



Janice R. Wren

May 17, 1940 - April 22, 2019

Janice R. Wren

(nee Erickson)

Age 78, of South Wilmington, IL, passed away Monday, April 22, 2019 at her home. Born May 17, 1940 in Sisseton, SD to the late Earling and Lillian (nee Tuff) Erickson. She married Elmer Wren on April 28, 1957 in Sisseton, SD. Janice enjoyed playing bingo, bowling, sewing, crocheting, her loving dog Rascal, and spending time with her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was an avid Chicago Cubs fan and loved visiting family in South Dakota.

Surviving are her husband, Elmer; son, Wayne (Debbie) Wren of South Wilmington; two daughters, Wanda Emanuelson of Essex, IL and Brenda Schock of Coal City, IL; seven grandchildren, Tiffany Emanuelson, Bobby (Amanda) Wren, Johnny (Meredith) Wren, Melissa (Tony) Siatta, Kyle Schock, Brett (Katie) Emanuelson, and Joey (Hannah) Wren; nine great grandchildren; six sisters, Gayle Lotzer of Sisseton, SD, Judy Crooks of Sisseton, SD, Sandy Madsen of Milbank, SD, Susie Weeks of Browns Valley, MN, Glenda Rudebusch of Castlewood, SD, and Carol Nielsen of Peever, SD; one brother, Mervin Erickson of Peever, SD; and several nieces and nephews.

Preceding her in death was her parents; brothers, Raymond Erickson, Arden Erickson, and Wendell Erickson; sister, JoAnn Erickson, grandson Brad Emanuelson; and great granddaughter, Leaya Bushue.

Visitation will be at the R.W. Patterson Funeral Home & Crematory, Saturday, April 27, from 10:00 – 2:00 PM with funeral service at 2:00 PM.

Interment will be in Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood at a later date.

In lieu of flowers memorial gifts in her name may be directed to South Wilmington Fire Department.

R.W. Patterson Funeral Home & Crematory
401 E. Main St., Braidwood, 815-458-2336
www.rwpattersonfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 W. Hoff Rd.
Elwood, IL 60421

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 27. 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM (CT)

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Service

APR 27. 2:00 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

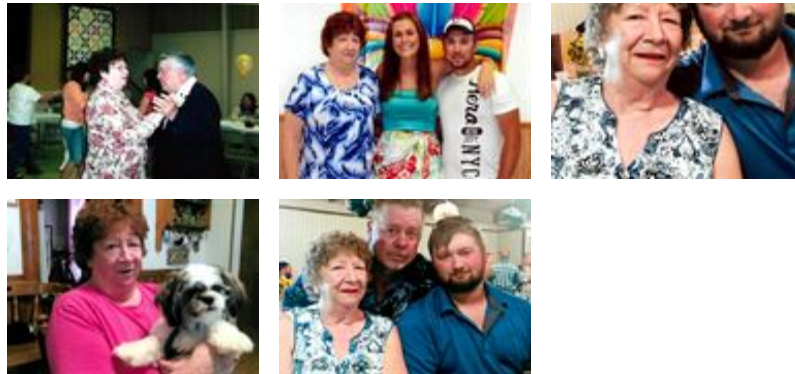
KO

“ Sorry to hear about Janice. Laughter is important to me, and I remember Janice laughing on her many trips to Peever.

Kathy O'Connor - April 28, 2019 at 10:20 AM



“ 34 files added to the album Life Tributes



R W Patterson Funeral Homes, Ltd. - April 26, 2019 at 01:16 PM



“ Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of Janice R. Wren.



April 25, 2019 at 10:28 PM

TC

“ *The Sandeno Family & Everyone at "D" Construction purchased the The Endless Sky Spray for the family of Janice R. Wren.*



The Sandeno Family & Everyone at "D" Construction - April 25, 2019 at 06:49 PM

SS

“ *Our sympathy to the family for their loss. Janice was an awesome person. May God give the family peace as they gather and remember all the good times shared with her.*

Stacey Speed and Family

Stacey Speed - April 25, 2019 at 07:50 AM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Janice R. Wren.*



April 24, 2019 at 06:27 PM

ME

“ *My sympathy to Elmer, her children, grandchildren and greatgrand children. I am so sorry for your loss. She was always so nice to be around.*

Marilyn erickson - April 24, 2019 at 12:02 PM

KB

“ *Janice was such a sweet lady and will be missed dearly. Prayers and hugs to the family.* 🙏

Kristi (Niles) Britzman - April 24, 2019 at 01:17 AM

DR

“ *So sorry for your loss, sending prayers and condolences to you and the family. Debbie & Phyllis Richardson.*

Debbie Richardson - April 23, 2019 at 11:12 PM



Today I am thinking about Janice and her laughter & wonderful smile, her freezing cold house because she was always dealing with hot flashes, her wonderful breakfasts & company, and her big, warm heart, especially for her grandchildren. 💕 We miss hearing her laughter & seeing her smile.

Deb Flannery - October 20, 2024 at 11:21 AM