



Clara L. Hewitt

October 6, 1949 - July 2, 2024

Clara L. Hewitt, age 74 of Findlay, OH passed away Tuesday, July 2, 2024, at Serenity Spring Senior Living in Arlington, Ohio. She was born on October 6, 1949, in Kankakee, the daughter of Michael A. and Larue (Bilyard) O'Connor. Clara married Arnold Hewitt, July 1, 1972. He preceded her in death on December 2, 2021.

Clara was a lifelong resident of the Kankakee area until July 2022, when she relocated to Ohio. She was a homemaker and a CNA at Merkle Knipprath Nursing Home, retiring in 1992. At that time, she went into home daycare, caring for her grandchildren as well as other kids who crossed her path. She loved spending time with her family and friends, but most of all her beloved dog, Apple Jack.

Clara was of the Catholic faith.

Surviving are two sons, Gerald (Erin) Roth of Carey, OH, Michael (Julie) Roth of Valrico, FL; two daughters, Theresa (Dennis) Overacker of Findlay, OH, Shawn (Barney) Rivera of Kankakee; four sisters, Joyce (Geno) Swinford of Kankakee, Helen Troeger of Momence, Sharon Stanley of Kankakee, Mary Ford of Bradley; three brothers, Pat (Paula) O'Connor of Bonfield, Richard (Sandy) O'Connor of Bourbonnais, Danny (Vickie) O'Connor of Indiana; seventeen grandchildren; many great grandchildren; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Clara is preceded in death by her husband, Arnold; her parents; four brothers,

Robert, Michael, Donnie, Carl; and one sister, Doris.

Memorial visitation will be held from 11:00 a.m. until the time of the 1:00 p.m. memorial service on Saturday, July 20, 2024, at Schreffler Funeral Homes, Kankakee. Deacon Greg Clodi will officiate the service. Inurnment will follow at St. James Cemetery, Irwin.

Memorials may be made to the family wishes.

Cemetery Details

St. James Cemetery

Irwin, IL 60901

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JUL 20. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Schreffler Funeral Home - Kankakee Chapel
1900 W. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901
(815) 932-2421
<https://www.schrefflerfuneralhomes.com/>

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Tribute Wall

VC

“ Vicki & Dan o connor purchased the Wings of a Dove Tribute Blanket for the family of Clara L. Hewitt.



Vicki & Dan o connor - July 13, 2024 at 06:59 PM

VC

“ Vicki & Dan o connor planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Clara L. Hewitt.

Vicki & Dan o connor - July 13, 2024 at 06:59 PM

TB

“ Terri J Hackworth Born purchased the Garden Accent - "When someone you love..." for the family of Clara L. Hewitt.



Terri J Hackworth Born - July 12, 2024 at 07:33 AM

TB

“ Terri J Hackworth Born planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Clara L. Hewitt.

Terri J Hackworth Born - July 12, 2024 at 07:33 AM

YF

“ Your Shelly Company Family purchased the Garden Bench - "Gone yet not forgotten..." for the family of Clara L. Hewitt.



Your Shelly Company Family - July 12, 2024 at 07:28 AM

YF

“ Your Shelly Company Family planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Clara L. Hewitt.

Your Shelly Company Family - July 12, 2024 at 07:28 AM

DC

“ Delaina Caise lit a candle in memory of Clara L. Hewitt



Delaina Caise - July 11, 2024 at 02:33 PM



“ Garden Accent Stone - "Wherever a Beautiful Soul..." was purchased for the family of Clara L. Hewitt.



July 11, 2024 at 01:33 PM

TR

“ Tim & Lesley Rowan planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Clara L. Hewitt.

Tim & Lesley Rowan - July 11, 2024 at 01:33 PM

SP

“ Sending My Love & Prayers to Destiny,
Brenton & Family.
May Jesus and his angels surround all of you
with his Love.



Susan Potter - July 10, 2024 at 09:58 AM

SP

“ Susan Potter lit a candle in memory of Clara
L. Hewitt



Susan Potter - July 10, 2024 at 09:53 AM

DF

“ My deepest condolences to Shawn and family. May the Lord wrap
his arms around you all and comfort you through this difficult time.
Hugs,
Dan Vaughn and family

Dan Vaughn and Family - July 07, 2024 at 02:31 PM