



## Donna Lee Pence

August 25, 1943 - May 8, 2025

Donna L. Pence, 81, of Bluffs passed away Thursday, May 8, 2025, at Springfield Memorial Hospital. She was born, July 6, 1943, in Rushville, the daughter of Carl E. and Wanda L. Hay Walters. She married Arvey L. Pence, and he preceded her in death, Aug. 25, 2011.

Surviving are children, Jolene Pence of Bluffs, Salena Clendenny of Rock Island, Suzanne (Mike) Eppley of Leroy; grandchildren Kindra and Seth Heller, Leah and Jackson Eppley, Gage (companion, Ashley) Myers and Cassidy La France; great grandchildren, Kiya and Ripley Heller; several bonus grandchildren; mother, Wanda Walters and siblings, Michael (Christine) Walters of Hillsborough, Julie Looker of Beardstown and Sharon Greer of South Haven, MS. She was preceded in death by son, Thomas La France and brother-in-law, Gordon Greer.

In Donna's younger years, she was employed by Tyson's Diner, the Glove Factory and Excel all in Beardstown. She enjoyed baking cookies and candy and attending her grandchildren's school events but most of all, she loved her family.

A funeral service will held 1:00 p.m. Monday, May 12, 2025, at the Daws Family Funeral Home in Bluffs with interment in Hillcrest Cemetery. A visitation will be held Monday, 11:00 a.m. until time of services at the funeral

home. Memorials are suggested to the family.

# Cemetery Details

## Hillcrest Cemetery

Bluffs, IL

# Previous Events

## Visitation

MAY 12. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Daws Family Funeral Home - Bluffs  
109 East Oak Street  
Bluffs, IL 62694  
(217) 754-3595  
mackeydawsfuneralhome@yahoo.com

## Service

MAY 12. 1:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ You was ready but I wasn't, how do I find the words to say goodbye, I'll miss you forever until we meet again. I love you to the moon and back

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**Jolene pence** - May 12, 2025 at 01:44 AM