irwin and also worked at Holiday House in Austin, Texas. She was born April 27, 1936, in Sterling, Colo., the daughter of Elmer and Frances Doolin Bristow. She enjoyed reading and spending time with her family. Surviving are two sons and one daughter-in-law, Rick and Kathy White of Kankakee, Kurt White of Herscher; three daughters and two sons-in-law, Janise and Jeff Kuhar of Chebanse, Gina and Mike Laughlin of Kyle, Texas, Janelle White of Austin; six grandchildren, Jimmy White, Jennifer (Josh) Adams, Michelle Odom, Jessica White, Siera White, Anton Kuhar; one great-granddaughter on the way; one sister, Betty "Mick" Crouch of Riverton; two brothers and sisters-in-law, Don and Dodie Bristow of Springfield, Jerry and Masayo Bristow of Oakland, Calif.; two stepsisters, Mary Balculas of Lakeview, Ark., Sister Marion Rooney of Chicago; two stepbrothers and one stepsister-in-law, Thomas Rooney of St. Peters, Mo., Pete and Patricia Rooney of Chatham; and her former spouse, Jim White of Davenport,

Fla. Deceased are her parents; one brother-in-law, Earl Crouch; stepfather, Thomas A Rooney; and two stepbrothers, George and James Rooney. "God Bless You Child."

Tribute Wall



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“ NULL##imported-begin##Siera White##imported-end##

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“ My prayers and sympathy to Betty Crouch, a sister of Sara. I did not know Sara, but if she was anything like Betty, she would be a devote Catholic, highly involved in her faith, a part of the Worship Community praising God and trusting in the power of God's healing. My prayers go out for both Sara and Betty. They will be remembered in the celebration of the Eucharist. May God bless!

Fr Bob##imported-begin##Father Robert N. Porter##imported-end##

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“ So sorry for your loss. ĩ½We all know how you are feeling since losing Dad just a few months ago. ĩ½Sometimes, though, it's better. ĩ½You hate to see them suffer and not have the life they once had. ĩ½Just wanted to let all of you know we are thinking of you. ĩ½Rest knowing she is now in a much better place!!!

See you soon.

Gerry, Donna, and Family###imported-begin##Gerry and Donna Bertrand###imported-end##

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“ Mom was a dear, sweet lady that always treated me like a member of the family. ĩ½I called her "Mom" and loved her like she really was mine. ĩ½She was a wonderful person that I will miss. ĩ½Go with God, Mom

Scotty ĩ½###imported-begin##Scott Parker###imported-end##

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“ my sincerest sympathies on the passing of sallie. i own the texaco station across from where the holiday house used to be. she served me many a breakfast there always with a complimentary "side" of smiles.may peace and a good wait person be hers always.###imported-begin##neal w. newberry###imported-end##

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“ "Those we love can never be

more than a thought apart;

For as long as there are memories,

they live forever in our hearts."

My thoughts and prayers are with all of you!!

Lots and Lots of Love,
Ashley###imported-begin##Ashley Graham###imported-end##

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“ Grandma,

There isn't a minute that goes by that I don't think about you and wish you were still with us. ĩ½I wish I could have been there to say goodbye, to let you know that I love you and that I am so thankful for the time we shared and thankful I had you in my life to help me become the woman I am today. ĩ½I miss you every second grandma. ĩ½But I am so extremely grateful that I had you here to watch my college graduation, and that we had one last wonderful time together. ĩ½Today and always, LOVE YOU LOVE YOU AND GOD BLESS YOU CHILD.

The Broken Chain

"We little knew that morning

that God was going to call your name.

In life we loved you dearly,

in death we do the same.

It broke our hearts to lose you,

you did not go alone;

for part of us went with you

the day God called you home.

You left us peaceful memories,

your love is still our guide,

and though we cannot see you,

you are always by our side.

Our family chain is broken

and nothing seems the same,

but as God calls us one by one,

the chain will link again."

##imported-begin##Michelle Odom##imported-end##

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“ We are so very sorry for you loss. ĩ½Our prayers are with you at this time.

##imported-begin##Brent and Anne Christensen##imported-end##

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“ Years ago, your mom handmade several Christmas tree ornaments for me and my family and every year I put them on our tree. I will always remember her as a very nice lady. May she be at peace.

My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.##imported-begin##Carol Lake##imported-end##

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“ For years we joined a group on Saturday mornings at Holiday House -- known as Sallie's Breakfast Club. ĩ½Our places were always set and we all knew where to sit for our coffee!

On two different occasions she posed with Merle for a snapshot, and the result is posted in our albums. Nice mementos!

We loved Sallie dearly and know that she is safe at home with her Lord who she served so well.##imported-begin##Merle and Jim Fair##imported-end##

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“ Sorry for your loss.##imported-begin##Ron##imported-end##

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