



Joyce Margaret Montavon

February 24, 1937 - June 2, 2020

Joyce M. Montavon age 83 of Dixon died Tuesday June 2, 2020 at her home surrounded by her family following a short illness due to a rare form of aggressive anaplastic thyroid cancer. She was born Feb. 24, 1937 in Mendota, IL the daughter of Joseph and Lucille (Boehle) Nauman. Joyce was a Registered Nurse and did her nursing training at St Joseph/Mercy Hospital in Aurora where she then worked as a surgical nurse. She had also worked at KSB Hospital in Dixon, the Amboy Hospital and did home health care.

She was a member of St Anne Catholic Church in Dixon.

Joyce married Richard C. Montavon Sept. 6, 1958 at St Patrick Catholic Church in Amboy.

She was preceded in death by her parents, two sisters Dolores Leffelman and Shirley Full, three brothers Stanley, Mervin and Earl Nauman.

Joyce is survived by her husband Rich, children Ann Montavon of Dixon, Kathleen Rosignal of St Charles, Julia (Tim) Langan of Peoria, Richard "Dick" (Susan) Montavon Jr of Oregon, Sara (John) Stimac of East Alton, IL, 11 grandchildren, Jessica (Mark) Szachowicz, Jacqueline (Victor) Bompreszi, Kate (Joseph) Vitucci, Mitchell Langan, Patrick (Dani) Langan, Natalie Langan, Lucas Langan, Bailey Montavon, Lauren Montavon, Megan Spaniol and Jacob Spaniol, 4 great grandchildren Colette and Sloane Szachowicz and Sienna and Victor Jr Bompreszi. She is also survived by two sisters Clara Mae Ansteth of Amboy, Janet (Jim) Montavon of Dixon and one brother Don (Marilyn) Nauman of Freeport.

Joyce was a very caring and loving person by nature. Her family always came first and she will be greatly missed by her husband, children, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

A family Mass of Christian Burial will be held Friday at St Anne Catholic Church in Dixon with the Rev. Thomas Doyle officiating. Burial will follow at St Patrick Cemetery in Amboy. A family visitation will be held at the Jones Funeral Home in Dixon on Thursday. In lieu of flowers a memorial has been established.

Cemetery Details

St. Patrick Cemetery in Amboy

816 Rockyford Rd
Amboy, IL 61310

Tribute Wall



“ *Joyce Margaret Montavon*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Joyce Margaret Montavon*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *Please accept my condolence.*

Michele Egan - June 11, 2020 at 12:54 AM



“ *I am so sorry to hear about Joyce's passing. She was a beautiful lady and always so caring and friendly. My deepest condolences to her whole family. Rest In Peace Joyce.*
Sincerely,
Laurie (McClanahan) Wilson

Laurie (McClanahan) Wilson - June 05, 2020 at 10:33 PM



“ *I worked part time with Joyce at Amboy Hospital and always appreciated her professionalism. May her family know that others do, indeed, care.*

Shirlene Lowe - June 05, 2020 at 06:41 PM

TF

“ *The Stimac Family purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Joyce Margaret Montavon.*



The Stimac Family - June 04, 2020 at 11:31 AM

MB

“ *Marilyn Braida lit a candle in memory of Joyce Margaret Montavon*



marilyn Braida - June 04, 2020 at 10:38 AM

LM

“ *She was such a beautiful lady who could light up your day with her beautiful smile. So sorry to all of the Montavon family for this great loss, RIP sweet Joyce❤️. Marty & Lynn Montavon*



lynn montavon - June 04, 2020 at 08:58 AM

GS

“ *Gary Sylvia Schultz lit a candle in memory of Joyce Margaret Montavon*



Gary Sylvia Schultz - June 03, 2020 at 07:13 PM

KH

“ *I always thought the Joyce was a beautiful, elegant woman and she was so nice too. I know that my parents, Alvin and Joanne Montavon, always liked her a lot. May she rest in peace!*

Karen Henkel - June 03, 2020 at 02:08 PM

LF

“ *Love, Frank and Rita Friel purchased the Your Light Shines for the family of Joyce Margaret Montavon.*



Love, Frank and Rita Friel - June 03, 2020 at 01:50 PM

LT

“ *Love always, Elizabeth, Jessi, Briana & Torie purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Joyce Margaret Montavon.*



Love always, Elizabeth, Jessi, Briana & Torie - June 03, 2020 at 10:22 AM

BC

“ *BONNIE CARSON sent a virtual gift in memory of Joyce Margaret Montavon*



BONNIE CARSON - June 03, 2020 at 09:24 AM

BC

There aren't enough words to express all the beautiful memories we have of precious Joyce. Joyce was a beautiful angel that God shared with us here on earth and she now continue to watch over you all from heaven. We will forever have a special place in our heart for Joyce and keep you all in our prayers. Love you all - John & Bonnie Carson

BONNIE CARSON - June 03, 2020 at 09:28 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Joyce Margaret Montavon.*



June 03, 2020 at 12:17 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Joyce Margaret Montavon.*



June 02, 2020 at 09:44 PM