



Susan Stiens

July 12, 1944 - May 1, 2015

Susan Stiens, age 70 of Highland, IL, died Friday, May 01, 2015, at Saint Joseph's Hospital in Highland, IL.

She was born on Wednesday, July 12, 1944, in St. Louis, MO, the daughter of Luther "Luke" August Torluemke and Evelyn I. (nee Harris) Torluemke Stein.

She was a member of Missouri Real Estate Board; Missouri Builders Association.

Ms. Stiens was born at St. Louis, MO; graduated from Riverview Gardens High School in 1962. She attended Florissant Valley Community College and Rankin Technical Institute. She had been a Code Enforcement Officer for the City of Maryland Heights, MO for a number of years; she was a Rehabilitation Specialist for St. Louis County. She retired and moved to Pierron, IL in 1999. She had been a member of the Missouri Real Estate Board for some 17 years; and also with the Missouri Builders Association for a number of years. She worked for Sanford Brown Business College for 7 years doing Nursing Admissions. The last 5 years she worked at Saint Joseph Hospital in Highland until fall of 2013. She also worked briefly at the Pierron, IL Post Office. She enjoyed playing bingo and cards with the mother she live with and took care of. She also enjoyed music and dancing.

Survivors include:

Son - Joseph M. (Peggy) Stiens, O Fallon, MO

Daughter - Kathleen S. (Brian) Langlois, Wheaton, IL

Grandchild - Jacob T. Stiens, O'Fallon, MO

Grandchild - Josie A. Stiens, O'Fallon, MO

Grandchild - Gabrielle Fern Langlois, Wheaton, IL

Grandchild - Carter Joseph Langlois, Wheaton, IL

Brother - Herman A. (Sandra) Torluemke, Highland, IL

Sister - Tammy (Henry, Jr.) Kulage, Highland, IL

Former Husband - Joseph John Stiens Jr., St. Charles, MO

She was preceded in death by:

Father - Luther "Luke" August Torluemke (died 5/25/1974)

Mother - Evelyn I. Torluemke Stein (nee Harris) (died 9/29/2012)

Step-Father - Lawrence Stein (died 01/15/99)

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

Visitation will be held from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM on Friday, May 08, 2015, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Memorial Service will be at 11:00 AM on Friday, May 08, 2015, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL, with Rev. Christopher W. Hill, Senior Pastor, Evangelical United Church of Christ, Highland, IL, officiating.

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

Memorial contributions may be made to Saint Joseph Hospital Foundation.

Tribute Wall

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“ *Mary Beth Broughton lit a candle in memory of Susan Stiens*



Mary Beth Broughton - May 18, 2015 at 02:53 PM

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“ *I didn't meet Sue until about a year ago. She came into my store because she had received a Christmas gift that had been purchased there. We instantly became friends; sometimes when two people meet, they just 'click.' And that's what happened with us. My only regret is that we didn't cross paths long ago...I enjoyed her honesty and feisty sense of humor and I admired her strength and determination to fight her disease and not let it keep her down. She was a special lady, a dear friend, and a loyal customer. I will miss her dearly.*

Laurie Manwaring-Jatcko - May 07, 2015 at 03:26 PM