



Ruth L. Spengel

November 15, 1910 - September 18, 2007

Ruth Louise Spengel, nee Gall, age 96, of Wood River, IL., died Tuesday, September 18, 2007, at St. Anthony Health Center in Alton, IL.

She was born November 15, 1910, in Pierron, IL., the daughter of Henry and Kate (Rickher) Gall.

On January 22, 1966, she married Laurel D. Spengel, who passed away February 1, 2002.

Born at Pierron, IL, grew up there and attended Immaculate Conception School. She worked for the Moulton Bartley Shoe Factory for 20 years and Wicks Pipe Organ Company for 15 years. She lived in Highland, IL, following her marriage she moved to Granite City, IL and approximately 10 years ago she moved to a retirement center.

She enjoyed crocheting afgans, jigsaw puzzles, baking chocolate chip cookies and playing card games.

She was a member of Holy Angels Catholic Church-Wood River, IL.

She was also a member of Daughters of Isabella Sacred Heart Circle-Highland, IL.

She was a former member of Immaculate Conception Church in Pierron, IL and Holy Family Church in Granite City, IL.

Survivors include Step Daughter-Gail A. (Stephen) Gargac of Granite City, Ill., Step Daughter-Sonya W. (Robert) Niemeyer of Granite City, Ill., Step Daughter-Joan P. Roberts of Granite City, Ill., Step Daughter-Karen M. (Richard) Rose of Collinsville, Ill., Step Grandchildren-Seventeen, Step Gr. Grandchildren-Thirty-One

She was preceded in death by Father-Henry Gall (DOD 2/3/1914), Mother-Kate M. Gall,

nee Rickher (DOD 03/25/65), Husband-Laurel D. Spengel (DOD 2/1/02), Brother-Laurel
Gall (DOD 5/5/67), Step Son In Law-Leonard Roberts

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