



## Mildred "Louise" Bellm

November 23, 1935 - May 19, 2022

Mildred "Louise" (Craton) Bellm, age 86, of Aurora, MO passed away on Thursday, May 19, 2022, at her daughter's home in Verona, MO with family at her side. Louise was born in Wentworth, MO on Saturday, November 23, 1935; daughter of James and Mildred (Gorman) Craton Cramer. Louise married Lawrence Bellm on June 1, 1952. They were married for 25 years. Of this union, seven children were born. Louise was a retired secretary for UFCW Local 2 in Joplin, MO (now Kansas City, MO).

Surviving are the following: three sons, Richard "Rick" Bellm and wife Carol of Pierce City, MO, Dennis Bellm and wife Neina of Seneca, MO, and Gregory "Greg" Bellm and wife Joyce of Ash Grove, MO; four daughters, Kathleen "Kathy" Heidlage and husband John of Pierce City, MO, Patty Osterloh and husband Tim of Verona, MO, Mary Deatherage and husband George of Verona, MO; and Stephanie Heman and husband Bruce of Aurora, MO; one sister, Alice Callaway of Joplin, MO; sixteen grandchildren; twenty-four great grandchildren, and one great great grandchild. She will be missed by many other family members and friends.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by her step-father, Bill Cramer, a granddaughter, Eve Boswell, a great grandson, Cayde Lawson, and two sisters, Jenell Roderique and Betty "Wrobleski" Kutz.

Rosary Services will be at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Aurora, MO on Tuesday, May 24, 2022, beginning at 6:00 PM. Visitation will follow until 8:00 PM

Memorial Mass will be at Holy Trinity Catholic Church in Aurora, MO on Wednesday, May 25, 2022, beginning at 10:00 AM with Father Paul Pudhota officiating. Burial will follow at St. Patrick's Cemetery in Pierce City, MO. Arrangements are under the personal care and direction of Lakin Funeral Home in Pierce City, MO.

Memorials may be made to Integrity Hospice or Holy Trinity Catholic Church PCCW in care of the funeral home.

# Cemetery Details

## St Patrick's Catholic Cemetery

Pierce City, MO

# Previous Events

## Rosary Service

MAY 24. 6:00 PM (CT)

Holy Trinity Catholic Church  
Aurora, MO 65605

## Visitation

MAY 24. 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Holy Trinity Catholic Church  
Aurora, MO 65605

## Memorial Mass

MAY 25. 10:00 AM (CT)

Holy Trinity Catholic Church  
Aurora, MO 65605

# Tribute Wall

JB

“ *My Deepest Condolences to Louise's family of her loss.*

*I'm grateful I got to sit and visit with Louise the evening of Patty's Birthday Party. It was a pretty special time, as I had a picture of her, Teresa Heeter and my mom with their school class in elementary school. Louise was thrilled, and it made me happy to see her so happy to get that picture from long ago.*

*I am sure Louise is in Heaven celebrating with Jesus, family and friends. I can only imagine. 💜*

*My Deepest Sympathy To Louise's Family,*

*Juanita Peterson Bishop*

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**Juanita Bishop** - March 10, 2024 at 12:08 AM



“ *Mildred "Louise" Bellm*

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October 09, 2023 at 08:34 AM

BN

“ I just came across the obit of Louise and memories of the early 1950's came flooding to my mind. I was a young teenager when Buster and Louise moved into the little red brick house just to the east of us on Hwy 60, east of Granby. I think I must have been a daily visitor when baby Kathy came along as I loved to hold and cuddle her, and watch her momma give her daily baths. (This was where I learned how to bathe my own babies many years later, from watching Louise!) I was about 14 when I babysat with Kathy a few times. My mom was just next door if I needed any help. But I managed quite well. After we moved a few years later, we saw Louise and Kathy a couple times and then lost touch with them. I am saddened by you loss. Louise was a beautiful young woman. Wish I could have continued to know her. My condolences to all of the family. Betty (Givens) Nagel, Carthage, MO. (My mom was Josephine and stepfather was Floyd)

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**Betty Nagel** - June 07, 2022 at 12:37 PM

MN

“ We were so saddened to hear of the loss of your Mother. Mere words aren't enough, but we want you all to know how sorry we are for your loss. Our wish is for your peace now and always. She left you a beautiful legacy. We will miss our lovely friend and cousin!!!

*Love Mike and Jacki*

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**Mike & Jacki Nolan** - May 26, 2022 at 04:19 PM

FO

“ May God's grace be upon all the family during this time of loss.

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**From the family of Bryan Osterloh** - May 25, 2022 at 11:05 AM

MR

“ Prayers for GODs peace and grace for your family ... from the family of Charlene Purviance Russell.

mark m russell - May 24, 2022 at 12:55 PM

GW

“ My thoughts and prayers are with all the family.

Gerry Warren - May 20, 2022 at 02:25 PM

SS

“ One of the greatest gifts The Spoonhour Family was given is the gift of love from Louise Bellm (thru marriage into the Lisa Gorman Family) - Louise would create time to make us feel special and her laughter will be heard for eternity with the stories we will continue to share. Louise quite possibly may hold the record for most people ever hugged and kissed - May the cardinals continue to sing her songs each time we see one and the entire family continue to share her joy and passion for life - Stephen & Lisa Spoonhour

Stephen & Lisa Spoonhour - May 20, 2022 at 01:57 PM

CP

“ Our dear sweet, tart, funny Aunt Louise. I loved you so, always will. You raised a family as dear as you are, I know how proud you are of each of them. Your love was as strong as you were. I know mom was in heaven to greet you and you will both be watching out for us until we meet again. I love you. ❤️

Cheryl Pardoe - May 20, 2022 at 12:42 PM