



Lorraine G. Jakel

February 7, 1925 - May 28, 2014

Lorraine G. Jakel, age 89 of Highland, IL, died Wednesday, May 28, 2014, at Faith Care Center, Highland, IL.

She was born on Saturday, February 07, 1925, in Pierron, IL, the daughter of Anton G. and Wilhelmina A. (nee Goestenkors) Korte.

On Tuesday, March 05, 1946, she married Harvey R. Jakel who passed away on Wednesday, July 01, 2009.

She was a member of Saint Paul Catholic Church, Highland, IL, Perpetual Adoration at St. Joseph; St. Joseph Ladies Auxiliary; former member of St. Gertrude Catholic Church; St. Gertrude Altar Society.

Lorraine was born near Pierron, IL, and graduated Immaculate Conception Grade School. Later she and her husband operated a Dairy Farm east of Grantfork, IL, until 1985. She moved to Highland in 2004. She had been a resident of Faith Countryside Homes, Highland Home, Legacy Place and in the Winter of 2012 moved to Faith Care Center. As a young lady, she had worked at Moulton Bartley Shoe Factory and Wick's Aircraft. And, of course, worked on the family farm and raised her children. She enjoyed playing Euchre, sewing, baking, crocheting, and word search puzzles. She really enjoyed going out to eat and attending events for her children and

grandchildren.

Survivors include:

Son - Carl C. (Margaret) Jakel, Breese, IL

Son - Dale A. (Cindy) Jakel, Bowling Green, KY

Daughter - Jane G. (David) Deiters, Highland, IL

Daughter - Karen A. Jakel, Alton, IL

Daughter - Ellen G. (Randall) Gall, Troy, IL

Son - Father Pat G. Jakel, Troy, IL

Son - Brad G. (Julie) Jakel, Highland, IL

Son - Larry G. (Debra) Jakel, Montgomery, AL

Daughter - Joan G. (Marvin) Holtgrave, Highland, IL

Son - Don J. (Kari Rutz) Jakel, Highland, IL

Grandchild - Elana J. Jakel

Grandchild - Vickie L. (Matt) Wellen

Grandchild - Dawn M. (Joe) Thien

Grandchild - Dara N. (John) Cherry

Grandchild - Morgan (Nevin) Dawson

Grandchild - Gina M. (Jeff) Parker

Grandchild - Andrew D. (Adrianna) Deiters

Grandchild - Tonya L. (Eric) Rodgers

Grandchild - Jaime K. (Ryan) Quayle

Grandchild - Jason R. (special friend Diana Wiegner) Gall

Grandchild - Tricia N. (special friend Andrew Feyerabend) Gall

Grandchild - Karis J. (special friend Evan Noble) Gall

Grandchild - Adrianna L. Jakel

Grandchild - Cody M. Jakel

Grandchild - Lisa M. Norris

Grandchild - Daniel J. Jakel

Grandchild - Cassandra A. (Aaron) Gilkey

Grandchild - Shannon L. Holtgrave

Grandchild - Shaun D. (special friend Laci Smith) Holtgrave
Grandchild - Lily A. Jakel
Grandchild - Ryan (Angie) Hamilton
Grandchild - Kristopher Hamilton
Great Grandchildren - Twenty-Six
Brother - Larry J. (Ethel) Korte, Highland, IL
Brother - Daniel J. (Elizabeth "Bunny") Korte, Highland, IL
Brother - George W. (Joann) Korte, Highland, IL
Brother - Ralph F. (Donna) Korte, Highland, IL
Brother - Robert F. (Edith) Korte, Highland, IL
Brother - David S. (Ruth) Korte, Highland, IL
Sister - Millie Foederer Pender, Highland, IL
Sister - Barbara (Dennis) Zobrist, Highland, IL
Sister - Ann (Edwin) Plocher, Highland, IL
Sister In-law - Eileen R. Korte, Highland, IL

She was preceded in death by:

Father - Anton G. Korte
Mother - Wilhelmina A. Korte, nee Goesten Kors
Husband - Harvey R. Jakel died 07/01/2009
Daughter - Sharon A. Jakel died at age 13 days, 1955
Daughter In-law - Marion Allen Jakel died 11/02/2008
Brother - Vincent A. Korte died 02/27/1995
Brother - Raymond F. Korte died 09/10/2010
Sister - Margie Rohling died 12/28/2010
Sister - Marie F. Huelsmann died 05/07/2013
Brother In-law - Paul Rohling died 10/22/1995
Brother In-law - Edwin B. Huelsmann died 09/15/2000
Brother In-law - John K. Foederer died 06/07/1993
Brother In-law - Lester F. Pender died 05/05/2004

Sister In-law - Linnette R. Korte died 10/18/2013

Sister In-law - Anita L. Jakel died 04/04/2014

Brother In-law - Floyd C. Jakel died 05/22/1999

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 Sunday, June 01, 2014, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL, and from 8:00 AM to 9:30 AM, on Monday, June 02, 2014, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Funeral Mass will be at 10:00 AM on Monday, June 02, 2014, at Saint Paul Catholic Church in Highland, IL, with Father Pat G. Jakel, Pastor, St. Gertrude Catholic Church, Grantfork, IL, officiating.

Interment will be at Saint Gertrude Catholic Cemetery in Grantfork, IL.

Memorial contributions may be made to Masses; St. Gertrude Catholic Church; Saint Paul School Educational Foundation.

Tribute Wall

TH

“ One thing I failed to include in my time living with Harvey and Lorraine. During the Madison County Fair, Harvey and I worked on the detail of cleaning the fairgrounds every morning. It was a tough job using a leaf rake to clean up all the litter. After I returned home, Harvey and Lorraine visited us at our home in St. Louis and gave me a check for I think somewhere around \$40. I used that to buy my first electric train that Christmas. And....I still have it.

Tom Heintz - June 01, 2014 at 10:44 PM

SK

“ We would like to express our deepest sympathy to the entire Jakel family. I know they did not live too far from Emil and Freda in the country, and I'm sure they played Euchre often.

Phil and Sharon Klostermann

Sharon Klostermann - June 01, 2014 at 08:05 PM

RH

“ To all my Jakel cousins, we are in Florida and regret we cannot be with you to celebrate your Mother's ascent into Heaven to be with Uncle Harvey and her brothers and sisters who went before her. No matter what, there was always a summer sausage to be sliced and Euchre game to be played...among Aunt Lorraine's many life lessons, don't trump your partners Ace, Ronnie!
Ron (Nancy) Huelsmann

Ron Huelsmann - May 31, 2014 at 10:49 PM

MC

“ Mary C. purchased a sympathy card for the family of Lorraine G. Jakel.



Mary C. - May 31, 2014 at 02:32 PM

ML

“ I met Mrs. Jakel many years ago when she lived on the farm. I was always impressed by her gentle spirit. She reminded me of a willow tree as she flowed with the winds of life with such grace. She was a faithful witness of a Christian woman who had deep roots in her faith. My favorite memory will always be the hay ride's we had on the farm. The wonderful hospitality that was given by both Mr. and Mrs. Jakel as no one was ever a stranger to them. They passed on a treasure of love and faith that is now deeply rooted in their children and generations after that. It has been such a blessing to have had our lives cross. I can hear God say now, "Well done, good and faithful servant."

Mary Lawson - May 30, 2014 at 10:25 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Lorraine G. Jakel.



May 30, 2014 at 05:51 PM



“ Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Lorraine G. Jakel.



May 30, 2014 at 01:05 PM



“ I remember riding along with Dad on the milk truck & loved stopping at the Jakel farm to pick up milk; there was always someone running around to hang out with. What a fun loving family, never a dull moment. We love you all. Lori & Earl Stocker

Lori Stocker - May 30, 2014 at 07:05 AM



“ I will always remember the summer in 1947 that I spent on the farm with Lorraine and Harvey. I learned what it was to work hard but enjoy life. I also learned I was not supposed to let the bull in the barn at milking time and not to fill the hogs mud hole with water because they may work their way under the fence. I also found out that Harvey wasn't kidding when he told me my first job would be hoeing the corn out of the beans. I love them both and looked forward to seeing them again in Heaven with Jesus. Farewell.

Tom Heintz - May 29, 2014 at 10:30 PM



“ I remember Mom playing softball with us. She would be the pitcher. She worked hard but still found time to play with us, sing with us and read too. She was so proud of her children even after her Alzheimer's started she introduced us to everyone.

Jane Deiters - May 29, 2014 at 05:59 PM

CR

“ Rest in peace Aunt Lorraine. I have too many memories to share them all. My father, George (your brother), was in the Air Force and we didn't live close to "home" until he retired. However, every time we visited Illinois for vacations, I always got to spend a couple of days with you and Uncle Harvey on the farm. There are so many "great" memories of milking the cows, playing Bunk Ball, and making mud and corn pies. You were always soft spoken, but when you talked we all listened because there was always a lesson to be learned.

I loved playing Eucher with you, you were very serious about the game and we would always win.

You are now in Heaven, with your #1 Eucher partner and I know that you are winning every hand. I know Uncle Harvey is happy to have you again by his side.

God Bless You and all the Jakel Family.

Cheryl

Cheryl Ross - May 29, 2014 at 05:10 PM

PH

“ She was by far a favorite among my aunts. She was so gentle and kind. She and my Mom were very close. I'm sure her kids, my Mom and all who loved her will sorely miss her.

Pat Hoffman - May 29, 2014 at 04:56 PM