



Joyce Elaine Dings

March 27, 1948 - August 26, 2007

Joyce Elaine Dings, 59, of Havana, died at her residence at 1:56 p.m. on Sunday, August 26, 2007. She was born March 27, 1948 in Pawnee, OK to Richard and Mary Esther (Buchanan) Harris. She married Minton Dings on May 24, 1969 at Bethel Church on Oklahoma. He survives.

Mrs. Dings is survived by her husband, two sons: Justin Dings of Peoria and Jeremy Dings of Wisconsin; one brother: George Harris of Glencoe, OK and one sister: Patricia Gilland of Yukon, OK. She was preceded in death by her parents and one sister: Frances Rickenbaugh.

Mrs. Dings was a member of Covenant Community Fellowship Church in Canton, IL. She grew up in Oklahoma, graduating from Sterling High School in 1966. She later attended Cameron St. College and Oklahoma St. University. She enjoyed gardening and flowers as well as teaching Bible School. She served as Methodist Minister from 1976 until 1989, most recently at San Jose United Methodist Church. Later she took a position as a social service worker and most recently, she worked as a medical transcriptionist at Graham Hospital in Canton. For 38 years, Joyce was a patient and understanding wife of a paramedic and firefighter.

Funeral services will be held at her church in Canton on Friday, August 31, 2007 at 10:00 a.m. Visitation will be held at the Hurley Funeral Home in

Havana on Thursday, August 30 from 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Rev. Kevin Van Tine will officiate. Burial will follow the services at Laurel Hill Cemetery in Havana.

Memorial contributions may be made to her church or to Spoon River Hospice. Online memorial messages may be left for the family at www.hurleyfh.com.

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“ *Joyce Elaine Dings*

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