



Glenda June Grodeon

October 28, 1940 - January 16, 2016

Glenda June Grodeon, age 75 of Highland, IL, died Saturday, January 16, 2016, at her residence in Highland, IL.

She was born October 28, 1940, in Joppa, IL, the daughter of Glen and lola (nee Walbright) Sutfin.

On June 16, 1962, she married Brent N. Grodeon who survives.

She was a member of Sunrise United Methodist Church. She was also a former member of 1st Congregational Church in Highland for 40 years.

June grew up in Joppa and Metropolis and she graduated from Metropolis High School in 1958. She attended SIU Carbondale and graduated with a degree in Elementary Education in 1962. She worked 2 years in Central IL at Clinton and started in Highland Schools in August of 1964, teaching 2nd grade. She taught 32 years in Highland before retirement. In 2005 she and her husband moved to O'Fallon, MO to be near their son. They moved to Trenton, IL in 2010, and returned to Highland in December of 2014. In retirement she enjoyed being a homemaker, and being with her family. She collected antiques, enjoyed shopping and liked arts and crafts.

Survivors include :

Husband - Brent N. Grodeon, Highland, IL

Son - Richard N. "Rich" Grodeon (Fiancee Tamara S."Tammy" Grammer, O Fallon, MO

Grandchild - Jacob T. Grodeon, O Fallon, MO

She was preceded in death by :

Father - Glen T. Sutfin

Mother - Iola --- Sutfin nee Walbright

Daughter - Lori A. Grodeon stillborn 3/28/1974

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

Visitation will be held from 5:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Tuesday, January 19, 2016, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL and from 8:00 AM to 11:00 AM on Wednesday, January 20, 2016, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Funeral service will be at 11:00 AM on Wednesday, January 20, 2016, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL., with Rev. Jim Blue, Minister of Sunrise United Methodist Church in O'Fallon, MO, officiating.

Interment will be at Highland City Cemetery in Highland, IL.

Memorial contributions may be made to American Cancer Society; Hospice of Southern IL; Education Plus at Highland Community Schools.

Tribute Wall

PS

“*Mrs. Grodeon was my second grade teacher in 1973-74. She was very good teacher who cared for the well-being of her students. I was also a student of Mr. Grodeon's high school biology class. What great contributors to educating the youth of Highland. My deepest sympathies for her family and friends.*

Penny Small - January 21, 2016 at 01:15 PM

DA

“*Mr. Grodeon & Rich, I am very sorry for your loss. I still remember how much I loved 2nd grade in Mrs. Grodeon's room. Thoughts and prayers are with you.*

Sincerely,

Dawn Buchmiller Thomson

Dawn - January 20, 2016 at 05:53 PM

SD

“*I am so sorry for your loss. We started teaching at Highland in the same year, and she had all three of my sons for second grade. I will always remember her as a soft spoken and talented teacher and friend. Sue Ellen (Kustermann) Drewer*

Sue Ellen Drewer - January 20, 2016 at 04:41 PM

EW

“ Mrs. Grodeon was my second grade teacher. Many fond memories of her during my childhood. My heartfelt sympathy to her family at this time.



Elizabeth Ward - January 20, 2016 at 11:50 AM



“ I have fond memories of the Grodeons at Highland Community Schools. My sympathy for your loss.
Mary Bergman

Mary Bergman - January 20, 2016 at 10:12 AM

CP

“ Please accept our sympathies, we are saddened to hear of your loss.

Corey Plocher - January 19, 2016 at 11:51 PM

JN

“ Please accept my deepest sympathy for your loss.

Jim Nickerson - January 19, 2016 at 08:38 AM

 Patti
Powell
Franklin

“ My heartfelt sympathy and prayers go out to June's family. I had the pleasure of getting to know and teaching with this kind soft spoken woman. Fond memories of our days together at Highland Primary. May your treasured memories give you peace and comfort in this difficult time.
Patti Franklin

Patti Powell Franklin - January 18, 2016 at 03:51 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Glenda June Grodeon.*



January 17, 2016 at 05:56 PM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss. I am a daughter of John and Jan Grodeon from California.*

Janine Henning - January 17, 2016 at 03:04 PM



“ *Sherry Fletcher lit a candle in memory of Glenda June Grodeon*



Sherry Fletcher - January 17, 2016 at 11:53 AM



*Brent and Richard
So sorry for your loss. May your memories bring you peace.
Sherry Fletcher*

Sherry Fletcher - January 17, 2016 at 11:55 AM



“ *I am so sorry for your loss, Mr. Gordon. What a kind, sweet lady your wife was. Wishing you comfort and peace during this time of sorrow. Most sincerely, Laure (Manwaring) Jatcko*

laurie manwaring-jatcko - January 16, 2016 at 09:17 PM

MM

“ Brent, Richard, and Family,

Please accept Steve's and my most heartfelt sympathy. June was a very special person that I had the pleasure of knowing and teaching with for several years. Even though she was a quiet and soft-spoken person, when she would give you that little smile and her eyes would twinkle you knew she could be a bit of a character. I have very fond memories of the time we spent together in second grade at Highland Primary. May God Bless your family at this time. Your memories of your life together will be forever cherished.

Marsha and Steve Moore - January 16, 2016 at 09:14 PM

JB

“ June & Bob Barney lit a candle in memory of
Glenda June Grodeon



June & Bob Barney - January 16, 2016 at 07:31 PM

AL

Kent and I wish to express our sympathy to Brent and family. We will be out of the country and unable to attend June's visitation.

Ann Linenfelser - January 16, 2016 at 09:55 PM

JD

Sorry to here of your loss Brent

jan draper - January 17, 2016 at 04:38 PM

DO

Brent, so sorry to hear about June. You, Rich and family are certainly in our thoughts and prayers. You were a very special couple, and we know you have many special memories to keep you going. Dale and Pam Ott

Dale and Pam Ott - January 19, 2016 at 01:24 PM



So sorry to hear about June's passing. She was a loving person.

Ann Pastrovich - January 20, 2016 at 08:28 PM

ET

Brent, I'm so sorry to hear of your wife's death.

Elaine Thebus - January 21, 2016 at 03:12 PM