



Louise J. Denton

April 26, 1936 - July 29, 2017

Louise J. Denton, age 81 of Clare, passed away on Friday, July 29, 2017 at her home with her family by her side. Louise was born the daughter of Louis and Genevieve (Davis) Fancon in Clare County on April 26, 1936. On December 27, 1952 she was united in marriage to James Denton, her faithful husband of 63 years until his passing in December of 2016. Having been born and raised on Clare County farms her whole life, it is no surprise that Louise went on to enjoy managing her own farm where she loved to spend her time canning, gardening, cooking, sewing, and most importantly, playing games with her family.

Louise is survived by her daughters Darlene Sammons of Prescott, MI., Dorene (Linden) Cotter of Farwell, Dawn (Dennis) Wood of Farwell, and DeAnn Denton of Clare. She is also survived by her sister Ila Schumacher, her brother Jim Irwin, her eight grandchildren, her sixteen great grandchildren, and her one great-great grandchild. Louise was preceded in death by her husband James Denton, her daughter Debra Denton, her parents Louis and Genevieve (Davis) Fancon, and her sister Jean Mitchell.

In keeping with Louise's wishes, cremation has taken place, and a private memorial service will be held at a later date. For those wishing to, condolences may be expressed on the Denton family online tribute page at www.stephenson-wyman.com

Tribute Wall

SS

“ I was cleaning out boxes this afternoon and found a hand-written note from Louise from February 2015. I just did a search and find she has passed. My mom was Mildred Whittington House (from Shreveport) and she passed in 2013. She adored Louise Denton as one of her best friends of all time. They kept in touch long distance through U.S. Mail and occasional calls and eventually by email. When my mom passed I continued to speak with Louise occasionally. I can't say if I ever met Louise but my mom's reverence for her and Jim lets me know they were pretty great. So much time has elapsed since her passing I hope her descendants get this message of sympathy and a high-five for being one of Louise's own. Regards, Susie Stonecipher, Grapevine TX

Susie House Stonecipher - November 24, 2023 at 01:46 PM

SH

“ I will always have fond memories of both Jim & Louise! My sincere sympathy for your great loss. Sue (Ward) Hardy

Sue Hardy - August 19, 2017 at 12:23 PM

TC

“ Teresa (Mester) Carlson sent a virtual gift in memory of Louise J. Denton



Teresa (Mester) Carlson - August 05, 2017 at 07:22 PM

JH

“ So sorry for the loss of your mother. Thoughts are with all of the family.



Judy Hales - August 01, 2017 at 09:36 PM

CG

“ Denton family,
Very sorry for the loss of your mother! She was a very special lady!
Thoughts and prayers to you ...
Cassie (Moore) Gershon

cassie gershon - August 01, 2017 at 07:44 PM

DF

“ Louise and I were more or less raised as brother and sister from the time of my birth since she was one year older than me. We learned to dance as each others partner,m we learned to roller skate. We had some fancy moves on the rink. As teenagers we shared many memories of the things that teenagers think about and talk about. i remember her treating me as her little brother as we walked to Carrow School. Sadly were we not able to keep in touch as we should have after she and Jim were married she had five babies to care for and I left the area to go to work and get married. In spite of this I will forever have fond memories to carry in my heart. My thoughts go out to the Girls may her memory bring you comfort.

Dick Fancon

Dick Fancon - July 31, 2017 at 08:26 PM

FG

“ So sorry for your loss. Louise has meant a lot to me and my family. My girls spent a lot of time at the house in their younger years and enjoyed every minute of it.. was planning to take her out to lunch when we both could get away but the right time never arrived, I'm very sorry that didn't happen. Your mother and Dad were great people and will be deeply missed!
You girls take care, they both loved their family..

Fran Grove

Fran Grove - July 31, 2017 at 08:12 PM

LL

“ LuAnn Louch lit a candle in memory of Louise J. Denton



LuAnn Louch - July 31, 2017 at 06:53 PM

KF

“ Her will and determination will long live on. Only happy memories for me on the farm with all of you. Fly High Louise, until we meet again! Love you ❤️ Kelly and Shawn Swartz

kelly fancon - July 31, 2017 at 05:30 PM

 Marge Smith

“ So very sorry for your loss! Louise was such a warm hearted wonderful woman! She had a beautiful smile. So very many happy, fun memories at the farm!! I always felt like one of the family when I was there!! R.I.P. Louise, your work is done.

Marge Smith - July 31, 2017 at 03:16 PM

ER

“ You will be greatly missed Louise! You were always so caring and so full of love. Love you always...Janet Ann, Kent, and family.

Erika - July 31, 2017 at 03:09 PM

DR

So sorry for your loss

deanna reid - August 01, 2017 at 01:08 PM

PG

“ We are so sorry for your lost, you mom was the sweetest lady, I can always remember her with some of her grandchildren near her, that is what she really enjoyed so much. She was so special. Our prayers are with your family, Ron and Pam Grider

Pam Grider - July 31, 2017 at 01:55 PM