



Eva Mae Craggs

September 26, 1928 - July 11, 2020

Eva Mae Craggs, 91, of Havana, passed away at her daughter's home at 1:15 PM, Saturday, July 11, 2020 surrounded by her loving family. She was born September 26, 1928, in Monticello, Kentucky to Lester and Zollie Velma (Powell) Morrow. She was raised by her mother and loving step-father, Charles H. Dearing. She married George D. Craggs on January 12, 1947 in Petersburg, IL. He preceded her in death on November 10, 1976.

Mrs. Craggs is survived by three daughters: Karen (Charles) Hazzard of Lewistown, Nanette (Mark) Schmink of The Villages, Florida, and Georgia (Terry) Winson of Springfield, five grandchildren, eleven great grandchildren, and nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents, step-father, husband, one brother, Howard Morrow and one sister, Marie Turner. Mrs. Craggs' faith journey began at the Kilbourne Baptist Church and the First Baptist Church of Havana where she served as a Sunday School teacher and a Youth Group Leader. She has been an active member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church in Havana for many years.

She was a member of the Havana Woman's Club. She previously worked for the State of Illinois and later the City of Havana.

A memorial mass will be held at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, in Havana, at 11am on Monday, July 20, 2020. Fr. David Whiteside will officiate. Burial will follow at Kilbourne Cemetery in Kilbourne, IL.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Patrick's Catholic Church.

Hurley Funeral Home in Havana is in charge of arrangements.

Please note: Masks will be required to enter and exit the sanctuary of the church. Once seated, masks are optional.

Previous Events

Memorial Mass

JUL **20**. 11:00 AM (CT)

St Patricks Catholic Church
545 S Orange St
Havana, IL 62644

Tribute Wall



“ *Eva Mae Craggs*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Karen, Nanette, and Georgia-We were so sorry to hear of the loss of your mother, Eva. We are keeping you in our thoughts, and hope you find peace in your grief.*

*With Kindest Regards,
Jay and Debbie Troxell Hayes*

Jay and Debbie HAYES - July 17, 2020 at 06:22 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Eva Mae Craggs.*



July 16, 2020 at 04:42 PM



“ *Jody Smith lit a candle in memory of Eva Mae Craggs*



Jody Smith - July 15, 2020 at 07:21 AM

KB

“ *Eva Mae was a warm and caring person. She was a good friend and welcomed me into the Baptist Church back in the day. I know you girls and your families will miss her. Her passing brings some very good memories to mind of all of you. May the peace and comfort that only God can give be yours.*

Karen Barrett - July 15, 2020 at 06:45 AM

NS

Thanks, Karen, warm memories of you as well.

Nanette Schmink - July 15, 2020 at 09:34 AM

NS

Thanks, Karen, warm memories of you as well. Nanette

Nanette Schmink - July 15, 2020 at 09:36 AM

KW

“ *1 file added to the album Memories Album*



Katie Winson - July 14, 2020 at 05:35 PM

RM

“ *Eva Mae was a good friend for many years, and I will miss her.*
Mary Lou Stephens
Deepest Sympathy from Paul and Becky Morgan

rebecca morgan - July 14, 2020 at 01:37 PM

MA

“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Please know of my thoughts and prayers for you and your family at this difficult time.

Mary Hofmann

Mary - July 14, 2020 at 10:49 AM

LH

“ Larry And Mary Hundt lit a candle in memory of Eva Mae Craggs



Larry and Mary Hundt - July 14, 2020 at 10:10 AM

CS

“ Cheryl Stinauer lit a candle in memory of Eva Mae Craggs



Cheryl Stinauer - July 14, 2020 at 09:13 AM


Chrissy
Hutchison

“ Chrissy Hutchison lit a candle in memory of Eva Mae Craggs



Chrissy Hutchison - July 14, 2020 at 08:45 AM



“ *Nanette, Karen, and Georgia, I was so saddened to hear about your mom. I was in Woman's Club with her, and I loved visiting with her. Your mom had that special ability of making people feel good. I thought she was wonderful, and I will miss her and her beautiful smile. My thoughts are with you and your families.*

Rita Badger

Rita Badger - July 14, 2020 at 07:46 AM

NS

She spoke fondly of you as well, Rita. Nanette

Nanette Schmink - July 15, 2020 at 09:38 AM

SB

“ *Eva Craggs was a kind and gracious woman who's inquisitive nature for knowledge and understanding of others, as well as the world around us, made her a very special person indeed. Her strength, independence, and trust in others surpasses most. Her gentle soul lives on in her children and grandchildren. Rest in peace fair lady.*

Steve Blessman - July 14, 2020 at 12:39 AM

NS

Thanks, Steve, for your beautiful words you caught the true essence of Mom. Nanette

Nanette Schmink - July 15, 2020 at 09:31 AM

AM

“ My thoughts and prayers are with the family. Eva was a go get her., any project that needed to be done somway with her help it always got done. Lots of Happy Memory, women club Christmas, Sunday school teacher and her and my Uncle fighting about a tree needed to be cut down. Th tree still stands. WE will all miss her.



Alice Prettyman Miller - July 13, 2020 at 09:24 PM

NS

Lots of good memories of you too, Alice, from First Baptist! Nanette

Nanette Schmink - July 15, 2020 at 09:41 AM

CK

“ Thoughts and prayers to the family. Eva was a joy to be around. Enjoyed visiting with her at Women’s Club. She will be missed.
Carol Kolves

Carol Kolves - July 13, 2020 at 07:43 PM

JC

“ Julitta Carpenter lit a candle in memory of Eva Mae Craggs



Julitta Carpenter - July 13, 2020 at 05:45 PM

LY

“ I am so sorry to hear of your loss. Please know of my thoughts and prayers for you at this difficult time.
Linda and Casey Younkin

linda younkin - July 13, 2020 at 04:04 PM

CS

“ Craig Schaeffer lit a candle in memory of Eva Mae Craggs



Craig Schaeffer - July 13, 2020 at 03:55 PM

LS

“ Our deepest sympathy to the family. Alvin and Lorenda Spilker.

Lorenda Spilker - July 13, 2020 at 03:36 PM

SS

“ It is with deep gratitude to God for such a beautiful and grace-filled lady who shared her life and faith with many. May God grant her eternal rest and peace and consolation to the family. My assurance of prayer for all. Eternal rest grant on to her O God, and let perpetual Light shine upon her, AMEN. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. S. Mary Shaw, ASC. D.Min.



S. Mary Shaw - July 13, 2020 at 02:24 PM

DW

“ Sorry for your loss Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family



Dan and Chris Wilson - July 13, 2020 at 10:49 AM



“ *Rhonda Neeley sent a virtual gift in memory of Eva Mae Craggs*



Rhonda Neeley - July 13, 2020 at 10:19 AM

MF

“ *I'm so sad to be reading this. Eva will definitely be missed. I always would see her when I would take my mom to get her hair done. Eva would always have a sweet smile for you. My thoughts and prayers going out to her family. I'm so sorry for your loss.*



Marla & Jerry Bloyd & Eva Flaharty - July 13, 2020 at 10:12 AM