



Theresa Welch Bell

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Theresa Welch Bell, 76, passed away on January 25, 2023, in Decatur, IL

Theresa was born to George W and Anna (Welch) Bell on August 29, 1946, in Decatur, IL. Over the years, Theresa worked at Federal Kemper Insurance and Horace Mann Insurance. Theresa was charming and always the life of the party. She had an infectious smile and laugh that had people laughing and smiling with her. She loved being with family and friends. She also enjoyed music and old movies.

Theresa is survived by her brothers, Jerome (Linda) Bell, Bill (Yvette) Bell; special friends, Ashley Cain, Lynn Cain, Kathy Mitchell, and many extended family and friends.

Theresa is preceded in death by her parents and siblings, Juanita (James) Bell Peterson, Charles (Wilma) Bell, Robert Bell.

Services will be held on February 3, 2023, at 2:00 PM Graceland Fairlawn Funeral home with a visitation an hour prior.

Memorials to American Kidney Foundation

Condolences and memories on Theresa may be shared at www.gracelandfairlawn.com



Events

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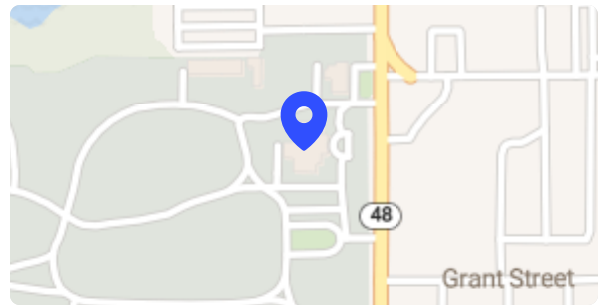
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Visitation

 **Friday**, February 3, 2023

 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM CT


 **Graceland Fairlawn Funeral Home**
2091 N. Oakland Avenue, Decatur IL 62526

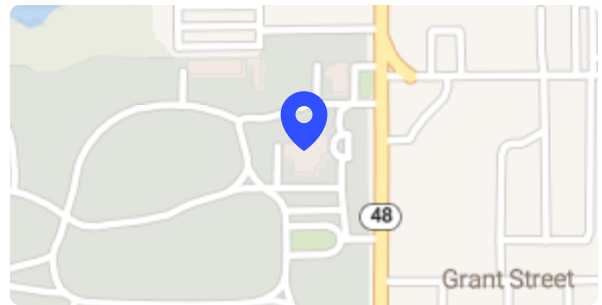


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SL

Sharon Lake posted:

We met at SDHS and became friends. We later crossed paths working at Kemper Insurance. What a ray of sunshine. I will remember you forever

February 6 at 6:18 AM

JU

Janet (Garner) Underwood posted:

I have known Theresa all my life. She was the Aunt to my best friend, Lenny Nixon. That family was like a second family to me. I have such wonderful fond memories of all of them. Theresa was one of a kind. She had the most amusing laugh that warmed any room. I love that family and cherish my childhood memories of my second family forever. Theresa you keep them laughing in heaven. RIP My dear friend. 🌷❤️

February 1 at 6:23 PM

FH

Florence Hubrich lit a candle in honor of Theresa.

My deepest sympathy to all of the bell family and Ashley -Lynn n Kathy. May God be with u all during this difficult time. May he give u some peace n comfort your hearts. Theresa was a wonderful lady with a heart of gold. She was a beautiful caring and thoughtful person. She was a very dear friend n I will cherish the memories I have of her. She was always there if u needed her. I enjoyed the times we had when we went out to eat. She always made me laugh n her friendship I will always treasure. I miss her dearly n it's never easy losing those we love n care about. Theresa loved her family n friends. She spoke of them often. I'm so thankful I got to know her. My heart aches that she's gone but she is at peace now n with the Lord. Again my deepest sympathy n so sorry for your loss. R.I. P Theresa. You will never be forgotten. Flo



January 28 at 10:25 AM

CM

Conniedee Matherly lit a candle in honor of Theresa.

Ive loved T my whole life. My Mommy & Nita was bf since grade school, so grew up knowing T. She was always laughing & smiling, so it made everyone around her do the same. I feel extremely blessed to have know T, & will forever keep her in my heart. When you get to heaven T, give my Mommy & Daddy, Nita, Lenny, Marla & Jimmy great big hugs. I love you T ❤️ RIP 🌻🌸🌸🌷



January 27 at 10:55 AM



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Jayne Mattingly posted:

My friend Janet Mitchell told me to look up Theresa when I moved to Victorian Woods, and the fun began. I've been friends with "T" for 8 years. I've enjoyed her sense of humor, her childhood memories, and especially her love for her family, especially Ashley. "T" will be missed. My thoughts and prayers are with you all.

January 25 at 2:13 PM



Liz (Stratton) Davis May 10 at 4:06 AM

Theresa and her mother cared for me when I was an infant. They were wonderful people! I have many, many happy memories of the time I was lucky enough to spend with them. They were very, very good to me, and I always felt their love! I'm very sorry I did not find out this sad news of Theresa's passing sooner, as I would have gone to her service to pay my respects. I take comfort knowing that she is reunited with her parents & siblings in heaven now. She was such a lovely person! Elizabeth (Stratton) Davis



Jeff Bell January 31 at 12:07 AM

Aunt Theresa was one of a kind. Always the life of the party. She will be missed.



Teresa Seitz January 29 at 3:05 AM

Peace and God's blessing to my friend of many years. Teetie is in the care of Mary yet again .



Memories only last if you share them

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



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