



Donna Cassidy

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Donna Cassidy passed away peacefully at Bishops Glen Retirement Center in Holly Hills, Florida on November 22, 2017 with her family nearby. She resided there for 3 years after being diagnosed with ALS in 2012. She always had her tremendous smile for everyone and a positive outlook on life. Even when ALS took her mobility and her means to communicate, that amazing smile never left her face.

Donna was born in Marston, Missouri on September 25, 1937, the oldest daughter of Virgil and Inez (McNeely) Baldwin. She married Robert P. Cassidy on August 23, 1959 in New Madrid, Missouri. She graduated from the University of Missouri with a degree in Home Economics. She taught home economics at Riverview Gardens High School in St. Louis, Missouri for three years.

When living in Clinton, Iowa she was very active in PEO Chapter KY, First United Methodist Church, the Clinton Country Club and served as President of Visiting Nurses. She was also a member of the Eastern Star in Missouri.

After moving to Florida she was a member of Sugar Mill Country Club and loved playing golf, bridge and making her famous candies. Donna was also a woman of great Christian faith. She loved angels, and truly resides with them now.

She is survived by her husband of 58 years, Bob, and two sons Robert Jr.(Tammi) and Richard (Donna Miles), two brothers Terry Baldwin (Detta), Joe Baldwin (Dottie), two sisters Gaila Kelso (Jerry), Sue Freed (Walt) and sister-in-law Rita Baldwin. She was so proud of her grandchildren Kristin, Ryan (fiancé Madeline), Keegan, Bridget and Jack. She was preceded in death by both parents, a half-sister, Margaret Elkins and younger brother Tom Baldwin.

Funeral Services will be 10:00am, Tuesday, November 28, 2017 at First United Methodist Church - Clinton. Burial will be in the Clinton Lawn Cemetery. Serving as pallbearers will be Terry Baldwin, Jerry Kelso, Walt Freed, Ryan Cassidy, Jack Cassidy, and Al Goerd. Honorary pallbearers will be Joe Baldwin, Richard Forrest, and Bob Boegel. Visitation will be from 4:00pm to 7:00pm,



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Monday at the Clinton Chapel Snell-Zornig Funeral Homes & Crematory. Online condolences may be expressed by visiting her obituary at www.snellzornig.com. In lieu of flowers, it is requested that donations be made to the ALS Association Iowa Chapter or First United Methodist Church in Clinton.

A special thank you to the health care providers at Bishops Glen who provided excellent care to Donna and the ladies from the Tuesday night dining group.



Events

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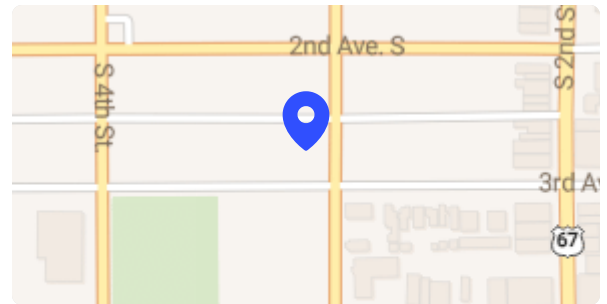
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Visitation

Monday, November 27, 2017

4:00 PM - 7:00 PM CT

Snell-Zornig Funeral Home & Crematory, Clinton
302 Third Avenue South, Clinton IA 52732

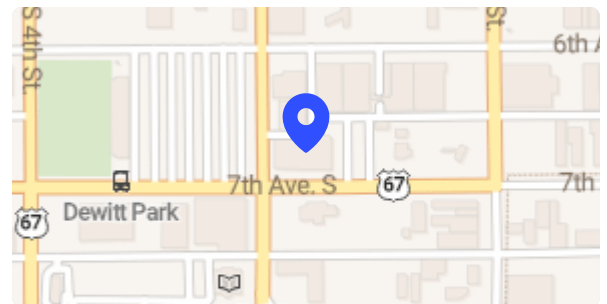


Service

Tuesday, November 28, 2017

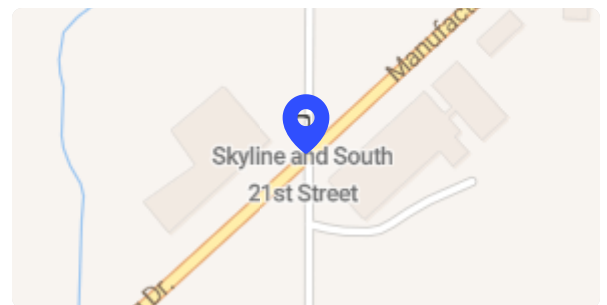
10:00 AM - 10:45 AM CT

First United Methodist Church
621 South 3rd Street, Clinton IA 52732



Cemetery Details

Clinton Lawn Cemetery
2100 Manufacturing Drive, Clinton IA 52732





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HJ

Helen Jennings posted:

My condolences to Bob and his family on the passing of Donna. Even though I only met Donna a few times at Friday night Boat Club Bridge, she was always a beautiful sweet kind lady. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Helen Jennings

December 1 at 11:37 AM

ZN

Ziad Najib posted:

May God bless your soul Donna, and may you rest in peace. I wish we had met. My sympathy and condolences to the entire Cassidy family.

November 29 at 12:57 PM

AC

Ann Boaz Cormier lit a candle in honor of Donna.

Hi Bob Don and I just got home from a trip. I was so sorry to read about Donna this morning. Our thoughts are with you and she will be missed for the lovely person that she was. Thoughts and prayers are with you. Love Ann Boaz Cormier and Don Cormier



November 28 at 5:29 AM

AN

A posted:

I remember Donna meeting her at P.E.O. She was a gracious lady and fun to listen to. Al and I send our sincerest condolences. Ida and Al Lorenz

November 28 at 2:03 AM



Wilma Clark posted:

We moved to Clinton in 2002 and one of my first memories here was Donna greeting me at church. She welcomed us as new members, she was so friendly and nice and always had that great smile. Also, I remember the day that Pastor Herb announced that we were trying a new closing song today that Donna Cassidy brought back to us from the church they attend in Florida. I think of Donna each Sunday as we close with that song. Love Wilma Clark

November 27 at 4:02 PM



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Harold And Betty Voorhees posted:

We just want to extend our deepest sympathy to the Cassidy family, and want you to know that we are thinking of you all at this time. Our love and prayers are with you. Harold and Betty Voorhees

November 27 at 1:42 PM



Gary Montgomery posted:

My thoughts and prayers go out to the Cassidy Family at this difficult time. May the many great memories that you have sustain you during this time.

November 26 at 4:06 AM



Lauren McGill posted:

Lots of love and prayers during this difficult time. I'm so thankful for the times I spent with her. She was a wonderful lady with a beautiful smile who loved life!

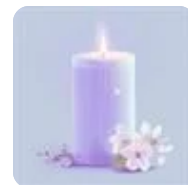
November 25 at 5:19 PM



Michael Workman lit a candle in honor of Donna.

Michael Workman Scottsdale, AZ

November 25 at 12:06 PM



Sherwin Condo Association sent a Peaceful White Lilies Basket to the Cassidy family.

November 25 at 8:31 AM



Anonymous sent a Florist Choice Bouquet to the Cassidy family.

November 25 at 6:49 AM





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CM

Charles Moskowitz posted:

Please accept our deepest condolences on the passing of Mrs. Cassidy. Mr. and Mrs. Cassidy were two of our favorite friends at Charles Michel and Duck City Bistro. We will miss them greatly. May they rest in peace. Chef Charles and Melissa

November 25 at 4:30 AM

LA

Laura Staublin Anders lit a candle in honor of Donna.



November 24 at 10:52 PM

LA

Laura Staublin Anders November 24 at 10:57 PM

Donna was one of the first members of the First United Methodist Church -Clinton- to welcome me when I was visiting a service. Her smile and kind words convinced me that this was the church where I belonged. She will be missed. Laura Anders

JB

Jonett Butler posted:

We send our love and sympathy to the Cassidy family and have wonderful memories of Donna. She was a beautiful and charming lady who always had a friendly smile and greeting for friends. We know she will be missed and wish we were there to share our sympathy in person. May your happy memories sustain you in this difficult time. Jim and JoNett Butler Atlantis, Florida

November 24 at 11:29 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Donna by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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