



Lillian Joy Bland

March 11, 1955 - December 29, 2021

Lillian “Joy” (Guignet) Bland, 66, of Kennard, passed away on the evening of Wednesday, December 29, 2021, at Methodist Hospital in Indianapolis.

She was born on March 11, 1955, in Elwood, Indiana, one of five children of the late Eugene Guignet and Patricia Julia (Franklin) Doyle.

Joy was a 1973 graduate of Madison Grant High School. She had worked as a phlebotomist at Methodist Hospital and Hancock Regional Hospital. Joy married Roger Bland in 2001 and was a devoted mother and grandmother. She enjoyed making crafts with her grandchildren, nieces, and nephews. Joy loved to bake, especially at Christmas. She was a very giving person who would offer anything she had to help someone else. Joy will be greatly missed by her family and friends.

Those left to cherish Joy’s memory include her husband, Roger Bland; her three sons, Chad Broad, Caleb Broad, and Chase (Cassie) Broad; six grandchildren, Joseph, Cody, Ian, Eliana, Liara, and Clair; two sisters, Cindy Brown and Lisa (Brad) Nichols; a brother, Charles (Tammy) Doyle, and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, Joy was preceded in death by a brother, Earl Guignet.

Funeral services will be held at 1:00 pm Monday, January 3, 2022 at Sproles Family Funeral Home with Pastor Scott Robinson officiating. Burial will follow in Matthews Cemetery in Matthews, Indiana.

Friends may call from 11:00 am until the time of service, Monday at the funeral home.

You may offer the family a personal condolence at www.sprolesfamilycares.com.

The Sproles family and staff are honored to serve the family of Lillian Joy Bland.

Cemetery Details

Matthews Cemetery

201 Fourth Street
Fairmount, IN 46928

Previous Events

Service

JAN 3. 1:00 PM (ET)

Sproles Family Funeral Home
2400 S Memorial Dr
New Castle, IN 47362
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Visitation

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Tribute Wall



“ *Sproles Family Funeral Home created a Webcast in memory of Lillian Joy Bland*



Sproles Family Funeral Home - January 02, 2022 at 08:16 PM



“ *127 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Sproles Family Funeral Home - January 02, 2022 at 08:14 PM

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“ *Tom and Linda Kendall - Mandy and Cheryl purchased the Fairest of All for the family of Lillian Joy Bland.*



Tom and Linda Kendall - Mandy and Cheryl - January 01, 2022 at 10:25 AM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum* was purchased for the family of Lillian Joy Bland.



December 31, 2021 at 06:02 PM



“ *Goodbyes are only for those who love with their eyes. Because for those who love with heart and soul, there is no such thing as separation.*”
-Rumi



Chad Broad - December 31, 2021 at 03:25 PM



Love this and you ❤️

Cindy Brown - January 01, 2022 at 11:06 AM



“ *Arrive in Style* was purchased for the family of Lillian Joy Bland.



December 31, 2021 at 03:02 PM

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“ Your son, Chad purchased the Lily and Rose Tribute Spray for the family of Lillian Joy Bland.



Your son, Chad - December 31, 2021 at 02:28 PM

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“ Patty and Joe Short purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Lillian Joy Bland.



Patty and Joe Short - December 30, 2021 at 01:00 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Lillian Joy Bland.



December 30, 2021 at 12:19 PM

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“ Joy, was my lifelong friend, over 53 years. She was the bestest friend anyone could ever ask for. Through the years we have always kept in touch, Sometimes our phone conversations would last hours or until our phones died. I will miss her more than life itself. She was a beautiful woman, both inside and out. Heaven truly gained an Angel!!! I will always love and remember you my dear friend!

Dianna Ragon (Freital) - December 30, 2021 at 11:57 AM