



Luanita Kruse

November 9, 1941 - August 17, 2020

Luanita Kruse, 78, of LeRoy, Illinois, formerly of Havana, passed away at her home on Monday, August 17, 2020. She was born on November 9, 1941 in Havana to William and Doris Jean (Painter) Towery. She married Herbert W. Kruse on March 22, 1961 in Havana. He preceded her in death on April 7, 1993.

Luanita is survived by her five children: Wesley (Terrie) Kruse, Cindy (Larry) Hinthorne, Johnny Bill (Kim) Kruse, Patrick (Hetta) Kruse, and Jeremy (Jessica) Kruse, eleven grandchildren: Kimberly Kruse, Jayden Wiens, Brick Hinthorne, Tanna Guyon, Johnathan Kruse, Jessica Kruse, Joseph Kruse, Alaina Kruse, Alivia Kruse, Benjamin Kruse, and Rebecca Kruse, and eight great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, and siblings Willard Towery, Jeanette Riner, Juanita Ferguson, and Doretta Towery.

Luanita was of the Presbyterian faith. She worked at Caterpillar as a piston builder.

Funeral services will be held on Friday, August 21, 2020 at Hurley Funeral Home in Havana at 3:00 p.m., with a visitation to be held 30 minutes before from 2:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m. Pastor Ron Woodrum will officiate. Burial will follow the service at Laurel Hill Cemetery in Havana.

Online condolences can be left for the family at www.hurleyfh.com. Memorial donations can be made in Luanita's name to the donor's choice.

Hurley Funeral Home in Havana is in charge of arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Laurel Hill Cemetery

1105 E Laurel Ave
Havana, IL 62644
(309) 543-2986

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 21. 2:30 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Hurley Funeral Home - Havana
217 North Plum Street
P.O. Box #648
Havana, IL 62644
(309) 543-2244
<https://www.hurleyfh.com/>

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Luanita Kruse*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Mom, I still think about you every day and still find it very hard to accept you are gone. I was 5 minutes too late and I will have to live with that for the rest of my days. Fly free of all the earthly boundaries and bindings, you are home now with dad and can be forever young.*

Patrick (Blooper) Kruse - April 03, 2021 at 06:57 AM



“ *I found out from Cindy (her daughter) that "Mom" Luanita Kruse passed away in August. I'm so heartbroken to hear this!! She was an amazing co-worker at 76 and a second "Mom" to all of us. Also, this lady knew Joe "J.P." and I was meant to be...she set us up on our first date and was honored with at our wedding in the handing out of the roses to those ladies who were a big part of our day. I have made sure to send a Christmas card over all these years with pictures of our family to show her she was right!! 32 years later, we are still married. Fly High Sweet Sweet Mom K!!!*

Bobby Jo Pulliam - October 28, 2020 at 07:43 PM



“ *Cindy...my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this time. Christie Patterson*

Christie Patterson - August 24, 2020 at 09:24 AM

DC

“ *Cindy and family,
My thoughts and prayers to you and your family at this time of
sorrow. Deborah C*

Deborah Carman - August 21, 2020 at 08:26 AM



“ *Serene Retreat was purchased for the family of
Luanita Kruse.*



August 21, 2020 at 07:28 AM

YF

“ *Your State Farm Family purchased the Full Of Love
Bouquet for the family of Luanita Kruse.*



Your State Farm Family - August 19, 2020 at 04:11 PM

BA

“ *Bloop, Hetta, Alaina, and Alivia purchased the Beautiful Heart
Bouquet for the family of Luanita
Kruse.*



Bloop, Hetta, Alaina, and Alivia - August 19, 2020 at 01:31 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Luanita Kruse.* ”



August 19, 2020 at 12:07 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Luanita Kruse.* ”



August 19, 2020 at 11:59 AM