



Virginia L. Lancey

June 29, 1939 - May 18, 2021

Virginia L. "Honey" Lancey, age 81 of Highland, IL, died Tuesday, May 18, 2021, at Caring First Nursing Home in Breese, IL.

She was born on June 29, 1939, in Freemont, MO, the daughter of Barney and Olive (nee Simpson) Chappell.

On November 28, 1958, she married Terry M. Lancey at St. Louis, MO. He passed away on August 05, 2014.

She was a member of Evangelical United Church of Christ.

Virginia was born in Freemont, MO and grew up in Sikeston, MO. At age 15 her family moved to East St. Louis where she graduated East St. Louis High School in 1957. She attended Nursing School and worked at PET Milk. After she married Terry, they moved to Highland in 1968. She was a stay at home mom until all the children were in school and she then worked at Highland Community Schools in the Cafeteria. She later worked at Louis Latzer Library in the early 1980's. In her retirement she baby sat her grandchildren. She and her husband enjoyed camping at Cool Creek in Grantfork, IL, reading romance novels, and her dog Toby.

Survivors include:

Son - Kelly Q. Lancey, Highland, IL
Daughter - Suzie K. Lancey (Significant Other Dean "Julio" Stephenson),
Highland, IL
Significant Other - Bob Maurer, St. Louis, MO
Grandchild - Quinn A. (Rachel) Frey US Navy, Guam
Grandchild - Kevin M. (Sarah) Hennessy, St. Louis, MO
Grandchild - Katie A. (Significant Other Ryan) Lancey, St. Louis, MO
Grandchild - Libby M. (Jon) Quinones, St. Louis, MO
Grandchild - Amanda R. Lancey
Grandchild - Jonathan M. Lancey, Breese, IL
Grandchild - Kelly Ann M. Lancey, Denver, CO
Great Grandchild - Ava M. Wiedner
Great Grandchild - Jon "Jack A. Quinones
Great Grandchild - Haley Grace
Great Grandchild - Henry Quinones
Brother - Robert "Wayne" (Brenda) Chappell, GA
Sister - Betty (Bill) Zenor, KY

She was preceded in death by:

Father - Barney D. Chappell - Died 4/11/1991
Mother - Olive I. Chappell, nee Simpson - Died 8/17/2003
Husband - Terry M. Lancey - Died 8/5/2014
Son - Steven M. Lancey - Died 9/25/2015 at age 55
Son - Edward Scott Lancey - Died 7/21/2012 at age 49
Son - David B. Lancey - Died 8/23/2013 at age 46
Daughter In-Law - Jill Hartmann - Died 5/2/2017
Brother - Richard Chappell - Died 11/22/2015
Sister In-Law - LaDon Chappell - Died 11/24/2015

Visitation will be held from 8:00 AM to 12:00 PM on Monday, May 24, 2021, at
Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Funeral Service will be at 12:00 PM on Monday, May 24, 2021, at Spengel-Boulangier Funeral Home in Highland, IL, with Rev. Todd Bean, officiating.

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

Memorial contributions may be made to HIS KIDS.

Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Virginia L. Lancey.*



May 22, 2021 at 08:37 AM



“ *Terry and Virginia were a wonderful couple that raised a great family. Keeping you all in our thoughts and prayers.*

Janet Nicolaides - May 20, 2021 at 10:42 PM



“ *I met Ginny when she joined Tops. I was the leader and we went to several ARD events and she was a century winner.. oh we had tales to share. She always had a smile and beautiful fingernails.. We both grew up in the south and talked about chopping cotton,,pumping water all this with our southern charm.
Hugs and prayers to the family*



Shirley Hug - May 20, 2021 at 08:56 PM

BK

“ Kelly, Suzie and all who loved her, I am so sad to read this. She was so fun-loving, we shared lots of fond memories, happy times and sad. Her smile was contagious and it was always a pleasure to spend time with her over a cup of coffee. We were birthday buddies, our birthdays were 1 day apart. She was my friend and I loved her so. RIP Dear Virginia, give the boys and Terry a hug for me.

Bonnie Kloss - May 20, 2021 at 04:27 PM

PA

To Bonnie and all of Genny's friends...we had been friends since high school, she was close with my family and we always kept in touch. The last time I saw her was at a high school reunion and she told me that if she never saw me again she would always treasure our friendship and that she loved me. I think then that she knew we might not meet again, she had gone through so much, I miss her terribly, please be in touch with me if you choose...I would love to talk about her with someone that knew that wonderful lady...Patricia Lawson Goodwin

Patricia - August 19, 2021 at 06:21 PM

CA

“ So sorry for your loss, had some good times with your parents. Dick & Carla Tscherney

Carla - May 20, 2021 at 12:23 PM