



Shirley Willard

July 28, 1935 - August 30, 2010

Visitation for Shirley R. Willard, 75, of Bourbonnais, will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday at the Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais, where funeral services will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday. Pastor Joel Giles will officiate. Burial will be in Mound Grove Gardens of Memory. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley. She died Monday (Aug. 30, 2010) at her home. Mrs. Willard co-owned and operated Charlie's in Kankakee with her husband. She was born July 28, 1935, in Chicago. She enjoyed and looked forward to getting her hair done each week. She enjoyed spoiling and spending time with her granddaughter, Abby. Surviving are her husband, Charlie E. Willard, whom she married March 16, 1954, in Crown Point, Ind.; one daughter and son-in-law, Cynthia and Andrew Altenberger, of Bradley; one granddaughter, Abby Altenberger; two stepgrandchildren, Jamie and Emilie Altenberger; two sisters, Midge Ciapponi, of Beecher, and Betty Green, of Tinley Park; and many nieces and nephews. Deceased are her parents, and nine brothers and sisters.

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“ *Cindy, Forgive me: I went to Schreffler's Bourbonnais because I am not too much on the ball. I hope that you are all holding up okay. The obituary mentioned hospice so I would imagine that it was not a great surprise. Nonetheless, my experience has proven that you can never be prepared for the loss of a parent. This will make you spiritually stronger, Cindy. I pray that beautiful little Abby is not too hard hit by this. I love your guys.*
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“ *Mrs. Altenberger,
So very sorry for your loss. I am sorry Jeremy was not able to attend the service as he really wanted to. Please know our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. God Bless.##imported-begin##Brian, Debbie and Jeremy Arndt##imported-end##*

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“ Cindy, I am so sorry for your loss. *½*The passing away of a mom is such a terrible loss. *½*My sympathy goes out to your entire family. *½**½**½**½*###imported-begin##Cheri DeVore Bauer###imported-end##

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“ AUNT SHIRLEY WAS LOVING AND KIND. WHEN I ADOPTED MY DAUGHTER BRANDI SHE HAD SENT ME A CHECK TO WELCOME BRANDI TO THE FAMILY, IT WAS SO SWEET. I ENJOYED MANY VISITS TO KANKAKEE AS A CHILD, MY DAD ""RICHIE" AND MY MOM JUDY ADORED UNCLE CHUCK AND AUNT SHIRLEY. WE HAVE WAY TO MANY MEMORIES PAST TO LIST. I WILL TELL YOU ONE OF THE FUNNIEST THINGS I EVER EXPERIENCED THOUGH. AUNT SHIRLEY ALWAYS HAD THE BETTY BOOP CURLS TO THE SIDES OF HER FACE, SHE FOUND OUT MY BROTHER RICK AND I THOUGHT THEY WERE FUNNY...SHE HAD THEM CUT OFF AND PUT THEM IN A BOX FOR US AND PRESENTED THEM TO US AT A FAMILY EVENT...I NEVER LAUGHED SO HARD...LOVE YOU AUNT SHIRLEY,AND HOPE YOUR FLYING WITH THE ANGELS!!!! *½*###imported-begin##LYNN GORY###imported-end##

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“ Cindy:

I wish you much comfort, peace and many happy memories of your mother to get you through this difficult time. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.

Linda###imported-begin##Linda Ryan###imported-end##

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“ *Just a few lines to the family --My love an prayers are to all-*
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