



Lois Jackson

October 25, 1952 - December 7, 2013

Lois Irene (Tolliver) Lomax Jackson, 61, formerly of Rockford, left this life at Decatur Memorial Hospital and entered her eternal home at 8p.m. Saturday, December 7, 2013. Lois was born October 25, 1952, in Springfield, IL, the daughter of Ralph L. and Marilyn "Jean" (Birdsell) Tolliver. Lois graduated from New Berlin High School in 1970, and from St. John's School of Nursing in Springfield, in 1971. Lois was a licensed practical nurse for many years, retiring as an office manager from OSF Medical Group in Rockford. Lois played the piano all four years of high school and for many years at church. On April 29, 1972, Lois married James A. Lomax. He preceded her in death in 1988. In 1991, Lois married George Jackson, and he preceded her in death in 2000. Survivors include: 1 son, Carson (Jennifer) Lomax of Clinton; parents, Ralph and Jean Tolliver of New Berlin; 2 sisters, Shirley Spitzner of Aurora, CO and Nancy (Dan) Martin of Springfield; 1 grandson, Tyler; 1 nephew, Nathan (Patty) Spitzner of Aurora, CO; aunts and uncles: Edith (Rudolph) King of Springfield, Ruby Behl of Athens, and Bud Tolliver of Texas; 3 step-children, Jeff Jackson, Phyllis Baylor, and Georgia Jackson; many cousins, and her beloved dog, Pepper. In addition to Jim and George, Lois was preceded in death by her grandparents: Lorris & Violet Lois (Merry) Tolliver and Arthur & Eva Irene (Farmer) Birdsell; aunts and uncles: Bert (Tolliver) & Danny Courier, Juanita (Birdsell) & Alvin Tipps, and George & Lois Jean (Rapps) Tolliver. Visitation will be Friday, December 13, 2013, 11 until 12 PM at Kernodle Funeral Home with services following at 12. Burial will be in Ellis

Chapel Cemetery.

Sleep in heavenly peace, Lois. We love you.

Tribute Wall

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“ Today is Lois' 1st birthday in Heaven, and I miss you so much. It's hard to believe that last year, we were able to celebrate your birthday together. Little did I know that it was to be your last one here on earth. I love you, sis. Remembering you with lots of love... forever. Nancy

Nancy - October 25, 2014 at 01:34 AM

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“ Nancy lit a candle in memory of Lois Jackson



Nancy - October 25, 2014 at 01:29 AM

LH

“ Lois was such a wonderful person, and great to work with. My deepest sympathy to the family in this hard time.

Lindy Hess - December 17, 2013 at 10:17 AM

LA

“ I have the Jackson family in my prayers. I was a student and i'm so grateful to have had an opportunity to intern with her. She was very polite and welcoming. I'm very grateful that she allowed me to come in to her work environment with open arms. God bless you all.

Laura - December 17, 2013 at 09:31 AM

GJ

“ *Dad was waiting at heavens gate for his bride. I am so sorry for you lose yet I find joy in knowing that are together again. I see them holding hands and laughing again. With much love, Georgia, Gerri and Chris.*

Georgia Jackson - December 13, 2013 at 10:51 AM

VS

“ *Carson, I'm so sorry for your loss! Been thinking about you and your family during this difficult time.*

Vicki Shelley - December 12, 2013 at 03:10 PM

RH

“ *Carson, Jennifer and Family Sending our sympathies. Todd and Ronda Hess*

Ronda Hess - December 12, 2013 at 12:40 AM