



## Stella M. Ryan

October 30, 1927 - June 18, 2016

Stella M. Ryan, 88, of Kankakee passed away on Saturday, June 18, 2016 at Miller Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center in Kankakee. She was born on October 30, 1927 in Cullom, the daughter of Grover and Estelle (Metzger) McClintock. Stella married Tom J. Ryan on July 5, 1954 in Kankakee. He preceded her in death on September 24, 2011.

Stella was a Bookkeeper for Wilson Paint Store and Ryan Pharmacies until 1990. She enjoyed golfing and spending time with her family and granddaughters. Stella was a die-hard Chicago Cubs baseball fan since 1942. She was a 1945 graduate of Herscher High School and a member of Asbury United Methodist Church, Eastern Star and White Shrine.

She is survived by one daughter Patricia (Patrick) Quigley of Kankakee; one son Jeffry Ryan of Bourbonnais; two granddaughters Allyson (Michael Martens) Quigley of Edwardsville and Kaitlyn Quigley of Iowa City, Iowa; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; four brothers Cecil, Floyd, Fred and Charles; and five sisters Grace, Marie, Pauline, Ruth and Dorothy.

Visitation will be held on Saturday, June 25, 2016 at Schreffler Funeral Home in Kankakee from 9am until the funeral service at 11am. Rev. Scott Henley will officiate the service. Burial will follow at Kankakee Memorial Gardens

Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley. The family would like to express their deep appreciation for all of Stella's caregivers at Butterfield Memory Care and Miller Healthcare and Rehabilitation Center.

([hkvcares.org](http://hkvcares.org))

# Cemetery Details

## Kankakee Memorial Gardens

15 South 3000 E. Rd.  
Kankakee, IL 60901

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN 25. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

JUN 25. 11:00 AM (CT)

Schreffler Funeral Home - Kankakee Chapel  
1900 W. Court St.  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
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# Tribute Wall



“ *Stella M. Ryan*

February 03, 2023 at 04:30 AM



“ *My deepest sympathy to the family of Stella Ryan. She and Tom were good friends of my late husband, Noel Goudreau, and Stella was always gracious and thoughtful in keeping in touch with me for years after Noel's death. May peace be with you. I will send a gift to Hospice in her memory,*

*Lois Goudreau*

**Lois Goudreau** - June 27, 2016 at 06:16 PM



“ *Deepest sympathies to the Ryan family. Our thoughts and prayers are with you.*

*Larry Hines and Family*

**Larry Hines** - June 25, 2016 at 08:58 AM



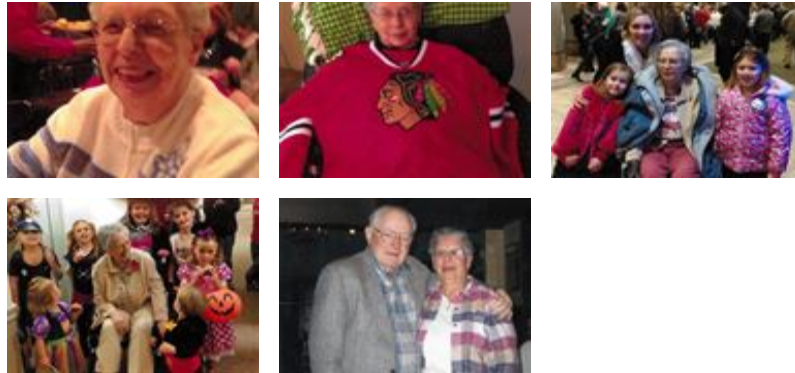
“ *We were very fortunate to have spent some fun times with Mrs. Ryan having dinner and listening to her favorite music. She always welcomed us with a warm smile and we truly enjoyed spending time with her. Her love for her family was quite evident, What a gracious lady. She will be missed.*

*With Deepest Sympathy,  
Andy and Louise Mansfield*

**Louise Mansfield** - June 25, 2016 at 07:47 AM



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**Schreffler Funeral Home** - June 23, 2016 at 02:33 PM

MC

“ *Memories of a double date Jim Moilan & I had with Tom & Stella....one of their first dates. Marilyn Palenske Craig*

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**Marilyn Craig** - June 23, 2016 at 01:19 PM

ES

“ *We send out very deepest sympathies to Patty, Jeff, Pat, Allison, Kaityln and all the family. We have the very best of memories of Stella: she was a person of unimpeachable dignity and composure, regardless of how pressing the circumstances might be. Her and Tom's devotion to one another was a model for all married couples. Stella was a positive and optimistic force to all who were blessed to cross her path.*

*With deepest sympathy,  
Ed & Jean Smith*

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**Ed & Jean Smith** - June 22, 2016 at 01:53 PM

DM

“ I can't tell you how sad is it to here of the passing of Aunt Stella. She was always a kind, loving person. My childhood memories of our annual summer family get togethers at her and Uncle Tom's house will forever be my fondest thoughts of every summer during my youth. No matter where we were living, each summer our family would always make the trip to Kankakee. My deepest condolences to Patty and Jeffery and their entire families. Aunt Stella will be deeply missed by all who have ever known her!

*Dennis A. McClintock*

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**Dennis A McClintock** - June 21, 2016 at 05:28 AM

CM

“ Deepest sympathy to Patty & her family. Mrs. Ryan was always a lady.

*Won't be able to attend her services, but will keep all of you in our prayers.*

*Cathie (Bergan) Miedema*

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**Cathie (Bergan) Miedena** - June 20, 2016 at 06:46 PM

