



Cathy D Vance

April 8, 1954 - February 14, 2025

Cathy D. Vance, 70, of Forest City, passed away at Mason District Hospital, in Havana, at 8:01 a.m., on Friday, February 14, 2025. She was born April 8, 1954, in Ft. Worth, Texas, to Wayne and Mary (Donnelly) Strawbridge, Sr. She married David R. Vance on March 16, 1985, in Manito. He survives.

Mrs. Vance is survived by her husband, David, of Forest City; three children: April (Brian) Voyles, of Manito, Patia (Tony Mahurin) Vance, of Manito, and Danny (Amanda) Vance, of Forest City; six grandchildren, who were the light of her life, Willow, Waverly, Brooklynn, Journie, Josie and Jaecob; as well as one brother, Wayne Strawbridge Jr., of Manito. Also surviving are nieces and nephews, Heather (Jason) Seward, and their daughter, Carley, of Cuba, Darien Mounts, of Indiana, Andrew James Strawbridge, of Topeka, and Karisa Gerard, of Manito; as well as close friend, Janet Sides, of Forest City. She was preceded in death by her parents; one brother, Jim Strawbridge, and one grandson, Tanner.

Mrs. Vance was a member of Manito United Community Church. She enjoyed sewing, gardening, flowers, birdwatching, fishing and church. She worked at JoAnn Fabrics for many years before taking over as CEO of Vance Farms. Funeral services will be held at Manito United Community Church, at 2:00 p.m., on Thursday, February 20, 2025, with visitation two hours prior to the services, starting at Noon. Burial will follow the services at Meadowlawn Cemetery, in Manito. Rev. Steve Oaks will officiate.

Memorial contributions may be made to ALS or American Cancer Society.

Online memorial messages may be left for the family at www.hurleyfh.com.
Maas-Hurley Funeral Home, in Manito is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Meadow Lawn Cemetery

801 E. Meadow Lawn St.
Manito, IL 61546

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 20. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Manito Community Methodist Church - Manito
109 S. Washington
Manito, IL 61546
(309) 968-6226

Funeral Service

FEB 20. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ Hurley Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Cathy D Vance



Hurley Funeral Home - February 19, 2025 at 03:53 PM

JK

April and family im deeply sorry to hear of your loss.

John knight - February 20, 2025 at 02:42 PM

AD

“ Abby Dolen. purchased the Blue Caribbean Bouquet for the family of Cathy D Vance.



Abby Dolen. - February 18, 2025 at 09:28 PM



“ RIP Cathy. Great times at the Vance Family Reunions. You will be dearly missed.



Allison Anderson - February 18, 2025 at 01:20 AM

CC

“ Cheryl Cockerham lit a candle in memory of Cathy D Vance



Cheryl Cockerham - February 17, 2025 at 07:46 PM

UW

“ Jerry and I are so sorry to hear of the passing of Cathy. We want to express our sorrow and send our best wishes to the family and send strength for them to get through this time of grief. Cathy was a great neighbor, always with a smile and a wave. She will be missed by many. Love from your neighbor from the west side....Bless you all.

Una and Jerry Wertz - February 17, 2025 at 10:15 AM

LB

“ Leann Bonnett lit a candle in memory of Cathy Vance



Leann Bonnett - February 17, 2025 at 09:11 AM

PA

“ Patty Ann lit a candle in memory of Cathy Vance



Patty Ann - February 17, 2025 at 05:02 AM

MH

“ *Mary Hundt sent a virtual gift in memory of Cathy D Vance*



Mary Hundt - February 16, 2025 at 08:15 AM

DL

“ *So sorry for your loss.*

Danille Morris Lacey - February 16, 2025 at 12:25 AM

JF

“ *Joy Fischer lit a candle in memory of Cathy Vance*



Joy Fischer - February 16, 2025 at 12:00 AM

SS

“ *Steve And Kim Singley sent a virtual gift in memory of Cathy D Vance*



Steve and Kim Singley - February 15, 2025 at 10:19 PM

DI

“ *Danny D Gordon II lit a candle in memory of Cathy D Vance*



Danny D Gordon II - February 15, 2025 at 08:43 PM

RH

“ *I'm sorry to hear this news. She was so sweet and a joy to take care of during her stay at MCANH. My condolences to David and family.*

Rhonda - February 15, 2025 at 07:48 PM