



Daphne "Duck" Clark Minor

March 1, 1973 - December 14, 2025

Daphne "Duck" Clark Minor, 52, of Oakford, passed away peacefully at 6:55 a.m. on Sunday, December 14, 2025 at Barnes Jewish Hospital in St. Louis, Missouri. She was born on March 1, 1973 in Springfield, Illinois to George Clark and Linda Duncheon.

Daphne is survived by her mother, Linda Duncheon of Oakford; sisters, Robin Clark and Stacy Clark of Oakford; brother, Clint (Deanna) Clark of Athens; step-sisters, Robin (Curt) Friedman and Becky (Dan) Fehr of Fairbury, Illinois; and father, George (Rita) Clark of Fairbury, Illinois. Also surviving are her nieces who she adored, Courtney Clark, McKenna Clark, McKayla Clark, Marcie Dyer, and Whitney Zehr and great-nephews with whom she spent most of her free time, Amari Clark (age 2), James Williams (age 10), and Oliver Williams (age 5). She was preceded in death by her dad, Jim Duncheon (Papa) and grandparents, Russell and Beverly Armstrong.

Daphne spent the majority of her life working at Sunny Acres Nursing Home as an LPN, where she cared for and cherished her residents and their families. She not only impacted her residents' lives, but the lives of their families as well. She was the best nurse anyone could ask for because she put her entire heart into every single one of her resident's care. She will be deeply missed.

Daphne was very close with her sister Robin, niece Courtney, and mom Linda. Daphne was the type of person who would bend over backwards for the next person, give the shirt off of her back to ensure that they were taken care of. Her absence will undoubtedly be noticed by all of her friends and family.

Cremation rites have been accorded. Graveside services will be held on Saturday, April 11, 2026 at 11:00 a.m. at Oakford Cemetery. A Celebration of Life will immediately follow the burial at the Oakford Hall.

Memorial donations may be made in Daphne's name to her family. Online condolences can be left for her family at www.hurleyfh.com.

Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Oakford Cemetery

Colson St.
Oakford, IL 62673

Previous Events

Graveside Service

APR 11. 11:00 AM (CT)

Oakford Cemetery
Colson St.
Oakford, IL 62673

Celebration of Life

APR 11. 11:30 AM (CT)

Oakford Village Hall
100 Center St.
Oakford, IL 62673

Tribute Wall



“ Craig Schaeffer lit a candle in memory of Daphne "Duck" Clark Minor



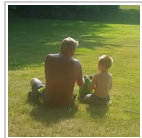
Craig Schaeffer - April 11 at 10:21 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Daphne "Duck" Clark Minor.



April 08 at 02:33 PM



“ I will always love you Daphne Dawn. As we we were constant our love for each other always grew. Eight years is only a fraction of our 52 years of life , YOU were a gift to me, a friend, a soul mate, and everything in between or to come . Our rings Symbolized our love. We married ourselves during a time of world turmoil and unrest. Our our lack of interest to live a life of lavish may be viewed as plain or simple. The love and affection never faded and always displayed as our prized possession. Baby. I will see you on the other side. All of my love, Aaron Beau



Aaron Shirley - December 22, 2025 at 02:35 PM

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“ My sincere condolences to the Family, I had the chance to work with Daphne at Sunny Acres, she was a sweet Lady 🙏❤️

Carole Mohn - December 19, 2025 at 09:50 PM

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“ to the family of Daphne Minor,

I was an RN working at Sunny Acres several. I no longer am working there. Someone sent a message she had passed. I did not know she was ill. I wanted to tell you one night when both of us were working It started snowing. By the time we both got off the grounds, the roads and walks were well covered. As we drove in our separate vehicles the roads were well covered and slippery. Also the snow plows in Petersburg were always slow to get out. Both of us proceeded very slowly all the way to Kilbourne. By the time we got there Mason county had been out and cleared the roads. I saw her turn off at Kilbourne and I waved . I double she could see me as I proceeded home to Havana. We both got home safely but I will never forget how slow and careful both of us were. I was so grateful that Mason county was out plowing the roads. Both of us worked second shift. I believe both of us were so grateful that the snowplows and the people that drove them always seemed to be out early.

Marilou Carolyn Gaw, RN

Marilou C. Gaw - December 17, 2025 at 12:08 PM