



Judith Lynn Hill

April 22, 1944 - April 8, 2020

Judith L Hill age 75 of Dixon died Wednesday April 8, 2020 at her home surrounded by her family. She was born April 22, 1944 in Dixon the daughter of Lloyd "Shires" and Dorothy (Wachtel) Miller. Judy received her Associates Degree in Human Services from Sauk Valley Community College, her Bachelor Degree in Family Services from Northern Illinois University and her Master Degree in Social Work from the University of Illinois.

She had been a social worker for Lee County Youth Services Bureau, was the coordinator of the CETA program at Highland Community College in Freeport, worked for the Dept. of Children and Family Services, was Director for social work at CGH Medical Center and was a professor of Human Services at Sauk Valley Community College.

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

Judy married James D Hill June 27, 1964 in Dixon. She was preceded in his death on January 21, 2007 and by her son, Scott Hill, on August 27, 2015.

Judy is survived by her daughter in law Maria Hill and grandson Jim Hill of Surprise, Arizona, grandson Alex (Lupita) Velazquez and great grandchildren Xavier, Mia and Alexa Velazquez of Las Vegas, Nevada; sisters Anna Mae (Burt) Toms of Dixon, Donna Wolf of Polo, sisters in law Joan Swegle and Sally Campbell both of Dixon and brother in law Bob (Sybil) Hill of Dixon. She is also survived by several loving nieces and nephews. Judy was also preceded in death by her brothers in law Ronald Broers, Howard Swegle, Joe Campbell and Don Wolf.

Judy's strong faith and generous spirit will be missed by her many friends and especially her faithful companion, Misty.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at Wednesday Oct. 13, 2021 at 10:30 Am at St Patrick Catholic Church in Dixon. A luncheon will follow Mass at the Holloway Center. Private family burial of cremains will be at Oakwood Cemetery in Dixon. Memorial donations in Judy's name can be made to the Loaves and Fishes Ministry at St Patrick Catholic Church or to the Granny Rose Animal Shelter in Dixon. Arrangements by the Jones Funeral Home in Dixon.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood

416 S Dement Ave
Dixon, IL 61021

Previous Events

Service

OCT **13**. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

St. Patrick Catholic Church in Dixon
612 S. Highland Ave.
Dixon, IL 61021
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<http://www.stpatrickdixon.org>

Tribute Wall



“ *Judith Lynn Hill*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Judith Lynn Hill*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *Judy was my Human Services advisor at Sauk Valley. I admired and respected her for all she had done, but most importantly what she saw in me that I could not. She pushed me to become more. Because of Judy, I went on to get my bachelors in Psychology, then a Masters in Social Work. I am forever grateful to her for her pushing me, encouraging me and helping me. I am the social worker I am today because of her. I have thought of her often and want the family to know how special a person she was and is and her memory, her drive and her encouragement to so many lives on.*

Charisse Jesiolowski - April 16, 2020 at 02:49 PM



“ *I met Judy at Sauk in 2002. I was a student in her humanities class. She was always so kind and encouraging. She was an awesome teacher and a wonderful person and will be very very missed.*

Kelly Allen - April 14, 2020 at 08:54 PM

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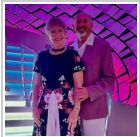
“ Judy was not only my colleague at Sauk Valley Community College, but she was my true friend. From the very first time we meet, we realized we both had many of the same interest especially a desire to help returning adult students.

The memory of her loving special smile will forever bring back a smile on my face and a recollection of many wonderful times we shared together. We had such fun times thru the years. The first time she took me for a ride in her lime green VW convertible with the top down, I told her she was my hero. So last summer I finally found my own VW, gave Judy a call and shared my VW story with her. She immediately said, send me a video! She said she MUST see it even though she did not feel well enough to to share a ride.

What a fabulous human being this world has lost - but we will see her again! And I can only imagine the smiles when Christ welcomed her into heaven with Jim & Scott!

*Love,
Joan E. Kerber*

Joan Kerber - April 14, 2020 at 05:20 PM



“ My memories of Judy go back 60 years, when her sister and my brother married. Through all the happy and sad times, Judy was always my rock! She kept in touch through all those years. She had a heart of gold and a gentle, loving spirit. My husband always said that Judy was one of his best hires as Professor of Human Services at Sauk Valley Community College. She was a positive influence on so many lives and will be sorely missed by all who knew her.

*In loving memory,
Janice & Richard Behrendt*

Janice Behrendt - April 11, 2020 at 12:32 PM

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“ I worked at Sauk Valley College when Judy worked there. Her office was just down the hall from ours. She was always personable and had a smile on her face. I was so sorry to read of her passing. I remember when her husband and son passed. That was so hard for her. My sympathy to her family!
Betty Halgren

BETTY HALGREN - April 10, 2020 at 12:40 PM

MH

“ The memories of Judy goes back to our high school years. Her husband Jim and my husband Ben brought us together because of our double dating. The laughter and memories of the four of us will be with me forever. I will miss her spirit, caring and love she showed all that knew her. We have lived miles apart but it was like she was just around the corner. Blessings to her wonderful family.

Marilyn Howard - April 09, 2020 at 03:44 PM