



LeEtta Jane Redfern

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LeEtta Jane Nelson Redfern, 75, of Lovington, IL died October 1, 2012 in Decatur Memorial Hospital. She was born July 5, in Lovington, IL to Jesse and Etta (Johnson) Nelson.

She is survived by her husband of 57 years, Jack G Redfern, Lovington, IL, her son and daughter-in-law, Jack and Lissa Redfern, Canton, GA, granddaughter, Brooke Redfern, Canton, GA, Granddaughter, Jenny Redfern Lane, Sullivan , two Great Grandchildren, Brothers Dean, Quinton and Thomas Nelson and sister Wilma Frost. She was preceded in death by her parents, brother, Robert Nelson and sister Ruth Nelson Meggers.

She worked at Illinois Power for 40 years and retired in 1996.

A memorial service will be held at The Church of God Fellowship Hall 232 W. State St in Lovington, IL on Sat. Oct 6, 2012 11:00. Arrangements by Graceland/Fairlawn Funeral Home. Her family will have a private interment at Keller Cemetery in Lovington. Memorials are suggested to the Lovington Volunteer Fire Department or to the Church of God in Lovington.



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SM

Sheryl Murray posted:

To LeEtta's family, My deepest sympathy upon your great loss. I worked with LeEtta thru the '70s-80s at IP. When I started there shortly after high school, she passed on to me her immeasurable wisdom not only with work experience but childbearing and childrearing. I remember when a coworker was having a difficult time raising two children alone and had little extra for work clothing, Lee brought in some of her older (she said) clothing and wouldn't take a penny. What a friendly, warm, genuine, and caring person, and I know she will be missed greatly. My condolences, Sheryl Niles Murray

October 6 at 6:16 PM

BK

Bob Kruger posted:

Jack and Letta's Family. I am sorry for your lost. LeEtta was a classmate for 12 years in Lovington. I also lost my wife to cancer just over a year ago, so I know what you are experiencing. With your family support you will make it day by day. Bob Kruger, Lilburn, GA.

October 5 at 2:44 PM

DF

Debbie Furman posted:

Jack and Family – I am so very sorry for your loss of LeEtta. As a young engineer at Illinois Power, my first job away from "home", LeEtta was one person that made me feel like I had family in Decatur. She always took care of we young ones and she would make sure we looked presentable for "big" meetings and tell us if she thought we was off-base in our comments or that we should or shouldn't do something. What a great business mentor she was. She was so very kind to me and for that I am eternally grateful. I see her picture here and remember her eyes, her very kind eyes, and her laughter. LeEtta loved you all so very very much. It was evident in all of the stories we heard of the whole family over the years. Always remember that. Our Deepest Sympathy on her passing. – Debbie and Paul Furman

October 4 at 12:32 PM

DD

Delmar Deardorff posted:

LeEtta was the first person I knew at IP. She was then, and always has been a very good friend. I am very sorry for your loss, and regret we won't be able to attend the service as we will be out of town. Our thoughts and prayers will be with you and your family. Take care and God Bless. Delmar and Carol

October 3 at 8:58 AM



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PB

Paul E. Bender posted:

Jack, you have my prayers and reflections on LeEtta's life.

October 2 at 5:55 PM

DJ

Doug Jones posted:

Sorry to hear that LeEtta passed away. She will be missed. Growing up she made me feel like family. When she walked into the room, she would lite up the room. She was the rock that kept us all straight. She has been in my prayers for some time. the family will need our support. please keep them in your prayers. RIP doug

October 2 at 11:52 AM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring LeEtta by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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