



Louise Ann Kosmach

January 16, 1934 - November 24, 2019

Louise Ann Kosmach, age 85, of DeWitt, IA, passed away on Sunday, November 24, 2019, at the University of Iowa Hospital in Iowa City, IA.

Louise was born on January 16, 1934, in Hiteman, IA, to James Wilbur and Alice Louise (Kent) Mullinix. She grew up and attended school in Albia, graduating from the Albia High School with the Class of 1951. On February 23, 1952, she was united in marriage to Johnny Junior Kosmach in Oskaloosa, IA. Louise and Johnny shared 46 years of marriage prior to Johnny passing away on June 13, 1998.

Louise was a kind and loving mother, who enjoyed being with her family. She was a wonderful cook and enjoyed sewing and making quilts. Hobbies that she enjoyed were researching family genealogy, reading and painting. She had a strong religious belief and was a member of St Joseph's Catholic Guild. Her sense of humor and personality will be missed by all.

Louise is survived by 4 sons, John (Kathy) Kosmach of Jonesboro, Arkansas, George (Mary) Kosmach of Clearwater, KS, Frank (Madonna) Kosmach of Bloomington, Minnesota and Jim (Laura) Kosmach of Geneva, Illinois; 3 daughters, Bonnie (Bill) Cline of DeWitt, Iowa, Mary (Dean) Porter of Biloxi, Mississippi, and Alice Kosmach of Hot Springs, Arkansas; 14 grandchildren; 12 great grandchildren; 2 brothers, James (Rosalie) Mullinix of Albia and

Ralph (Priscilla) Mullinix of Loveland, CO; a sister, Wanna Shaw of Loveland, CO; a brother-in-law, Joe (Louise) Kosmach of Albia; and 2 sisters-in-law, Fran Knoot of Oskaloosa, Iowa and Erma Kosmach of Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Louise is also survived by numerous nieces and nephews.

She is preceded in death by her husband, John Kosmach; her parents, Wilbur and Alice Mullinix; a grandson, Alex Kosmach; a brother, Jean Mullinix; and 2 sisters, Carol (Mullinix) Gardner and Laura Mullinix.

A Rosary will be held at 9:00 a.m. on Saturday, November 30, 2019, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Albia. Visitation will follow the rosary until the time of service with Louise's family present to greet family and friends.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:30 a.m., Saturday November 30, 2019, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Albia, with Fr. Mark Yates, C.P.P.S. officiating. Burial will follow services at Oak View Cemetery in Albia.

An open memorial has been established to be determined at a later date.

Previous Events

Rosary

NOV 30. 9:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary's Catholic Church
730 Benton Ave W
Albia, IA

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Tribute Wall



“ Louise Ann Kosmach

January 30, 2023 at 05:06 AM



“ Louise Ann Kosmach

January 30, 2023 at 02:53 AM



“ Very sad to hear of the passing of Louise. She gave my daughter and I some valuable information on our shared heritage. I really enjoyed meeting her and visiting with her. I will greatly miss her.

Kathryn Mellecker - November 29, 2019 at 01:55 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Louise Ann Kosmach.



November 29, 2019 at 01:51 PM

RM

“ It is very difficult to express in words the loss of a close, loved, family member, but to do that twice in a few weeks is beyond hard. Louise was always a loving and stable sister to me, sometimes almost a second mother. As a young boy, I always thought that her and John lived an exciting life, moving all over the place from one bridge job to another. Actually, they never left the midwest. But from someone that hardly got out of Monroe county, it was big stuff to me. Her patience in doing that and raising seven children, sometimes in cramped quarters, wasn't appreciated until later. I have often thought about her over the years in how she lived her life and always saw the good things in every situation. She was a role model for me growing up and now my memories of her will help guide me forward. I love you Louise and I could not be more proud then to say you are my sister. Ralph

Ralph Mullinix - November 29, 2019 at 12:14 PM

UM

“ Uncle Ralph, Priscilla, Brad & Mike purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Louise Ann Kosmach.



Uncle Ralph, Priscilla, Brad & Mike - November 29, 2019 at 11:42 AM

TP

“ Hello Mary and siblings,
What can I say. What a shock and what a great loss to you ones
and to us who
only met Louise via the internet. She was a wonderful person and
fantastic
family researcher. I will certainly miss her but never forget her and
her
willingness to help find a solution to a brick-wall. How she mastered
the
language of the Welsh and their various research sites, all so
different from
the American methods, I shall never know. I am extremely proud
and happy to have
known your mother, and send you all my sincere condolences.
Trevor Price in New Zealand.

Trevor PRICE - November 28, 2019 at 05:29 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for
the family of Louise Ann Kosmach.



November 28, 2019 at 11:28 AM



“ Large Basket Garden was purchased for the
family of Louise Ann Kosmach.



November 27, 2019 at 07:33 PM

TF

“ *The Ackermann Family purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Louise Ann Kosmach.*



The Ackermann Family - November 27, 2019 at 11:36 AM

TG

“ *Tim and Jody Gardner purchased the Emerald Garden Basket for the family of Louise Ann Kosmach.*



Tim and Jody Gardner - November 26, 2019 at 04:59 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Louise Ann Kosmach.*



November 26, 2019 at 04:54 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Louise Ann Kosmach.*



November 26, 2019 at 03:38 PM

KR

“ Kurt R. purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Louise Ann Kosmach.



Kurt R. - November 26, 2019 at 03:22 PM



“ Florist Choice Bouquet was purchased for the family of Louise Ann Kosmach.



November 26, 2019 at 03:03 PM