



Marlene Ann Cook

May 24, 2015

Marlene Ann Cook (Keener), age 77, was a resident of Longville, MN (formerly from Coon Rapids, MN), passed away unexpectedly surrounded by her family on May 24, 2015 at Abbott Northwestern Hospital in Minneapolis, MN.

Marlene was a loving wife and mother. She is survived by her husband Ernest Cook, Sr.; 5 children - Ernest, Jr. (Tammy) Cook, Randall (Jocelyn) Cook, Brenda (Cliff) Smith, Deb (Dan) Stafford, and Gary (Jessica) Cook; 11 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her parents Paul & Nellie Keener; her brothers, Karl and Rodger; and her granddaughter Julie Smith Branville.

Marlene was born in Fort Wayne, Indiana on May 20, 1938. She married Ernest Cook, the love of her life, on October 2, 1956 and went on to raise five children. She worked part time at US Bank and KinderCare, but devoted most of her life to her family and home.

She was an avid traveler who enjoyed animals (both wild and domestic), puzzles, cross-stitch, keeping in touch with friends & family on social media and the occasional penny slots at the casino.

Marlene will be deeply missed by her family, friends and all who knew and loved her.

Funeral services will be held at Washburn-McReavy Coon Rapids Chapel, 1827 Coon Rapids Boulevard, Coon Rapids, Minnesota. Visitation will be Friday, May 29, 2015 from 6 PM to 8 PM and again at 10 AM on Saturday,

May 30, 2015 with services following at 11 AM.

Post funeral reception will be immediately following at the Anoka Masonic Lodge #30, 1900 3rd Ave, Anoka, MN 55303

Tribute Wall

BH

“ *Bill & Linda Hernandez purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Marlene Ann Cook.* ”



Bill & Linda Hernandez - May 29, 2015 at 04:53 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Marlene Ann Cook.* ”



May 29, 2015 at 01:53 PM

CF

“ *Char Peterson & Family purchased the Violets And Butterflies for the family of Marlene Ann Cook.* ”



Char Peterson & Family - May 29, 2015 at 11:51 AM



“ *Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marlene Ann Cook.* ”



May 29, 2015 at 09:54 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Marlene Ann Cook.*



May 29, 2015 at 09:38 AM



“ *Jill and Scott Larson purchased the Full Of Love Bouquet for the family of Marlene Ann Cook.*



Jill and Scott Larson - May 29, 2015 at 08:54 AM



“ *Grandma, you will always be in my heart and very missed..
No one is ready to let go and say goodbye,
all the memories in our hearts and minds.
tears cry for you are everlasting.
I was never ready to say goodbye,
now its time for you to fly.
As I miss you are last conversation as our last,
embracing hugs and all the I love you's
leaves a hole in my heart that will never be filled,
are memories together will never fade.
miss you always
one of your many granddaughters
cheri smith*

Cheri Smith - May 28, 2015 at 07:53 PM

FM

“ *Friends and co-workers at State of MN. purchased the Secret Garden Basket for the family of Marlene Ann Cook.*



Friends and co-workers at State of MN. - May 28, 2015 at 03:52 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Marlene Ann Cook.*



May 28, 2015 at 02:02 PM

KC

“ *Katheryn Crago lit a candle in memory of Marlene Ann Cook*



katheryn crago - May 28, 2015 at 03:41 AM

DS

“ *Many summers were spent at the Cook house. Lots of wonderful memories. She was a wonderful and beautiful Lady. Prayers go out to the family.*

Dawn Spencer - May 27, 2015 at 04:02 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marlene Ann Cook.*



May 27, 2015 at 12:30 PM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Marlene Ann Cook.*



May 27, 2015 at 11:41 AM



“ *So sorry for your loss!*

Jennifer Bell - May 27, 2015 at 08:53 AM



“ *My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Aunt Marlene was a wonderful woman and will be greatly missed. I remember how much fun we used to have as kids spending time during the summer with all of you. I love you all*

Deanna Marcum - May 27, 2015 at 08:51 AM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Marlene Ann Cook.*



May 27, 2015 at 08:43 AM



“ *This is a great great woman who had a huge heart and great personality! We were miles apart but she let her brother know she loved his children and god bless her. She kept in touch for 30yrs after her brother passed and didnt have to. You will be missed dearly Aunt Mar Mar! I love you! :(love your niece Tina Keener*

Tina keener - May 27, 2015 at 05:31 AM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Marlene Ann Cook.*



May 26, 2015 at 09:05 PM



“ *Cathie Crago lit a candle in memory of Marlene Ann Cook*



cathie crago - May 26, 2015 at 07:59 PM



My prayers and thoughts are with you all...

cathie crago - May 26, 2015 at 08:00 PM



TerrynCr
Erickson

This is my Grandma. I have a ton of memories with her. Summers with you and grandpa, christmas with footie pjs every year. You playing with my children. And being with you when you needed someone. I am glad that I was able to be around for you grandma, I will miss you always!

TerrynCrystal Erickson - May 27, 2015 at 08:21 AM