



Karen R Spaur

June 7, 1939 - August 24, 2023

Karen Spaur, 84, of Bussey, passed away Thursday, August 24, 2023, at the Mahaska Health Hospice Serenity House in Oskaloosa.

Karen Ray Spaur, daughter of Raymond and Barbara (Gott) Reed, was born June 7, 1939, in Pershing, Iowa. Growing up, Karen lived in Pershing and Bussey and attended Bussey schools. She was a 1957 graduate of Bussey High School.

Karen married the love of her life, Dale Homer Spaur, in 1960, and to this union, three children were born: Michael, Lisa, and Teresa. Karen was a homemaker until her children were teenagers, at which time she began working at Pella Corp in the factory. She continued to work at Pella for 21 years until her retirement.

Karen was an avid reader and enjoyed watching Iowa State Cyclone men's and women's basketball, but her most enjoyable times were traveling with Dale and spending time with her family.

Karen's family includes her three children: Michael Spaur of Oskaloosa, Lisa Brackney of Oskaloosa, and Teresa (John) Burk of Bussey, IA; five grandchildren and four great-grandchildren; a sister, Lana (Jim) Dunkin of Knoxville; and a brother-in-law, Casey (Diane) Spaur of Ocala, Florida.

Karen was preceded in death by her husband, Dale, her parents, one brother-in-law, Frank Spaur, his wife Louise, and her mother-in-law, Verla Spaur.

Private Graveside Memorial Services will be held at Liberty Cemetery near Bussey, Iowa with Pastor John Bacon officiating. As was Karen's wish, her

body as been cremated.

Memorial contributions can be made to the Mahaska Health Hospice Serenity House.

Tribute Wall



“ Sure sorry to see Karen passed,we were in same grade at Bussey school.

Wesley King - November 28, 2024 at 05:06 PM



“ Karen R Spaur

October 05, 2023 at 11:57 PM



“ Lisa and Kelli,
Sorry for the loss of your mom and grandma.
Denita and Alan Tolliver

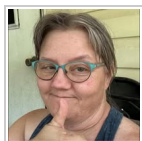
Denita - August 30, 2023 at 07:35 PM



“ Sheila Norton Stone lit a candle in memory of
Karen R Spaur



Sheila Norton Stone - August 29, 2023 at 01:28 PM



“ I have so many fond memories of 4th of July celebrations hanging out on the front porch of the house in Bussey for the parade, and even further back, visiting when you were camping on the river in the converted bread truck! Love and prayers sent to you all.

Julie Spaur - August 27, 2023 at 12:50 AM

RP

“ *Sorry for your loss . Robert & Mary Pinegar*



Robert & Mary Pinegar - August 26, 2023 at 06:57 PM

SW

“ *Sandi Williams lit a candle in memory of Karen R Spaur*



Sandi Williams - August 25, 2023 at 07:56 PM

SK

“ *I always enjoyed working with Karen at Pella
Our thoughts are with you
Jerry and Sheryl Kersey*



Sheryl Kersey - August 25, 2023 at 06:25 PM

RR

“ *Rusty And Shari Roberts lit a candle in memory of Karen R Spaur*



Rusty and Shari Roberts - August 25, 2023 at 03:57 PM

CG

“ *Clifton Godfrey lit a candle in memory of Karen R Spaur*



Clifton Godfrey - August 25, 2023 at 03:49 PM

KD

“ *Prayers for the family in this time of loss.* 🙏🙏
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Karen Denburger - August 25, 2023 at 02:55 PM

TB

“ *Twin Cedars Bank lit a candle in memory of Karen R Spaur*



Twin Cedars Bank - August 25, 2023 at 02:23 PM

KH

“ *Kim & Jaci Hansen lit a candle in memory of Karen R Spaur*



Kim & Jaci Hansen - August 25, 2023 at 02:23 PM

SG

“ *Sending my deepest sympathy. Hugs and prayers.*

Sheri Ellis Goldin - August 25, 2023 at 01:50 PM

CR

“ *Hugs to all the family.*



Chris Hugen Rowley - August 25, 2023 at 12:51 PM

LR

“ *So sorry to see this, Mike, Lisa and Teresa please accept my heartfelt condolences. May you find comfort in all your wonderful memories you have of your Mom.*



Linda Rhoads - August 25, 2023 at 12:20 PM

JW

“ *Sending my deepest sympathies. Hugs and prayer for all of her family.*



Julie Woollums - August 25, 2023 at 12:12 PM