



Ms. Katherine "Kitty" Moore

January 3, 1940 - April 3, 2021

Ms. Katherine "Kitty" Moore, 81, of Peoria, IL received her wings at 2:36 pm on April 3, 2021 at her home surrounded by her family. Kitty joins in Heaven her parents, Moses and Thelma (Dollar) Richard; three sisters, Mary Stafford, Doris Richard and Juanita Boyd; and three brothers, Moses Jr., Kenneth Richard and James "Junior" Richard.

Kitty, as she was affectionately called, was born in Derby, Virginia on January 3, 1940, and raised in Detroit, Michigan. She moved to Peoria in 1959 getting a job at WABCO (Komatsu), where she enjoyed working until she retired on January 31, 2002. Kitty was raised in the church and lived her life accordingly. Kitty tried to bless everyone who crossed her path, she was a cheerful giver and a true example of God's Agape love.

Kitty leaves to cherish her most precious memories her children Larry (Shirley) Hale, Kimberly (Wayne) Cannon, Sharon Cox, and Kim (James) Dabbs all of Peoria, IL; one sister, Jackie Hill of Detroit, MI; eight grandchildren, Jerome and Barbara Hale, Wayne Willie (Tee Tee) Cannon, Gregory (Sess) Cannon, Bryan Cannon, Joshua Cannon, Bernard and Duane Cox; sixteen great grands; and a host of nieces, nephews, and other relatives whom adored Kitty. Kitty was proud to belong to the loving family clan of Richards and Suttles who gathered together every year for the past 64 years. Her friends, who remained close to her for many years were Ellora Lyons,

Ernestine Vinson and Gladys Ivory and her Godson Lonnie Hayes. Kitty was a faithful member of Grace Baptist Church, under the leadership of the late Pastor Jeffery Ivory Sr., where she loved to serve in the kitchen.

A private funeral service will be held at 11 am on Saturday, April 10, 2021 at Simons Mortuary with a visitation one-hour prior beginning at 10 am. Rev. Jeffrey Foreman and Rev. Valarie Stafford will officiate. Kitty will be laid to rest at Lutheran Cemetery. Simons Mortuary has been entrusted with arrangements. Online condolences may be made at [simonsmortuary.com](https://www.simonsmortuary.com).

The service will be live streamed on Simons Mortuary's Website or Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/Simons-Mortuary-232095303487150> promptly AT THE TIME OF THE SERVICE.

Due to Covid-19 restrictions, social distancing and attendance, funerals are limited to 50 family members of the decedents, not including the staff at Simons Mortuary.

The chapel can socially distance and seat no more than 50 or less people. All others will be able to flow through prior to beginning of the service.

To be consistent with recommendations from the National Funeral Directors Association (NFDA), funeral home directors have been instructed and should follow CDC guidelines on gatherings, including those directly related to funerals, visitations, or graveside services. Funerals are limited to no more than 50 of the decedent's immediate family members.

*In an effort to mitigate the spread of COVID-19, we ask that everyone in attendance: wear a face mask and refrain from hugging, kissing and shaking hands (as hard as it is to see someone you care about and not touch them).

*It is our responsibility as a Funeral Directors, to do everything we can to advise families in order to honor our beloved Families and to keep everyone as safe as possible.

Thanks in advance for your cooperation!

Cemetery Details

Lutheran Cemetery

914 S Pleasant St
Peoria, IL 61604-5954

Previous Events

Visitation

APR **10**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Simons Mortuary Chapel
912 W. John H. Gwynn, Jr. Ave.
Peoria, IL 61605
(309) 674-2638
info@simonsmortuary.com
<https://simonsmortuary.com>

Celebration of Life

APR **10**. 11:00 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Katherine "Kitty" Moore*



Simons Mortuary - April 14, 2021 at 03:39 PM



“ *Simons Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Ms. Katherine "Kitty" Moore*



Simons Mortuary - April 09, 2021 at 04:59 PM

NB

Beautiful ! Oh how sweet she was inside and out the smile Teary eyed right now why? I know for sure she's where she's suppose to be with her maker ! Her Lord and savior Jesus Christ ! Hes saying welcome home my daughter Katherine " Kitty " Moore

Niece ROSLYN BOND - April 09, 2021 at 06:51 PM



“ *Ms. Katherine "Kitty" Moore*

January 29, 2023 at 06:10 AM



“ Ms. Katherine "Kitty" Moore

January 29, 2023 at 03:12 AM



“ *"The earth has no sorrow that heaven cannot heal." Prayers and condolences to this family for their loss. Dr. Val Stafford, continued prayers for you... we understand the magnitude of this loss. Sending love across the miles.*

Loneta Edison

Loneta Edison - April 13, 2021 at 03:09 PM



“ *Barbara Vinson lit a candle in memory of Ms. Katherine "Kitty" Moore*

Barbara Vinson - April 12, 2021 at 03:22 PM



“ *Thinking of you as you walk through this difficult time and sending prayers of God's healing comfort as we too mourn the loss of our Beloved "Aunt Kitty". May you find Peace in that she has received her crown and is only resting...*

*Until we meet again,
Troy and Rita (Vinson) Burns Family*

Rita Burns - April 09, 2021 at 09:11 PM



MB

“ Larry so sorry to see about your mom's passing. you and your family are in my prayers. Mary Bair

mary bair - April 08, 2021 at 04:14 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ms. Katherine "Kitty" Moore.



April 07, 2021 at 05:47 PM

MF

“ We The Harris's sends our utmost respect to our Aunty Katherine "Kitty" Moore and my Cuzzins Her 2 Adult Children Larry and Kimberly and Step Adult Children and a hodt of relatives and friends We all loved her but God loved her more ! Aunt Kitty will truly be missed ! Prayers sent for comfort sympathy condolences and peace and strength that you'll all pull through ! Amen

Minister Roslyn D Harris- Bond and Famil - April 07, 2021 at 05:19 PM

MR

“ Mattie Risby sent a virtual gift in memory of Ms. Katherine "Kitty" Moore



Mattie Risby - April 07, 2021 at 01:52 PM

FD

“ *Fabian Daniels purchased the Simply Elegant Sp
athiphyllum for the family of Ms. Katherine "Kitty"
Moore.*



Fabian Daniels - April 07, 2021 at 10:42 AM



“ *Fiery Lily and Rose was purchased for the family
of Ms. Katherine "Kitty" Moore.*



April 07, 2021 at 09:43 AM

DA

“ *Larry, I was so sorry to read about your Mom's passing. She was
such a dear, sweet lady. You and your family are in my prayers as
you grieve. May God comfort you during this difficult time. Don
Andrews*

Don Andrews - April 07, 2021 at 09:00 AM

TS

“ To our Cousins,
Those we love remain with us,
for love itself lives on.
Cherished memories never fade,
because a loved one is gone.
Those we love can never be,
more than a thought apart.
For as long as there is a memory
They will live on in our heart.

We love you
Norman and Tammy Shuford



Tammy Shuford - April 07, 2021 at 08:00 AM

BR

Love This 😊

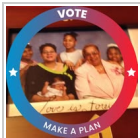
B'wana Richards - April 07, 2021 at 04:52 PM

MA

“ Maggie Torain Cuba, AI purchased the Guiding Light Bouquet for the family of Ms. Katherine "Kitty" Moore.



Maggie Torain Cuba, AI - April 06, 2021 at 11:51 AM



“ Evelyn Tate-Clayton lit a candle in memory of Ms. Katherine "Kitty" Moore



Evelyn Tate-Clayton - April 06, 2021 at 11:45 AM

VD

“ God saw you were getting tired And a cure was not to be, so He put His arms around you and whispered, "Come Live with Me." With tearful eyes we watched you suffer and saw you fading away. We loved you dearly, we could not make you stay. A Golden Heart stopped beating, your hardworking hands put to rest; God broke our hearts to prove to us He only takes the BEST. God will Love you keep you until we meet someday.

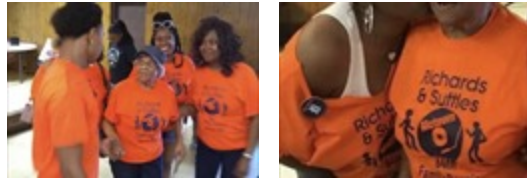
*Rest in Peace Aunt Kitty,
Love Always,
Vickie & Damon Dye*

Vickie Dye - April 06, 2021 at 09:56 AM

BR

“ ♡ SENDING MY SINCERE DEEPEST CONDOLENCES
TO MY DEAR 1st COUSINS
💙 LARRY ♡ KIM 🍷 & THIER. FAMILIES ♡ ♡
PRAYING FOR ALL OF YOU.. FOR your
UNDERSTANDING, 🙏 ♀ UR STRENGTH 💪 UR PEACE, ♡ UR
HEALING, & COMFORT 🌸 ... 4 FUTURE DAYS 🌟 AHEAD.... I
LOVE YOU ALL 100 100 100
🌹 TO OUR DEAR SWEET Auntie KITTY 🌹 .
MEMORIES OF YOU Too ME..
WILL ALWAYS BE GENTLE..&
SOFT SPOKEN, 🤔 In my Heart ❤️
OH.. BUT DON'T GET IT TWISTED 😞 ALSO You were OUT
SPOKEN !!! AUNTIE YOU WOULD let US HAVE IT.. 😭😭😭 & I
mean anybody could get it..
(if Needed Be! 😭)
If you were pushed..or Nicked picked With 100
I remember all phone
conversations with you & your brother Boone 😭
I mean Hilarious 😭 he would call & Meldo you.. 🙏 🗨️ ♀
& he would be like My sister done got mad at me & Done Cussed
Me out.. 🙏 🗨️ ♀. & she Done ✅ hung up on my Ass.. 😭😭😭
ALL IN THE NAME OF LOVE tho Auntie 😭 & you RESPECTFULLY
Meant IT.. 🙏 HOWEVER U STILL REMAINED... PRETTY 🙏 ♀ &
PRECIOUS IN MY EYES & YAWW would make up & start all over
again
the next day. 😭😭😭
These MY memories & I will always treasure THEM YOU all GAVE
US GREAT & GOOD UP BRINGING..
I WILL REMEMBER YOU JUST AS YOU WERE AUNTIE
A GOOD AUNTIE.. 🥰🥰🥰
That will remain in MY HEART 4ever.
THANK YOU FOR JUST SIMPLY BEING YOU.
You will BE ♡ MISSED SUGA ♡
REST EASY BEAUTIFUL.. ♡ REST EASY ♡.
UNTIL WE MEET AGAIN AUNTIE..
THANK YOU 4 LOVING US 🥰

Your Added to OUR ANGELS IN HEAVEN NOW.. PLEASE
CONTINUE TO WATCH OVER US ALL 😇
YOUR FAMILY LOVE YOU & you knew that 🥰



B'wana Richards - April 05, 2021 at 11:06 PM

VH

Rest peacefully Aunt Kitty in the bosom of Jesus Christ; you will truly be missed 😞...Love Vickie 🙏.

Vickie Harris - April 07, 2021 at 09:27 AM

MF

We the Harris's Cindy Phil Roslyn Vickie Jeffery Debbie and Tonyababy send our respect to our Cuzzins Larry and Kimberly "Kim" and other close relatives of Katherine "Kitty" Moore and Friends we love you and you will always truly be missed by all whom you came in contact with

Minister Roslyn D Harris- Bond and Famil - April 07, 2021 at 05:28 PM