



Susan "Sue" Dickson

November 7, 1966 - September 30, 2021

Susan "Sue" Dickson, age 54, of Kankakee passed away Thursday, September 30, 2021 at her home. She was born on November 7, 1966 in Kankakee, the daughter of John & Hester (Simpson) Settle. Susan married Virgil Dickson on July 12, 1985 in Kankakee.

Sue worked as a bus driver for Cardinal Bus Line and drove for Central School District. She was a member of the Iroquois Chiefs Motorcycle Club and the Kankakee Jaycees. Sue enjoyed coloring, camping, and collecting Tasmanian Devil memorabilia. She was proud of getting her CDL and becoming a bus driver. Sue was a loving and loyal mother.

Surviving are her husband, Virgil Dickson of Kankakee; three sons and two daughters-in-law, Dean & Jessica Dickson of Manteno, Virgil "Lee" Dickson of Bradley, and Christopher & Jennifer Dickson of Clifton; one daughter, Tracey Dickson of Bradley; four grandchildren, Noah, Valerie, Andrea "Andie", and Jonathan; her mother, Hester Settle of Kankakee; and two brothers and two sisters-in-law, John & Linda Settle of Bradley and Anthony & Kim Settle of Bourbonnais. Sue is preceded in death by her father, John "J.B." Settle.

Cremation rites have been accorded. A memorial visitation will be held from 4-8 p.m. Tuesday, October 5, 2021 at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee.

Memorials may be made to the family wishes.

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

OCT 5. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home
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Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Tribute Wall

PL

“ *What a great loss to hear about your passing. Fly high Sue.*

Paul Leach and Antione Leach - March 05, 2025 at 09:31 AM

TS

“ *A beautiful person, willing and ready to lend a helping hand where needed and a listening ear to hear ready to solve any problem. May she rest in our HEAVENLY FATHER'S loving hands*
❤️🕊️ *Condolences to the family*



Tonya Samuels - November 16, 2021 at 01:46 AM

KF

“ *Sue was a light to the world, and will be sorely missed. My love and empathy go to her family. I wrote a longer memorial on my Facebook page. Anyone is welcome to read it. <https://www.facebook.com/BookOfMirrors/posts/10160394514026320>*

K'La Albertini (Formerly Krista Fleming) - October 10, 2021 at 07:04 PM

GM

“ *Greg ("Crow") and I have known Sue and Virgil since before they were married back in the 80's. We've never lost touch in all those years. Greg was in the Jaycees back then. They were also our neighbors for a few years in Bradley, where Tracy and our daughter Amy used to play together.*
Sue loved Amy (and all our kids) and had a heart as good as gold. She'd do anything for anybody and will be sorely missed.
I'm sure Amy greeted her in Heaven and they're walking the streets of gold. (and probably stirring up just a bit of trouble).

Greg & Laurie Martin - October 08, 2021 at 12:53 PM

JD

“ She was a really great mom to Chris & me and grandma to Jonathan. She was so loving & selfless, always worrying about others and putting them before her own needs & didn't complain about whatever hand she was dealt. She is deeply loved & missed by us. I wish we had more time with her. We're truly blessed to have had her in our lives.

Jennifer Dickson - October 06, 2021 at 02:38 PM



“ Gable Gift Box was purchased for the family of Susan "Sue" Dickson.



October 02, 2021 at 10:30 AM

VD

“ Dean, Jessica and family you have my deepest sympathy prayers and love for your loss. miss all of you.



Virginia R Dominick - October 01, 2021 at 12:54 PM

JL

“ I met Sue nearly 20 years ago. She was more than just a friend. She was family. I've always known Sue to be kind, caring, compassionate and charismatic. She has positively impacted the lives of everyone who knew her. She will live on through all of us. She is already greatly missed by all. Even when things were at their worst, she checked up on everyone else to see how they were doing and thought about everyone else's health. Thank you for caring about all of us so much. Love you Sue.

Jessica Langley - October 01, 2021 at 11:00 AM

AR

“ Angel Roy lit a candle in memory of Susan "Sue" Dickson



Angel Roy - October 01, 2021 at 06:53 AM

LM

“ Laura Mitchell lit a candle in memory of Susan "Sue" Dickson



laura mitchell - September 30, 2021 at 09:25 PM

LM

i new sue from school,,and she has always been a nice person.an not to long after my dad died i was depressed an i talked to sue on messenger,,a bit about some stuff and she told me if i needed to talk to let her know and hugs love she put,,i never did reach out to talk cause im not very good at sharing my feelings,,but i knew if i would of reached out sue would of listened..she had a good heart,,so until we meet again,,RIP SUE

laura mitchell - September 30, 2021 at 09:39 PM

TT

“ Tom Tunks lit a candle in memory of Susan "Sue" Dickson



Tom Tunks - September 30, 2021 at 08:57 PM

TT

“ Always a smile on her face. Always willing to lend a helping hand. So glad I got to meet you through Kim and Karen. You will be missed by all that knew you. Until we meet again,Godspeed you sweet angel.



Tom Tunks - September 30, 2021 at 08:56 PM

DD

“ Dennis Dunlavey lit a candle in memory of Susan "Sue" Dickson



Dennis Dunlavey - September 30, 2021 at 08:44 PM

JF

“ Jaymie Falkenhan lit a candle in memory of Susan "Sue" Dickson



Jaymie Falkenhan - September 30, 2021 at 08:37 PM

TA

“ Aunt Suzy will forever be family. I can remember every Halloween she would make me promise to come by her house. I thought she wanted to see the kids, which she did but she also wanted to have Virgil scare the crap out of me with his Freddy costume. Rip in peace. You will be missed greatly.

tammy - September 30, 2021 at 08:33 PM

DW

“ I met sue 1996 she was my neighbor and best friend, her son Christopher and my two girls grew up together. Sue and i use to do lots of stuff with the kids loved going to haunted places in oct. use to love go driving and looking at lights around Christmas. Sue and i use to do ceramics together she would come over and paint for hours. When she moved it broke my heart but I didn't lose a friend just a neighbor. Sue and i use to work at ups together then we worked at KCTC together. we even worked at dog laundry together Sue was very close to my family my dad and grandma we use to play cards together. Wow have the years flew by. Sue you are my best friend and will always be in my heart i will miss you dearly.
Love you always
Diana Workman



Diana Workman - September 30, 2021 at 08:24 PM

SB

“ I had the pleasure of meeting Sue a few years ago While sub driving at Kctc and later at Central school District. She was a sweet person and will be missed Very sorry to hear of her passing . Prayers to her family for strength in the coming days.

Sandra Brutlag - September 30, 2021 at 07:54 PM

SB

“ Sandra Brutlag lit a candle in memory of Susan "Sue" Dickson



Sandra Brutlag - September 30, 2021 at 07:48 PM

DB

“ Sue was a great staff member working with the developmentally disabled. Her big heart was readily sensed by all who had contact with her. She will be missed. RIP Sue.

Debra Best - September 30, 2021 at 07:32 PM

AB

“ Ashley Bell-Johnson lit a candle in memory of Susan "Sue" Dickson



Ashley Bell-Johnson - September 30, 2021 at 06:22 PM

JD

“ Sue was a loving and generous person. She loved me for me. She loved her grandchildren and kids so dearly. There is nothing she wouldn't do for them. She is greatly loved and missed!

Jennifer Dickson - September 30, 2021 at 05:55 PM

NR

“ Nicole (ivey) Rasmussen lit a candle in memory of Susan "Sue" Dickson



nicole (ivey) rasmussen - September 30, 2021 at 05:53 PM