



Norma Jean Clark

August 19, 1932 - May 7, 2026

Norma Jean Clark, 93, of Havana, passed away on Thursday, May 7, 2026 at 12:52 p.m. at Arcadia Care in Havana. She was born on August 19, 1932 in Springfield to Theodore and Mabel (Hahn) Kramer.

Mrs. Clark is survived by her son, Doug (Florence) Clark of Forest City; daughter-in-law, Cathy Clark of Manito; grandchildren, Justin and Brandon Clark, Luke and Jake Brooks, and Shawn Guilliams; and six great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents; son, Bruce Clark; and sister, Wanda Krause.

Mrs. Clark was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Havana. She taught home economics in Easton and San Jose, worked for the University of Illinois Extension, and later joined Forman Schools in 1969, where she remained until retirement. She also owned a quilt shop in Havana and enjoyed quilting and traveling, visiting Europe and Africa.

Mrs. Clark's family would like to thank the staff at the Lodge in Manito and Arcadia Care for their excellent care.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, May 13, 2026 at 11:00 a.m. at St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Havana, with a visitation one hour prior to the service. Rev. Ian Heinze will officiate. Burial will follow the service at Laurel Hill Cemetery in Havana.

Memorial donations may be made in Mrs. Clark's name to St. Paul's Lutheran Church or the Lodge at Manito Activity Fund. Online condolences can be left for her family at www.hurleyfh.com.

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

MAY 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St Pauls Lutheran Church
121 N Pearl St
Havana, IL 62644

Funeral Service

MAY 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

GW

“ *When I was young, I would visit the farm with my Grandmother Helen Copper. Norma always had cookies waiting for us when we arrived and I would check out the kittens in the barn while they visited. Years later it was always a wonderful time when Norma would visit my quilt shop in Washington, IL and we could reconnect on her travels and the quilting she was doing. Sending my sympathy to the family.*

Gail Willock Warning - May 20 at 08:55 AM



“ *Aleita Zeeck lit a candle in memory of Norma Clark*



Aleita Zeeck - May 15 at 12:25 AM

AL

“ *Alice lit a candle in memory of Norma Clark*



Alice - May 14 at 04:16 PM

RS

“ *Our sincere sympathy for your loss. Cherish your memories.*
Darell and Rosanne Sarff

Rosanne Sarff - May 13 at 10:18 PM

SM

“ Me and my boyfriend used to work at The Lodge At Manito and she really loved us and we loved her. We'd bake goods for her and show her projects we worked on and she'd tell us about her adventures and projects. She'll always have a place in our hearts and will always be missed.

Shiloh Moorhead - May 11 at 08:36 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Norma Jean Clark.



May 11 at 10:26 AM

CK

“ What a great lady she will be missed. I have lots of memories of Norma Jean. So many good times at her art and craft shows at her home in the country. I enjoyed stopping by her home and the visits we had when she moved to Havana. Prayers to the family.

Carol Fisk Kolves - May 11 at 08:17 AM

WW

“ I am sorry for your loss of Norma. I was a high school classmate of Norma Jean and I have warm memories of her. She was a kind and considerate person liked by everyone. My sympathy to the family.
Wanda Smith Whitham

Wanda Whitham - May 10 at 08:04 PM

PS

“ *Patti Specketer lit a candle in memory of Norma Clark*



Patti Specketer - May 10 at 11:50 AM

LH

“ *Larry and Mary Hundt sent a virtual gift in memory of Norma Clark*



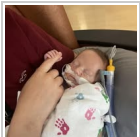
Larry and Mary Hundt - May 10 at 09:41 AM

DW

“ *Dan and Chris Wilson lit a candle in memory of Norma Clark*



Dan and Chris Wilson - May 10 at 09:32 AM



“ *I had Mrs. Clark in highschool teaching foods and Economics. She was a great teacher and person. RIP Mrs. Clark*

Brenda Krigner-Himmelrick - May 10 at 07:01 AM

CC

“ Cheryl Cockerham lit a candle in memory of Norma Clark



Cheryl Cockerham - May 09 at 06:03 PM



“ Ljt Thomp lit a candle in memory of Norma Clark



Ljt Thomp - May 09 at 04:40 PM

SS

“ Steve and Kim Singley lit a candle in memory of Norma Clark



Steve and Kim Singley - May 09 at 04:38 PM

EF

“ Norma was such a great teacher and enjoyed sharing her love of sewing.

Eva Fuller - May 09 at 02:46 PM

GF

“ George and Deb Andreadis and Family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Norma Jean Clark.



George and Deb Andreadis and Family - May 09 at 01:57 PM

GF

“ George and Deb Andreadis and Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Norma Jean Clark.

George and Deb Andreadis and Family - May 09 at 01:57 PM

KB

“ Norma and I started teaching in Manito the same year. We became good friends and enjoyed travelling together. One great memory I have is when Norma accompanied me on my first student trip to Mexico. Our first stop was in San Antonio, Texas where we stopped for drinks along the River walk. I have a photo of Norma with a huge pineapple with a piña colada inside, and her face is beat red after drinking it. Such good times. She will be missed. Kathy Barnes

Kathy Barnes - May 09 at 01:45 PM

MG

So sorry for your loss. I had Mrs Clark in high school. She was always so sweet n I could talk to her about anything n she would listen not judge n always help me. She will be missed by many! My prayers are with the family during this time!

Melinda Gossmeier - May 11 at 01:07 PM

DW

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



Dan and Chris Wilson - May 09 at 12:22 PM

NE

“ Prayers for her family



Nancy Elliott - May 09 at 12:07 PM

BW

Irma was a great teacher and a lovely lady. Students and parents alike enjoyed her.

Becky Wood - May 09 at 07:23 PM