



## Mary Smith

June 16, 1950 - April 17, 2008

Mary A Smith age 57 of Dixon died Thursday April 17, 2008 in her home. She was born June 16, 1950 in Dixon the daughter of Francis and Mary (McCoy) McBride. She had been employed by Do It Best in Dixon for over 30 years. She married Ronald P Smith Aug. 30, 1969 in Dixon.

She was a member of St. Patrick Catholic Church.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a sister Mary Francis McBride. She is survived by her husband of Dixon, 2 sons Eric (Dawn) Smith of Aurora, Steven (Tina) Smith of Rock Falls, a grandson Ryan Smith, brothers and sisters Anita (Dave) Jackson of Dixon, Kathleen (Jim) Bednarchik of Auburn, IL, Clare Cannon of Murfreesboro, TN, Jerry (Georgann) McBride of Dixon, Gene (Wanda) McBride of Dixon, Tom (Pattie) McBride of Dixon, and Larry McBride of Walnut.

Funeral services will be held Monday April 21, 2008 beginning with a 9:30 AM prayer service in the Jones Funeral Home followed by a 10:00 AM Mass of Christian Burial in St. Patrick Catholic Church in Dixon with the Rev. James R. Keenan pastor officiating. Burial will follow in Oakwood Cemetery in Dixon. Visitation will be on Sunday from 2:00 to 4:00 and 6:00 to 8:00 PM with the Rosary at 7:00 PM. A memorial has been established to Hospice of the Rock River Valley.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Smith*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Mary Smith*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *Mary was always one of my favorite classmates. We were biology lab partners and she joined my family for a trip to Denver one year. She was wonderful company and always a kind and caring person. I have not seen her since high school graduation, so in my mind she will always be a teenager. My first recollection of Mary is when my mother and I visited the farm before either of us was in school. She stood behind her mother and peaked out at us with those big blue eyes. I know her passing leaves a very large hole in your family. My sincerest sympathy.\**

**Mary L Doyle** - April 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM



“ *Ron, Eric & Steve,  
I was so sorry to hear of Mary's passing. She was such a beautiful person. When I think of Mary I think of Ford Hopkins, waiting tables together. I think of the times when we came out to the house in the country. You have my deepest sympathy.  
Rose Owen*

**Rose Owen** - April 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ While I didn't work with Mary directly as I work in the Fort Wayne office of Do it Best Corp, Mary's contributions over 30 years to our company were known and appreciated.

We will miss her at future company events and we send condolences to her family.

John Snider

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**John Snider** - April 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

TC

“ Mary was truly a blessing to us all. Such a sweet and gentle woman. She will be missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with her family.

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**Tim Bullard, Teresa Cramer** - April 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

DE

“ So sorry to hear of Mary's passing. We feel honored to have known her, she was a wonderful person. If you need anything, don't hesitate to call. Our love and prayers are with you in this time of loss

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**Dean & Beth Eikenberry** - April 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

BW

“ Ron, you are in our prayers. May God give you strength for these days ahead. I loved Mary's sweet smile and felt connected to her because of her love for flowers.

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**Bob and Karen Wilkens** - April 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM

JV

“*Ron, Eric & Steve, I am so sorry to hear of Mary's passing. She was such a wonderful person who loved everyone and was also loved by everyone. I will keep all of you in my prayers at this difficult time.*

*Love,  
Julie*

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**Julie VanAudal** - April 17, 2008 at 12:00 AM