



## Norma Fay Miller

April 12, 1927 - May 12, 2017

Norma Fay Miller, age 90 of Highland, IL, died Friday, May 12, 2017, at Saint Joseph's Hospital in Highland, IL.

She was born on Tuesday, April 12, 1927, in Marine, IL, the daughter of Anton A. and Edna E. (nee Steinkoenig) Mueller.

On Saturday, April 12, 1947, she married Paul J. Miller at the E & R Church, Marine, IL, who passed away on Tuesday, October 28, 2008.

She was a member of Saint Jacob United Church of Christ, St. Jacob, IL; Royal Neighbors of America #1957 Highland; Highland Senior Citizens; Madison County Farm Bureau.

She was born on the family farm between Marine and St. Jacob, IL. She grew up there and graduated from Highland High School in 1944. She taught at country schools and later was a substitute teacher for Triad School district. She attended SIU-E in E. St. Louis, IL and the main campus in Edwardsville. She taught 20 years at St. Paul School, Highland, from 1967 to 1987. In retirement she and her husband took numerous vacations. She liked collecting Lefton China, glass & ceramic hands. She enjoyed playing cards "Pinochle" with friends. She and her husband enjoyed dancing at Lindendale Park Ballroom. Her grandchildren and great grandchildren's activities were always a priority.

Survivors include:

Daughter - Bonna L. (Ronald) Herzberg, Highland, IL

Son - Curtis A. Miller, Saint Louis, MO

Daughter-in-law - Cynthia S. Miller (nee Korte), Highland, IL

Former Daughter-in-law - Karen A. Eilermann, Saint Louis, MO

Grandchild - Derek R. (Ellen) Herzberg, Highland, IL

Grandchild - Tiffany Nicole (Eric) Abert, Alhambra, IL

Grandchild - Drew P. (Michelle) Herzberg, Highland, IL

Grandchild - Lauren E. Miller, Saint Louis, MO

Grandchild - Kathryn S. Miller, Saint Louis, MO  
Great Grandchild - Olin P. Abert, Alhambra IL,  
Great Grandchild - Charlie P. Herzberg, Highland, IL  
Great Grandchild - Kayla M. Herzberg, Highland, IL  
Great Grandchild - Maddox R. Abert, Alhambra, IL  
Sister In-law - Wilma Mueller, Pocahontas, IL  
Brother-in-law - Earl C. Gilomen, Highland, IL.

She was preceded in death by:

Father - Anton A. Mueller - Died 01/12/1960  
Mother - Edna E. Mueller (nee Steinkoenig) - Died 12/01/1983  
Husband - Paul J. Miller - Died 10/28/2008  
Son - Donald P. Miller - Died 07/18/1997  
Brother - Glen O. Mueller - Died 10/04/2010  
Sister - Bonnie Gilomen - Died 03/26/1999  
Brother - Dale Mueller - Died 09/04/1983  
Sister In-law - Bernice Mueller - Died 12/13/1958  
Sister In-law - Helen P. Simmonds - Died 05/17/2012  
Sister In-law - Sherman W. Simmonds - Died 12/21/1980.

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

Visitation will be held from 11:00 AM to 1:00 PM on Tuesday, May 16, 2017, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL.

Funeral service will be at 1:00 PM on Tuesday, May 16, 2017, at Spengel-Boulanger Funeral Home in Highland, IL., with Rev. Gary Kniepkamp, Pastor, Saint Jacob United Church of Christ, Saint Jacob, IL, officiating.

Interment will be at Keystone Cemetery in Saint Jacob, IL.

Memorial contributions may be made to Saint Jacob United Church of Christ or American Cancer Society.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Curtis, So sorry for your loss. With deepest sympathy to you and your family.

*Lesia (Hulsker) Frey*

Lesia (Hulsker) Frey - May 16, 2017 at 03:13 PM

DP

“ Bonna and Family, so sorry for your loss, and we are thinking of you.

Dow Jones Pressmen - May 16, 2017 at 02:22 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Norma Fay Miller.



May 15, 2017 at 03:08 PM

DG

“ Bombs, so sorry to hear of your mom's passing, she was one of the nicest teachers I knew.

Diane Giger - May 14, 2017 at 06:50 PM

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“ Norma (and Paul) were our neighbors for many years and were just the best. They watched my kids grow up and were so tolerant of and even said they enjoyed watching my son in the yard with his bikes, go-karts and eventually race cars and demo cars. She said she missed all the excitement and noise over at our house when he moved out. When my kids were little and disappeared, I always knew they had snuck over to their house to play games or work puzzles with Paul. My kids considered them their 3rd set of grandparents and called them Gma and Gpa Miller. They were like family. Norma always said she enjoyed looking at my flowers and our fireworks at our loud July 4th parties- which she never complained about, and our Xmas lights so we always put lights out on their side just for her. They were just they kindest people and I'll miss them both greatly and we'll all treasure the wonderful memories we have of them.

Tamie Horstmann - May 14, 2017 at 04:48 PM

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“ *Dan O'Brien lit a candle in memory of Norma Fay Miller*



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**Dan O'Brien** - May 14, 2017 at 01:40 PM

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“ *She was my third grade teacher. I believe she taught me cursive penmanship.*

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**Dan O'Brien** - May 14, 2017 at 01:39 PM

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“ *\*She was my 3rd Grade teacher at St. Paul on the early 80's.\* Rest in Peace Mrs. Miller! My condolences to the family. She was a special lady!*

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**Tracey (Knebel) Larson** - May 13, 2017 at 07:49 PM