



Lydia M. Bellm

July 23, 1927 - September 27, 2021

Lydia M. Bellm, age 94 of Highland, IL, died Monday, September 27, 2021, at Saint Elizabeth Hospital in O Fallon, IL.

She was born on Saturday, July 23, 1927, in Saint Libory, IL, the daughter of Leo and Katherine (nee Sommers) Buescher.

On Saturday, September 03, 1949, she married Roland W. Bellm at Belleville, Illinois, who passed away on Friday, November 06, 2015.

She was a member of Saint Paul Catholic Church; Former Member of Daughters of Isabella; St. Anne Altar Society and the Moose Lodge.

She was born at St. Libory, IL and attended school there. She began working at St. Elizabeth Hospital, Belleville at age 17 years old as a Nurse's Aid. After marriage she began working at St. Joseph Hospital, Highland, IL. She returned to school and became an Licensed Practical Nurse "LPN". She worked 40 years at St. Joseph Hospital, Highland. She then worked at Dr. Heineman and Dr. Chaney's office, later did Home Health Care and then she babysat grandchildren. Her and Rollie traveled the United States, including Alaska and the Caribbean. They enjoyed ballroom dancing every other weekend. She always attended her grandchildren's sporting and musical events. She enjoyed following the St. Louis Cardinal Baseball team and

playing cards with friends.

Survivors include:

Son - Kenneth L. (Significant Other - Beth Vaugh) Bellm, Collinsville, IL

Daughter - Lynn M. (Daniel) Koerkenmeier, Highland, IL

Grandchild - Gina Nickloff, Collinsville, IL

Grandchild - Jason D. (Amy) Koerkenmeier, Highland, IL

Grandchild - Jessica L. (Bill) Logsdon, Highland, IL

Grandchild - Jacqueline M. (Joshua) McGlone, Honolulu, HI

Great Grandchild - Samantha N. Moss, Collinsville, IL

Great Grandchild - Kyler D. Koerkenmeier, Highland, IL

Great Grandchild - Kendyl E. Koerkenmeier, Highland, IL

Great Grandchild - Parker W. Logsdon, Highland, IL

Great Grandchild - Chad W. McGlone, Honolulu, HI

Great Grandchild - Eli R. McGlone, Honolulu, HI

Great Grandchild - Taylor L. Logsdon, Highland, IL

Sister - "Jackie" Hankins, Chesterfield, MO

Brother - Omer (Marie) Buescher, Baldwin, MO

Sister - Dee Wangrin, Baldwin, MO.

She was preceded in death by:

Father - Leo John Buescher

Mother - Katherine W. (nee Sommers) Buescher

Husband - Roland W. Bellm

Daughter - Mary Beth Bellm - Died 10/29/1954 at birth

Brother - Ray Buescher

Brother - Edwin Buescher

Sister - Aurelia Hummert

Sister - Betty Moats.

Arrangements are being handled by Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in

Highland, IL.

Visitation will be held from 9:00 AM to 10:30 AM on Monday, October 04, 2021, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Funeral Mass will be at 11:00 AM on Monday, October 04, 2021, at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church in Pierron, IL, with Rev. Fr. Piotr Kosk, Parochial Vicar, St. Paul Catholic Church, Highland, IL, officiating.

Interment will be at Saint Joseph Catholic Cemetery in Highland, IL.

Memorial contributions may be made to Meals On Wheels or St. Paul Church Capital Fund.

Tribute Wall



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Lydia M. Bellm.*



October 03, 2021 at 07:40 PM



“ *Mary Jane, Bill, Shannon and Family purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Lydia M. Bellm.*



Mary Jane, Bill, Shannon and Family - October 02, 2021 at 07:35 PM



“ *Love, Carol and Ray Adkins purchased the Full O f Love Bouquet for the family of Lydia M. Bellm.*



Love, Carol and Ray Adkins - October 02, 2021 at 01:58 PM



“ *I was sorry to see Ms. Bellm had passed. I had her on my Tuesday meals on wheels route. She was always in a good mood and wanted to visit, plus she would always give me a small bag of candy on Easter an Halloween.*

Rich Herbst - October 01, 2021 at 06:33 PM

PW

“ *My condolences to Kenny and Lynn. Your mom was such a sweet and kind lady. I'm so glad that I got to see her a few months ago.*

Peggy (Weinacht) Wellen

Peggy Wellen - October 01, 2021 at 04:59 PM



“ *Fall Fantasia was purchased for the family of Lydia M. Bellm.*



October 01, 2021 at 05:15 AM

BR

“ *Lydia was always a pleasure to work with at Heineman n Chaney's office. We had some good times. One time she was riding her bicycle and fell off. For Christmas we got her a seat belt for her bike! Those were great times of working together. You have my prayerful sympathy and comfort coming to you, Lynn and Jason and families. Sending hugs.*

Billie Jean Rinderer - September 30, 2021 at 08:12 PM



Barbara White

“ *Aunt Lydia will be missed terribly - she was so loving and joyful - one would never leave her house without a "little" piece of her legendary rhubarb pie - love to you all
Love, James' kids - Barb, Mark and Kate Bellm (and families)*

Barbara White - September 30, 2021 at 03:56 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Lydia M. Bellm.*



September 30, 2021 at 03:54 PM



“ *Omer & I send our condolences to Lydia's family. She was a kind, helpful & loving person. We will keep her in our hearts forever*

Omer & Marie Buescher - September 30, 2021 at 03:15 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Lydia M. Bellm.*



September 30, 2021 at 02:56 PM



“ *Lydia was a beautiful person inside and outside. Wonderful friend she will be missed greatly. Thoughts prayers and love hugs coming to family*

Mary beth Broughton - September 30, 2021 at 10:04 AM

MB

“ *Mary Beth Broughton lit a candle in memory of Lydia M. Bellm*



Mary beth Broughton - September 30, 2021 at 10:02 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lydia M. Bellm.*



September 29, 2021 at 09:24 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Lydia M. Bellm.*

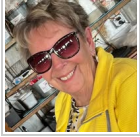


September 29, 2021 at 04:20 PM

LM

“ *Lydia was a sweet and kind person always enjoyed talking and visting and Dad when I saw Them at the hospital Now they are together in Heaven Love Linda Marti ps sorry for loss*

Linda Marti - September 29, 2021 at 01:48 PM



“ *I delivered Meals on Wheels to Lydia many times and when she was able to come to the door I enjoyed seeing her and visiting for a bit. She was one of my favorite stops! My sympathy to the family.*

Judy Hartlieb - September 29, 2021 at 08:33 AM

DL

“ *I worked with Lydia at St. Joseph Hospital in the 70's and early 80's. She was so easy to work with and we always laughed alot. I have great memories of her on the 2nd floor. My thoughts and prayers are with you, Lynn, and your family. Diane (Kampwerth) Lohman.*

D Lohman - September 28, 2021 at 09:31 PM