



IdaJean Purda

August 15, 2025

IdaJean Purda, 78 years young, passed on Friday August 15th, 2025. She resided in Monroeville, Pennsylvania. She was a long term and active member of the church of Latter Day Saints, Pittsburgh's third ward. A devoted woman to her gospel and faith, a homemaker and mother. She had her associates degree from point park and worked in multiple different places through the years. She was a very bright and knowledgeable woman who loved everything about the color orange. She was a big Audie Murphy fan and spent most of her time with her grandchildren. She was a collector of many shoes and the cutest Knick-knacks.

She has Joined her late husband John Purda Jr. She is survived by her children Stephen (BettyeJo), Jennifer (Jerry), Joseph (Mysti). Her sisters Terri Tovlin and Elizabeth Allen, her grandchildren Alyssa, Jarom, Jonathon, Nikala, Lauryn, Taren, Reese, Tavner and great-grandchildren Andrew, Hayden, Kambree, Amethyst.

A viewing will be held on Wednesday, August 20th, 2025, from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the GENE H. CORL FUNERAL CHAPEL INC. AND CREMATION SERVICES OF MONROEVILLE, 4335 Northern Pike (412-372-2100); where a service will be held at 12 p.m. following the viewing. Interment will be private. All Floral arrangements are with Laura's Floral Boutique in Monroeville.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **20**. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ *She had such a beautiful, uplifting spirit. She taught all of us so much. I know there are several reunions going on on the other side of the veil. She loved her children and grandchildren so much. I know she had a strong testimony of Jesus Christ and Heavenly Father.* ❤️❤️❤️🌹🌹🌹🌹

Terri Tovlin - August 24, 2025 at 09:01 PM

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“ *My sincerest sympathy to your family. I will miss her wise thoughts, but I'm sure they received her with joy and open arms across the veil.*

Cindy Lennox - August 17, 2025 at 05:16 PM



“ *Idajean became a dear friend of mine in 1979. She had so much knowledge about the gospel of Jesus Christ. She loved to share it with others. She was an example of Christ like love, especially to her family. She will truly be missed.*

Tina Hull - August 17, 2025 at 04:25 PM