



Genevieve H. "Jenny" Koelz

May 22, 1920 - April 2, 2014

Genevieve Helen Koelz, age 93 of Highland, IL, died Wednesday, April 02, 2014, at Faith Care Center in Highland, IL.

She was born May 22, 1920, in Grantfork, IL, the daughter of John and Edna (nee Raeber) Frey.

On April 27, 1940, she married Calvin Edgar "Cally" Koelz who passed away October 25, 2006.

She was a member of St. Gertrude Catholic Church. She was also a member of St. Gertrude Altar Sodality; Leef Township Senior Citizens.

Mrs. Koelz was born in Grantfork, Illinois and attended Purcell County School. She was a 1938 graduate of St. Paul High School and briefly worked at Moulton Bartley Shoe Factory. After her marriage, she stayed at home and helped her husband on the family farm. After his death, she moved to Highland. She enjoyed playing pinochle, gardening, embroidery, and birdwatching. She was also a wonderful cook and baker.

Survivors include:

Daughter - Lynn M. (Thomas "Tom") Koch, Highland, IL

Grandchild - Lori L. (Bill) Martin-Twin, O Fallon, MO

Grandchild - Kyle L. (Melissa) Koch-Twin, Austin, AR
Great Grandchild - Alyssa Lynn Martin, O Fallon, MO
Great Grandchild - Alexis Ann Martin, O Fallon, MO
Great Grandchild - Emory B. Koch, Austin, AR
Great Grandchild - Callie M. Koch, Austin, AR

She was preceded in death :

Father - John Pius Frey (died 8/15/1988)

Mother - Edna R. Frey, nee Raeber

Husband - Calvin Edgar "Cally" Koelz (died 10/25/2006)

Son - John Koelz (died at birth 8/3/1947)

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

Visitation will be held from 4:00 PM to 8:00 PM on Friday, April 04, 2014, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL, and from 8:00 AM to 9:30 AM, on Saturday, April 05, 2014, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Funeral service will be at 10:00 AM on Saturday, April 05, 2014, at St. Gertrude Catholic Church in Grantfork, IL, with Father Pat G. Jakel officiating.

Interment will be at Saint Joseph Catholic Cemetery in Highland, IL.

Memorial contributions may be made to Grantfork Fire Department, St. Gertrude Catholic Church, Faith Countryside Homes, Masses.

Tribute Wall



“ *Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home & Dauderman Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Genevieve H. "Jenny" Koelz*



Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home - April 02, 2014 at 12:00 AM