



Brenda Joan Pieron

September 10, 1954 - September 10, 2012

Brenda Joan (King) Pieron age 58, of Centralia passed away Thursday, September 6 at her home. Brenda was born in St. Clair County on September 2, 1954, she was the daughter of Rufus Lawrence King and Velma Ernestine King. She married Joseph Loren Pieron on November 25, 1972 in Marissa and he survives in Centralia. In addition to her husband she is survived by one son Joseph Brandon Pieron and wife Michelle of Carlyle; and one daughter Kristen Leigh Halsey and husband Nathan of Clarksville, TN; one grandson Brenden Pieron; two granddaughters Ashton and Kamryn Pieron; one brother Rufus Lee King and wife Kim of Marissa; one sister-in-law Janice Renee Luecking of Murphysboro; her father-in-law Joseph J. Pieron of Murphysboro; one uncle Russel Chandler of North Pekin; cousins Beverly Krueger and husband Louis of Salem, and Carl G. King and wife Lisa of Sparta, Garry Chandler of North Pekin, and Cherly Chandler of North Pekin; several other cousins also survive; three nephews Adam King and wife Kari of Marissa, Alex Luecking and wife Samantha of Ziegler and Joshua King of Marissa; two nieces Nicole Griswold and husband Troy of Murphysboro, and Andrea Ratermann of St. Louis, MO. She was preceded in death by her parents Rufus and Velma King; a sister E. Marie Wise; two uncles Clifford A. King and Ralph L. King; and her mother-in-law Edna Maxine Pieron. Brenda was employed with Kaskaskia College. Before her employment at Kaskaskia College she worked for Vassels Jewlery Company and at Jim Ford's Men's Wear. She was raised in Marissa and graduated from Marissa High School where she was

active in the band and drama. She was a past director of the Demaree United Methodist Church Choir. She had been a consultant for Amera and a model at The Smart Shop. She also enjoyed her time delivering and singing telegrams. She was a member of Little Egypt Corvette Club, a member of Preceptor Delta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi and a member of Demaree United Methodist Church. Brenda Enjoyed gardening and antiques, collecting pink depression and traveling to various Bed and Breakfast's. Brenda enjoyed spending time with family and most of all enjoyed spending time with her grandchildren. The family will receive friends Monday September 10, 2012 from 5:00 PM-8:00 PM at Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home. Funeral Services will be held Tuesday, September 11 at 10:30 AM at Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home in Centralia. Friends may call from 9:30 am-10:30 am on Tuesday morning before the service. Friends are asked to gather at the Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdell Funeral Home in Murphysboro at 3:00 PM for committal services. Visitation will be held at Crain Pleasant Grove-Murdell Funeral Home Chapel from 2:30 PM-3:00 PM. Donations can be made to Demaree United Methodist Church Choir Fund or the Little Egypt Corvertte Club Scholarship Fund. Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home Inc. is in charge of arrangements where friends may inquire for more information. Online condolences can be left at www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com. Those we love don't go away, They walk beside us every day, Unseen, unheard, but always near, Still Loved, still missed and very dear. - Unknown Author

Tribute Wall



“ *My condolences to the family. Brenda had a beautiful voice and a good heart.*

October 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *will be missed*

October 04, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *I am so sorry for Brenda's entire family, I really loved her so much! I was a student worker 6 years ago and her and Kathy just took me under their wing and treated me like a daughter.. Brenda cared about me and me so much for her.. She always talked about her children and grandchildren and you knew how caring and loving she was. I'm just so sorry to her family.. She will be missed so much.. Lots of love!*

Traci Quick - September 15, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ *Sweet Kris, our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. We want you to know we are sorry for your loss and wish you and your family peace and understanding. We never had the pleasure of meeting your mother but we know she had a generous spirit because you have the same. You have the strenght of a lion and the patience of a lamb, call upon that and take one day at a time. Love you and sending many hugs, Berniece and Raymond Jones*

Berniece Jones - September 15, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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“ For many years of my childhood and adolescence, I was a regular visitor at the Pieron household, spending time with my good friend Kristen. Joe and Brenda always treated me like one of their own, and I will always have fond memories of my time spent with them. Brenda's family (esp. Joe, Kristen and Brandon), is in my thoughts and prayers as they go through this difficult loss.

Amy Hodges - September 13, 2012 at 12:00 AM

BM

“ Very sorry for the loss of another of my classmates and your family member. "Mammie Yokum" was a hoot! She was a great person.

Bob Matzenbacher - September 10, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Joe and family, Rufus and family. We were so sorry to hear of Brenda passing. Heaven is a sweeter place today and her voice will forever be heard in that Heavenly Choir. She touched many of us in the Little Methodist Church in Marissa, Illinois with her lovely voice and sweet presence. You have our sympathy and prayers Stan and Bev Lewis

September 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

PH

“ Thoughts and prayers with the family at this this time of loss. Blessings, Myron and Pamela Sinn Hargan

Pamela Hargan - September 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

CF

“ Rufus, I am so very sorry to hear about Brenda's passing. She was a nice person in High School when I knew her. My prayers will be with her and all those loved ones she left behind. God bless you all. Peace...

Cathy Sinn Flowers - September 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ i am sorry for your loss, Brenda is in a better place. my thoughts and prayers are with you.

Jen, D, Britt, Charlie Shaw - September 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Jan & Jodi: Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your families. Suzie Davis - New Douglas

September 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Jodie, Jan and family, You have our deepest sympathy. Our memories never go away, and i know you have many. God Bless you all. Jim and Pam Hammel

September 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ My sincere sympathy to all the family who will miss Brenda nearly as much as we will. Sister Agnes, Kaskaskia College

September 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Rufus sorry to hear about the loss of your sister. Praying for your family.

September 09, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Joe and Family,I am truly sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you all. May God Bless you in this time. I will always remember her beautiful voice and her wonderful smile.

Mary Beth (Elliott) Hake - September 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Know that my thoughts and prayers are with you all at this time of great loss. Brenda's great strengths will always be present in the daughter and son that she and Joe raised.

September 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ I am so sad for the family. She was a wonderful person.

Diane Peebles - September 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Please accept my offer of sympathy for your loss. I've lost my spouse and know the road is a hard one, but it does get easier. Respectfully, Martha McCrary

September 08, 2012 at 12:00 AM

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Charlene,

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