



Dorothy M. Steiner

April 22, 1930 - April 23, 2025

Dorothy M. Steiner, 95, of Highland, died on April 23, 2025, in Highland. She was born on April 22, 1930, to William J. and Luella D. (Bohm) Bode in Edwardsville, Illinois and grew up on the family farm. Dorothy attended Goshen Country Grade School and graduated second in her class from Edwardsville High School in 1948. After graduation she worked as a secretary-bookkeeper. On June 10, 1951, Dorothy married Milton L. Steiner at Eden Church in Edwardsville. With her husband's military career they lived in Monmouth, New Jersey; Edwardsville, Illinois; Florissant, Missouri; Champaign, Illinois; Carbondale, Illinois and then settling in Highland in 1965.

For 18 years Dorothy worked in the Highland Community Schools Media Center. She delivered Meals-On-Wheels; was a girl scout leader and cub scout den mother and enjoyed her card club. After retiring in 1989, Dorothy and Milton enjoyed traveling to every state in the union as well as to Canada, Switzerland, Austria, and Germany. She was a member of Highland Evangelical United Church of Christ and the Women's Guild.

Family was very important to her. Dorothy was a caring mother, grandmother, and great grandmother. Preceding her in death was her husband, Milton L. Steiner on July 5, 2008; mother, Luella D. Bode on May 12, 1979; father, William J. Bode on August 24, 1989; brother, William Ray Bode on May 15, 2001; brother, Richard L. Bode on October 25, 2006; and daughter, Kay L.

(Steiner) Kerin on January 6, 1987. Survivors are: Children - Mark A. Steiner, Tulsa, OK; Paul M. (Sig. Other - Ruth Ann Wise) Steiner, O.D., Greenville, IL; and Amy J.S. (Bryan) Daiber, O.D., Russellville, AR. Grandchildren - Stephanie M. (Jason) Hamisak, Columbia, MO; Meredith L. Morgan, Tulsa, OK; Andrea M. (Eks Wye) Pollock, Ft. Collins, OK; Kyle T. Steiner, Honolulu, HI; Laura K. Steiner, Baltimore, MD; Benjamin J. Steiner, Greenville, IL; Trent M. Daiber, O.D., Bentonville, AR; Allen S. (Jessica) Daiber, Memphis, TN; Elise C. Daiber, Memphis, TN; and Luke W. Daiber, Russellville, AR. Dorothy also is survived by 8 Great Grandchildren.

Arrangements are being handled by Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Visitation will be held from 9:00 AM to 11:00 AM on Saturday, May 3, 2025, at Evangelical United Church of Christ in Highland, IL.

Funeral Service will be at 11:00 AM on Saturday, May 3, 2025, at Evangelical United Church of Christ in Highland, IL, with Rev. William E. Kapp, Pastor, Evangelical United Church of Christ, officiating.

Interment will be at Highland City Cemetery in Highland, IL.

Memorial contributions may be made to Evangelical United Church of Christ, Highland, IL or The American Cancer Society.

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 3. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Evangelical United Church of Christ
2520 Poplar Street
Highland, IL 62249
(618) 654-7459

Funeral Service

MAY 3. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

LM

“ Sorry for your loss your Mom Dorothy was a kind neighbor My Mom and I live in Kaeser Faith village we enjoyed she her and talking to her she will be missed Linda and Leona Marti

Linda Marti - May 02, 2025 at 03:12 PM



“ Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Dorothy M. Steiner.



May 02, 2025 at 02:26 PM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dorothy M. Steiner.

May 02, 2025 at 02:26 PM

TS

“ The Daiber Vision Care Staff purchased the Crystal Cross Bouquet for the family of Dorothy M. Steiner.



The Daiber Vision Care Staff - May 01, 2025 at 05:12 PM



“ *Emerald Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Dorothy M. Steiner.*



May 01, 2025 at 08:31 AM



“ A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Dorothy M. Steiner.

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“ *Love, The Riggs Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Dorothy M. Steiner.*



Love, The Riggs Family - April 29, 2025 at 01:57 PM



“ *Paul and Family,
We are so sorry to hear about the passing of your mother. Sending prayers of comfort for all of you.
Tom & Paulette Hamlin*

Paulette Hamlin - April 29, 2025 at 12:20 PM

TS

“ *Such a wonderful and iconic woman. Always kind and a warm smile. Heartfelt condolences to Mark, Paul and her entire family. With love,
Mike and Teri Sachs*

Teri Sachs - April 25, 2025 at 07:25 PM

JB

“ *June Barney lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Steiner*



June Barney - April 25, 2025 at 06:46 PM

DE

“ *Sorry for your loss Paul and Ruth Ann*



deb - April 25, 2025 at 04:40 PM

RR

“ *Rita Rinderer lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Steiner*



Rita Rinderer - April 25, 2025 at 11:14 AM

PL

“ Dorothy and Milton were two of my favorite people. Always caring and would help anyone when needed. I got to know them both as I carpoled with Milt and became friends with them thru EVUCC. RIP Dorothy and tell Milt hi.

Pam Ulrich Lecerf - April 25, 2025 at 10:25 AM