



Mary L. McChesney

January 13, 1947 - April 10, 2024

Mary McChesney, 77, a beloved resident of DeMotte, peacefully passed away on April 10, 2024, surrounded by her devoted family.

Born on January 13, 1947, in Danville, Illinois, Mary was the cherished daughter of the late William and Myrtle Richards. She began her journey at St. Mary's Catholic Church and School in Westville, Illinois.

Shortly after graduating from Lowell High School, Mary married the love of her life, Allan McChesney on September 27, 1965. For over two decades, she dedicated herself to White's Advertising, followed by a fulfilling tenure at M, M & M until her retirement.

An individual of diverse interests, Mary found joy in antique shopping and was known for her compassionate and nurturing spirit. She spent countless hours reading to her children and grandchildren, whom she adored deeply. Mary found solace in the outdoors, particularly in her garden, where she delighted in planting and admiring flowers. During her leisure moments, she often indulged in puzzles, a favorite pastime.

Mary's legacy lives on through her devoted husband, Allan, and their children: Ann Allen, Michele (Dean) Pinkham, Neile Trainor, and Richard (Elizabeth) McChesney. She leaves behind 16 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren. Mary is also survived by her siblings: Veronica (the late Ray) Rendant,

Christina (Chuck) Halliar, Philip Richards, Kathryn Carr, and William Richards, although she is preceded in death by her sister, Cecelia (Ray) Call.

A visitation to honor Mary's life will be held at Jackson Funeral Services of DeMotte on Saturday, April 13, 2024, beginning at 11:00 a.m. The funeral service will commence at 1:00 p.m., followed by burial at Roselawn Cemetery at 2:00 p.m.

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 13. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Service of DeMotte
200 3rd Street, SW
P.O. Box 681
DeMotte, IN 46310
(219) 987-5300
info@jacksonfuneral.com
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Funeral Service

APR 13. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Graveside Services

APR 13. 2:00 PM (CT)

Roselawn Cemetery
Roselawn Cemetery
Roselawn, IN 46372

Tribute Wall

MW

“ *To mick a family : I'm so sorry for your loss: praying for peace a comfort for all ! To my best friend I will see you someday an I'll walk with you on those streets of gold!* ”



mary williams - April 12, 2024 at 09:12 PM

YO

“ *Your work Family at Epic Oncology purchased the Country Basket Blooms for the family of Mary L. McChesney.* ”



Your work Family at Epic Oncology - April 12, 2024 at 01:44 PM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family of Mary L. McChesney.* ”



April 12, 2024 at 09:41 AM



“ *Sweet Tenderness was purchased for the family of Mary L. McChesney.* ”



April 12, 2024 at 07:55 AM

LG

“ *Sorry we can not make it but all of you are in our thoughts. Love to all!*

Linda & Harold Golden - April 11, 2024 at 10:40 AM

NT

*Thank you, Linda. I will pass this along to my father.
~Neile*

Neile Trainor - April 12, 2024 at 08:30 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary L. McChesney.*



April 11, 2024 at 10:36 AM

JC

“ *I did not know Mary but recognized the name immediately. Reading the obituary, I recognized other names as well from White's and Shelby. Sending my condolences to Mary's family and friends.
Jackie (Mrs. Don Corning)*

Jackie Corning - April 11, 2024 at 08:51 AM

NT

*Thank you, Jackie.
~Neile*

Neile Trainor - April 12, 2024 at 08:31 PM

BT

“ Breezy, Sergio, Rosie, Tati purchased the Enchanted Cottage for the family of Mary L. McChesney.



Breezy, Sergio, Rosie, Tati - April 11, 2024 at 07:17 AM



“ Small Garden Dish was purchased for the family of Mary L. McChesney.



April 10, 2024 at 07:19 PM

PT

“ I know most of Mary's family living here in Shelby over 60 years. I am sorry for their loss and am sure this is a very sad time for all of them. We have shared the same in our family and know the hurt. God Bless to all. .

Patricia Tilton - April 10, 2024 at 06:52 PM

NT

Thank you, Patricia. It is much appreciated. God bless.
~ Neile

Neile Trainor - April 12, 2024 at 08:32 PM

PS

“ I'd like to say I'm so sorry to Lynn's family! We spent many hours visiting at her house, walking back and forth to town, spending time at the Sweet Shop, and more! I was Godmother to two of her daughters but unfortunately, we lost touch after that! I'm now in Alabama and can't attend the service, but our memories will stay with me! Love 💖 to her kids and siblings! 💖

Pam Manno Strankosky - April 10, 2024 at 04:37 PM

NT

*Pam, thank you so much. I will pass this along to my father.
~ Neile*

Neile Trainor - April 12, 2024 at 08:33 PM

FA

“ Fadi Awayda purchased the Rainbow Of Remembrance Spray for the family of Mary L. McChesney.



Fadi Awayda - April 10, 2024 at 01:46 PM