



## Diana Struckhoff

January 31, 1948 - December 8, 2007

Diana Lynn Struckhoff nee, Backsmeyer age 59, of Collinsville, IL., died Saturday, December 8, 2007, at Saint Elizabeth Hospital in Belleville, IL.

She was born January 31, 1948, in Centralia, IL., the daughter of Carl and Bernice (Hendricks) Backsmeyer. She grew up in Okawville, and graduated from Okawville High School in 1966. She worked at a nursing home in Okawville while attending beauty college in Centralia, IL. She moved to Highland, IL in 1971 and worked at Beauty Mart; She opened her own shop, Hairworks, in Highland a few years later. On August 22, 1980, she married Charles W. "Chuck" Struckhoff in Edwardsville, IL. She and her husband moved to Collinsville, IL in 1999; she retired several years later. Diana loved to dance; she and her husband enjoyed a cabin on the river at Nutwood, IL; they enjoyed boat-riding on the river. She enjoyed spending time with family and friends. Her dog, "Buddy" ( a shiatsu) was her constant companion.

Survivors include: her Mother-Bernice Ruth Hendricks of Centralia, Ill., Husband-Charles W. "Chuck" Struckhoff of Collinsville, Ill., Daughter-Charlynn (Fiance Frank R. Presley) Struckhoff of Memphis, Tenn., Step Daughter-Sherry R. Lutman of Collinsville, Ill., Step Daughter-Susan A. (Kevin) Cockran of Granite City, Ill., Step Son-Sтивен C. (Angela) Struckhoff of Saint Jacob, Ill., Step Grandchild-Eric Lutman of Collinsville, Ill., Step Grandchild-Jessica Struckhoff of Saint Jacob, Ill., Step Grandchild-Kohl

Struckhoff of Saint Jacob, III., Step Grandchild-Kimberly Lutman of Collinsville, III., Step Grandchild-Michael Lutman of Collinsville, III., Step Grandchild-Grant Struckhoff of St. Jacob, III., Brother-Gary (Jane) Backsmeyer of Saint Louis, Mo., Sister-Candy (Craig) Hoffman of Carlyle, III.

She was preceeded in death by her Father-Carl Frederick Backsmeyer, a Sister-Peggy Hacksteadt (died at age 56), and Brother-Gregory Backsmeyer (died at age 41)

Arrangements are being handled by Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, III.