



Mary Eileen Noble

January 1, 1940 - March 20, 2023

Mary Eileen Noble age 83 of Dixon died on Monday March 20, 2023 at OSF Saint Anthony Medical Center in Rockford, IL. She was born on Jan. 1, 1940 in Sterling, IL the daughter of Nick and Genevieve (Grennan) McGrath. Mary was a teacher's aid for the Dixon Public Schools for many years. She was a member and past officer of the Phidian Art Club and was a published romance novelist. She had also been a member of Dixon High School Class of 1957 and the Dixon Country Club. Mary married Utley Noble Jr on Jan. 7, 1961 in Dixon IL. He preceded her in death on July 20, 2012. She is also preceded in death by her brothers James McGrath, and Edward McGrath. Mary is survived by her children Utley (Lisa) Noble III of Franklin TN, Grennan (Mariya) Noble of Des Plaines IL, Amy (Scott) Stern of Park Ridge IL, two brothers John (Linda) McGrath of St. Charles IL, Joseph "Joe" McGrath of Dixon, several nieces and nephews, and close friends Pat Schmidt and Joan LeSage both of Dixon. Cremation rites have been accorded with a Mass of Christian Burial to be held at St. Anne Catholic Church at a later date. Burial to be at Oakwood Cemetery in Dixon. Memorial donations in her name can be made to St Anne Catholic Church in Dixon. Arrangements by the Jones Funeral Home in Dixon.

Cemetery Details

Oakwood

416 S Dement Ave
Dixon, IL 61021

Tribute Wall



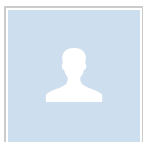
“ *Mary Eileen Noble*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *You were the best mom in the whole world! You loved being an aide because you loved children. You were in such good shape that you could walk circles around people half your age. Since I was 12 years old you shared your avid love of reading with me and shared all of your books with me, and I still have a beautiful shelf full of them (I call it Mom's shelf). Scott and I loved having you stay with us every holiday and summer after Dad passed away. Those times will be cherished, and our walks will be with me forever. You supported me my whole life watching me golf, be a cheerleader, tumbling classes etc... You would even come watch me play tennis as an adult when you visited me in Park Ridge. You were happy just quietly being with your family. You were the kindest person I knew. I was lucky to have you as my mom. I miss you everyday, and always think of you staying up for me when I was a teen reading your book with our cat Noah on your chest making sure I was home safe, and because of you I always was. Thank you for being my mom. Love, Amy*

Amy Noble - March 27, 2023 at 09:53 AM



“ *Full Heart was purchased for the family of Mary Eileen Noble.*



March 26, 2023 at 01:42 PM

TC

“*Sad news about a friend and classmate. She was a sweet lady and a great teacher’s aide. Tom Coffey*

Tom Coffey - March 24, 2023 at 05:33 PM

MH

“*I am sorry to hear your mom has passed. She was a very kind and gentle woman with a beautiful smile. She was devoted to her husband and children. I know that she will be missed by all. May the Lord Jesus bring you all comfort in this time of grief. I have great memories of all of you growing up. God bless and comfort you. Mary Huffman (Fane)*

Mary Huffman - March 24, 2023 at 10:53 AM

JD

“*Mary was a great classmate at DHS. My condolences to Joe and John as well as to her other surviving family members. Jim Dixon*

James E. Dixon - March 23, 2023 at 02:05 PM