



Mary Anita Megginson

December 25, 1929 - July 26, 2021

Mary A. "Anita" Megginson, 91, of Murrayville passed away Monday, July 26, 2021, at Jacksonville Skilled Nursing and Rehab. She was born, Dec. 25, 1929, in Jacksonville, the daughter of George and Irene May Mason Jones. She married, Kenneth W. Megginson, Mar. 6, 1948, in Jacksonville.

Surviving is husband, Kenny, of 72 years, of Murrayville; children, Ronnie (Janell) Megginson of Murrayville and Sandra Sue (Bill) Taylor of Murrayville; grandchildren, Doug (Laura Donovan) Megginson, Luke Megginson, Dustin (Marcie) Taylor, Dallas (Ashley) Taylor and Kent (Lisa) Taylor and great grandchildren; Kenleigh (Austin Murphy) and Rees Megginson, Natalee and Marlee Barnhill and Emma, Addison, Maybree, Lynnlee, Korbin, Talon, Paisley, Kipton, Landon, Keagen, Grayson, baby James William Taylor in Heaven and new baby boy in Dec. She was preceded in death by sister, Dorothy Robinson.

Anita was a member of the United Methodist Church in Murrayville. She was a devoted wife, mother and grandmother who would help out with anything like boy scouts and babysitting. Anita and Kenny enjoyed going square dancing together. Anita was well known for her meatloaf and homemade mashed potatoes. She touched the lives and hearts of many people and will be missed by many but not more than her family.

A funeral service will be held 11:00 a.m. Friday, July 30, 2021, at the Daws Family Funeral Home in Jacksonville with interment at a later date. A visitation will be held Friday, 10:00 a.m. until time of services at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorials are suggested to the Murrayville/Woodson Food Pantry.

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 30. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Daws Family Funeral Home - Jacksonville
508 W. Vandalia
Jacksonville, IL 62650
(217) 243-0444
mackeydawsfuneralhome@yahoo.com

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Anita Megginson*

January 28, 2023 at 11:11 AM



“ *I still remember when I first met Anita. I was three or four years old, and she and Kenny had just moved into our neighborhood. I took one of my mother's baby chicks in a small sand bucket to show her. She was very sweet to me. That was the beginning of a long relationship between our families.*

Anita was one of the kindest people I have ever known. She was especially good to my mother when my mother was at Barton Stone. I am in awe when I remember how she always seemed fine with having me show up at your home, even if it was mealtime. What a welcoming presence she was!

I am so sorry for your loss. I know you will miss her a lot. Please find comfort in the memory of her kindness and love for you all.

Minta (Way) Colburn

Minta Colburn - July 28, 2021 at 09:33 AM



“ *Kenny and Anita, loved square dancing, oh my heavens, she could shake the rug. I loved watching them dance over the years. Sweet sweet, people loving family. GOD bless you all.*

Janice Hopper - July 27, 2021 at 06:23 PM