



Susan Lynn "Sue" Birr

April 14, 1956 - December 30, 2025

Susan "Sue" Lynn Birr, age 69 of Clifton passed away on Tuesday, December 30, 2025 at Riverside Medical Center, Kankakee. She was born on April 14, 1956 in Kankakee, the daughter of Edward William and Luana Mae (Allen) Birr.

Susan was a mental health technician. She enjoyed playing, watching, and coaching softball. Susan had multiple pets, both cats and dogs. She liked to go horseback riding, fishing, and watch horror movies. She was a scorekeeper, announcer, and statistician for Alpiner Park. Sue was a member of the Girls Athletic Association (GAA) in high school. She participated in volleyball at the YMCA and enjoyed bowling.

Surviving are two sisters, Sandy (Lonnie) Netzel, Cheryl (Karen Disimone) Anderson, all of Kankakee; one brother-in-law, Jeff Slaughter of St. Charles, MO; six nieces and nephews, EJ (Danielle) Slaughter, Brandon (Mandi) Anderson, Bradley (Laura) Netzel, Amber (David) Granzow, Chad Slaughter, Cody (Jessica) Netzel; and thirteen great nieces and nephews.

Susan is preceded in death by her parents, Edward and Luana; and one sister, Holly Slaughter.

Cremation rites have been accorded.

Memorials may be made to family wishes.

Arrangements are by Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, Kankakee.

Tribute Wall

VH

“ I am so sorry to hear of Sue's passing. We got our jobs at Shapiro at same time and Sue was like my big sister teaching me how to be an adult. She was such a kind and caring person. R.I.P. Sue you earned it.

Verna (Coffman) Hall - January 05 at 06:35 PM

CB

“ Cheryl and Sandy...I am very sorry to hear of Sue's passing.



Cheryl (Grace) Bechtel - January 04 at 06:47 PM

NS

“ Nancy Spraker lit a candle in memory of Susan Lynn "Sue" Birr



Nancy Spraker - January 04 at 03:31 PM

LE

“ Laura Etzel lit a candle in memory of Susan Lynn "Sue" Birr



laura etzel - January 04 at 01:28 PM

KT

“ Thought & Prayers at this difficult time ~
I'll always remember Summer League at
River Road and Sue's High Arc Backspin slo-
pitch.



Kristine Trombley - January 03 at 09:39 PM

CA

Thank you for sharing.

Cheryl Anderson - January 04 at 01:57 AM

DC

“ Debbie Clodi lit a candle in memory of Susan
Lynn "Sue" Birr



Debbie Clodi - January 03 at 06:37 PM

AS

“ Angie Serafini lit a candle in memory of
Susan Lynn "Sue" Birr



angie Serafini - January 03 at 06:19 PM

AS

You will be missed Sue!

angie Serafini - January 03 at 06:20 PM

SS

Rest in peace Sue!

sue serafini - January 03 at 07:54 PM

R(

“ *Rest in peace cousin Sue. Love you always!*



Ruth Denoyer (Tom) - January 03 at 01:04 PM

RD

Cheryl and Sandy, I am very sorry for your loss. I have nothing but great memories of her growing up. I'm sure she's having a great reunion up there and free from pain.

ROBIN Lynn Dockus - January 08 at 01:13 PM

DD

“ *As a longtime friend of Sue's, I have many memories of Sue. She was the most caring person that I knew. I will miss her terribly, but I know that she has a special place in heaven!*

Donna Denault - January 03 at 11:48 AM

JG

“ *Joseph Giacchino lit a candle in memory of Susan Lynn "Sue" Birr*



Joseph Giacchino - January 02 at 03:32 PM