



June Kinser

December 31, 1935 - October 27, 2012

Lura "June" (Justis) Kinser, 76, of Bloomington, passed away at Monroe Hospital Saturday, October 27, 2012.

Born December 31, 1935 in Ellettsville, Indiana, she was the daughter of the late Wilson (Papaw) and Wilma (Mamaw) Justis.

June worked at Indiana University for almost 30 years. She loved all sports especially IU basketball and football, Tiger Woods, and NASCAR. She will always be fondly remembered for her red lipstick, her McDonald's diet cokes and her hilarious mis-phrasings. She loved Dancing with the Stars, Oscar night with her sisters and laughing with her friends at the Elks and Legion. She loved her family and time spent with them. She loved the Thursday lunches with her siblings at the Village Inn. June's infectious spirit was enjoyed by all of those she knew, including all who supported her in a 2+ year battle with cancer. She will be greatly missed.

She is survived by her husband of 53 years, John Francis Kinser; two daughters, Valerie Inez Scott and her husband Dane of Ellettsville, Indiana and Anna Marie De Stefano and her husband Guy William of Bloomington, Indiana; a son, John Anthony (Tony) Kinser and his wife Stacey Marie of Spencer Indiana; three sisters, Lois Curry of Mooresville, Indiana, Phyllis Deford of Ellettsville, Indiana, her identical twin Lola "Jane" Barnett and her

husband Stewart of Gosport, Indiana; and a brother Richard Justis and his wife Gwen of Ellettsville, Indiana; and four grandsons, Michael Anthony, Evan Thomas, Logan Anthony, and Carson Garrett.

A Catholic Funeral Mass will be held at St. Charles Catholic Church on Saturday, November 3, 2012 at 10:00 a.m. with Father Tom Kovatch performing the Mass. Burial is to follow at Valhalla Memory Gardens. Visitation will be at Chandler Funeral Home in Ellettsville on Friday from 2:00 until 8:00 p.m.

Cemetery Details

Valhalla Memory Gardens

310 North Johnson Avenue
Bloomington, IN 47403

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 2. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Chandler Funeral Homes - Ellettsville Chapel
203 E. Temperance Street
Ellettsville, IN 47429
(812) 876-6075
chandlerfh@bluemarble.net
<https://www.chandlerfh.com>

Service

NOV 3. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Charles Catholic Church
2222 East Third Street
Bloomington, IN 47401
<http://www.stcharlesbloomington.org>

Tribute Wall



“ Chandler Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of June Kinser



Chandler Funeral Homes - October 27, 2012 at 12:00 AM



“ Anna, I'm so sorry to hear about your mother. My deepest sympathies to you and your family.

November 10, 2012 at 12:23 AM



“ lit a candle in memory of June Kinser



November 10, 2012 at 12:21 AM



“ Kim Jacobson lit a candle in memory of June Kinser



Kim Jacobson - November 02, 2012 at 09:09 PM

BH

“ June was always kind and sweet to my sister, Rose Kinser Rumney and to me, Beth Kinser Hallgren. She was a Lovely Lady, inside and out. We are praying for John, Tony and our family.

Daughters of Sherrif Clifford Kinser and Opha Hays Kinser



Beth Kinser Hallgren - November 02, 2012 at 03:22 PM

SM

“ Sandy McElhinney lit a candle in memory of June Kinser



Sandy McElhinney - November 02, 2012 at 03:08 PM



“ Celestial Love was purchased for the family of June Kinser.



November 02, 2012 at 03:02 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of June Kinser.



November 02, 2012 at 01:33 PM

JT

“ June is truly one of the nicest, kindest, happiest people we ever met. She always seemed to have a smile on her face. Your day was brighter after having spent time with her. Heaven is a brighter place now that she is there. We will miss her most at the IU football games. We've sat behind June and John for 20 years. We know she will be watching and cheering her Hoosiers from above. Our thoughts and prayers go out to John and his family.

James & Amy Thomas - November 02, 2012 at 08:51 AM

MF

“ Our whole family, the Scott's, were so sad to hear of the passing of June. She has been in our prayers for months, her suffering is now over and she is at home with the LORD. The human side now cries and grieves, and God holds all of us during this time.

Maxine Scott and family - November 02, 2012 at 06:42 AM

SP

“ Sherry Prow lit a candle in memory of June Kinser



Sherry Prow - November 02, 2012 at 05:53 AM



“ LuAnn Rodriguez lit a candle in memory of June Kinser



LuAnn Rodriguez - November 01, 2012 at 07:28 PM

MA

“ *Mick, Lynn, Luke, And Alex lit a candle in memory of June Kinser*



Mick, Lynn, Luke, and Alex - November 01, 2012 at 07:17 PM

LN

“ *Lynn Narey lit a candle in memory of June Kinser*



Lynn Narey - November 01, 2012 at 07:08 PM

MM

“ *Mr. & Mrs. Jeff Maners lit a candle in memory of June Kinser*



Mr. & Mrs. Jeff Maners - October 31, 2012 at 10:27 AM

ER

“ *When I was the newbie in our team before June retired from IU June always had kind words and a smile for everyone. I will always remember how she lit up a room with her happy outlook and positive attitude. With my deepest sympathy for your loss. Emily Redenbarger*



Emily Redenbarger - October 31, 2012 at 10:27 AM

TK

“ Timothy James Kinser lit a candle in memory of June Kinser



Timothy James Kinser - October 31, 2012 at 02:06 AM

LD

“ Our deepest sympathies. June was a dear person. I feel like that heaven now holds a beautiful soul.

Linda M Davis - October 30, 2012 at 08:42 PM

AM

“ June was such a blessing to me at the hospital. It didn't matter how sick she was, she always had a smile and a kind word. She will sure be missed. Much love to John and all of the family! You are in my prayers. Sincerely, Amy Beth Moran

Amy Moran - October 30, 2012 at 05:52 PM

AM

“ Amy Beth Moran lit a candle in memory of June Kinser



Amy Beth Moran - October 30, 2012 at 05:17 PM

PM

“ We are thinking of you Val in this very difficult time for you and your family. We are very sorry for your loss.

Patrick McAleer - October 30, 2012 at 12:41 PM

CB

“ *Caryl Brown lit a candle in memory of June Kinser*



Caryl Brown - October 30, 2012 at 12:12 PM

SM

“ *Dear Val, So sorry to hear about your mother. I'm out of town right now but my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. Sharon Masters Class of 70*

Sharon K Masters - October 30, 2012 at 11:59 AM

MD

“ *Heaven will be a more joyful place with Angel June.*

Marlene and Guy



Marlene DeStefano - October 30, 2012 at 09:54 AM

JM

“ *John, Anna, Tony: I am so sorry for your loss. You are all in my thoughts and prayers.*

Julie Morron - October 30, 2012 at 09:48 AM

JM

“ *Julie Morron lit a candle in memory of June Kinser*



Julie Morron - October 30, 2012 at 09:45 AM

PE

“ *Patti Eads lit a candle in memory of June Kinser*



Patti Eads - October 30, 2012 at 09:01 AM

JP

“ *Johnny And Mary Popp lit a candle in memory of June Kinser*



Johnny and Mary Popp - October 30, 2012 at 07:39 AM

RS

“ *Robert & Francesca Sturgis lit a candle in memory of June Kinser*



Robert & Francesca Sturgis - October 30, 2012 at 07:34 AM

JK

“ June was one special person who was loved by many. We are all going to miss her laugh and enthusiasm. IU Basketball just won't be the same. May God surround and comfort all of you, You're in our thoughts and prayers.

With Love,
Jan and George

Jan Kreager - October 30, 2012 at 07:32 AM

MM

“ Michael Keith Moore lit a candle in memory of June Kinser



michael keith moore - October 30, 2012 at 07:31 AM

TH

“ Teresa Hunter lit a candle in memory of June Kinser



Teresa Hunter - October 30, 2012 at 07:26 AM

JK

“ Jan Kreager lit a candle in memory of June Kinser



Jan Kreager - October 30, 2012 at 07:25 AM

VS

“ Dear Anna & Guy -- was so sorry to read of your sweet mother's passing. I have many fond memories of her and all include her smiles and laughter -- she was never without both. Your family is in my prayers. Vanessa Osborne Scott

Vanessa Osborne Scott - October 30, 2012 at 05:12 AM

KR

“ Val, Dane, Michael and family - We are so very sorry for your loss. I always enjoyed being around June -- she was always so pleasant and fun! Please know that our thoughts, prayers, and love are with you. Kim & Steve

Kim & Steve Rumple - October 29, 2012 at 05:01 PM

LB

Val, I'm so sorry for your loss. Keep the good memories close to your heart. Linda Bender

Linda Bender - October 29, 2012 at 10:20 PM



I am sorry for the loss of this beautiful lady. I can remember as a child my parents spending time with the Kinser family. June and Jane both were always smiles and enjoyed being around family and friends always with a smile on their face. I know she will be missed. My thoughts and prayes are with the family.

Karen Lone Denniston

Karen Denniston - October 30, 2012 at 04:52 AM