



Joyce LaRue

October 17, 1945 - March 27, 2024

Joyce Louise LaRue, 78, of Bloomfield, Iowa passed away on March 27, 2024 at her home surrounded by family. She was born on October 17, 1945 in Worthington, Missouri to George Hadley and Colleen Alpherta Steen Myers.

Joyce worked as a correctional officer at a maximum-security prison while living in Texas, and was an insurance agent in Ottumwa while living in Iowa. She enjoyed doing crossword puzzles and word searches, reading her Bible, listening to gospel music, and playing her accordion. She will be missed by her family and friends.

She is survived by four children, Donald (Mary Jo) LaRue of Ottumwa, Iowa, Geana (Kim) Kay-Nash of Rochester Hills, Michigan, Donna (Marvin) Walker of Mountain View, Arkansas, James LaRue of Bloomfield, Iowa; eight grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and a brother, David Myers of Missouri.

She was preceded in death by her parents; son, Richard LaRue; two sisters, Carol Kruse, Sue Comstock; and two brothers, George Richard Myers and Charles Myers.

Joyce's wish was to be cremated. A private family service will be held at a later date.

Tribute Wall



“ *Joyce and I worked together as insurance agents at APAC for ten years. We both worked double shifts and we spent a lot of time together. She will be sorely missed.* ”

Karen Dicks - March 28, 2024 at 05:37 PM



“ *I worked with Joyce at APAC for many years. She was always so sweet and funny and kind to everyone. My heart goes out to the family she will surely be missed* ”

Melissa Maxey - March 27, 2024 at 08:50 PM