



Donna B. Avery

November 13, 1932 - January 4, 2023

Donna Belle Avery, 90, of Clarion, passed away Wednesday morning, January 4, 2023 at her daughter's home in Texas City, Texas.

She was born on November 13, 1932 in Clarion; a daughter of the late John Byron and Eleanor H. Garner Kriebel.

Donna graduated from Clarion Area High School. She then graduated with a business degree from Dubois Business College.

Donna married Stanley H. "Pat" Avery on May 28, 1960, who preceded her in death on May 18, 1990.

She worked at Clarion University as the Administrative Secretary in the Athletic Department until she retired in 1990.

Donna enjoyed sewing, playing bingo, traveling with her sister, Twila, and an occasional trip to the casino as often as possible.

She is survived by her sons, Greg Grant and his wife, Jean, of Clarion and Shannon Avery and his finance, Linda Eperthner, of Winston-Salem, NC; her daughter, Erin Zacherl and her husband, David, of Texas City, TX; 4 grandchildren, Donna Siegel and her husband, Kuff, of Clarion, Danielle Avery Bunch of Clarion, Damien Avery of Shippenville, and Sondra Elzey and her husband, Daniel, of Sabina, OH; and 6 great grandchildren, Hayden Siegel, Kloe Creek, Taylor Shaw, Avery Bunch, Sawyer Bunch, and Harper Creek.

Donna is also survived by her sister, Twila Uzmack of Knox; along with a number of nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents and husband, Donna was preceded in death by a

grandson, Andrew Michael Grant; her brothers, Harold "Pete" Kriebel and Richard "Dick" Kriebel; and her sisters, Jacqueline Himes and Karen Sue Simpson Plyer.

Family and friends will be received from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m on Wednesday, January 11, 2023 at the Robert V. Burns Funeral Home in Clarion.

Additional viewing will be held from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. on Thursday, January 12, 2023 in the funeral home where services will follow at 11 a.m. with Rev. Harold O. Jacobson, pastor of the Grace Lutheran Church in Clarion, presiding.

Interment will follow in the Clarion Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Clarion Cemetery

Clarion, PA

Previous Events

Viewing

JAN 11. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Robert V. Burns Funeral Home
638 Wood Street
Clarion, PA 16214
(814) 226-6300
<https://www.rvburnsfuneralhome.com>

Viewing

JAN 12. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

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Service

JAN 12. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Robert V Burns Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Donna B. Avery*



Robert V Burns Funeral Home - January 10, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *Large Heart - 'Death leaves a heartache' was purchased for the family of Donna B. Avery.*



January 10, 2023 at 09:02 PM



“ *Beautiful Dreams was purchased for the family of Donna B. Avery.*



January 10, 2023 at 03:13 PM



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Robert V Burns Funeral Home - January 09, 2023 at 01:22 PM



“ *Country Basket Blooms* was purchased for the family of *Donna B. Avery*.



January 09, 2023 at 12:16 PM

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“ I'm so sorry for your loss. I worked with Donna for 20 years at the university & was at the gym every day on my lunch break, so I got to see her nearly every day. She was always friendly and seemed to always be busy. She was a great lady & I will miss her!

Pam Burford - January 08, 2023 at 11:51 AM



“ Vivid Recollections was purchased for the family of Donna B. Avery.



January 06, 2023 at 11:39 AM



“ Heavenly Heights Bouquet was purchased for the family of Donna B. Avery.



January 06, 2023 at 09:46 AM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Donna B. Avery.



January 05, 2023 at 10:32 PM