



Genevieve H. Scheuring

January 16, 1924 - May 30, 2019

Genevieve was born on January 16, 1924 to William and Catherine (Schechinger) Gaul in Earling, Iowa. She was baptized and confirmed in her Catholic faith at St. Joseph's Catholic Church. She attended St. Joseph's Catholic School where she valued her education and throughout her life would often tell us that "she learned that way down in the grades". She remained able to recite poems, the Gettysburg address, and other things that the Nuns had taught her. When playing games, you wanted Gen on your team, especially when playing fact games like "Are You Smarter Than A Fifth Grader" or other trivia and geography type games.

She grew up living on the farm outside of Earling. She had many wonderful stories of her childhood growing up with 10 siblings, with lots of fun, practical jokes, mishaps, and hard work. She grew up without a refrigerator, toaster, electric iron, air conditioner, fans, and a TV.

While at a dance in Defiance, Iowa, she met "The Man of My Life". They dated for two years going to movies, dances, and games. On February 10, 1948, Vernon and Genevieve united in marriage. They lived on a farm outside of Defiance. She helped with the farming and her days included a large vegetable garden, many flower beds, and taking care of her 6 children. She loved to laugh and have fun with her family. She was an excellent cook and baker, using many of the vegetables and fruits that she preserved. She made the holidays a special event that included "fancy" meals using the good china and cloth tablecloths.

In 2012, she moved to Elm Crest Assisted Living where she enjoyed her time being involved with the many activities. She spent many hours reading books of all genres. She read the daily newspaper to keep up with current events, watching TV, especially ball games with the Royals and the Creighton Blue Jays being her teams.

On May 30, 2019, Gen passed away at the age of 95. She was preceded in death by her husband Vernon; grandchild Helen King; Great Grandchild Ryder Reseter, and siblings: Lipharda, Lawrence, Joseph, Aloysius, Odelia, Marie, Suzanne, Anthony, Pauline and Ivo. She is survived by her sister, Agnes Retz; children: Jim Scheuring (Cindy), Alice Huber (Jim), Chuck (Darla) Scheuring, Kathy King (Michael), Jane Scheuring and Dale Scheuring (Lisa); 19 grandchildren; 9 great grandchildren; nieces and nephews; other

relatives and many friends.

Cemetery

Sts. Peter & Paul Cemetery

501 5th Street Behind the church.

Sts. Peter & Paul Cemetery, IA,
51527

Events

JUN Visitation 03:00PM - 09:00PM

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Pauley Jones Funeral Home - Harlan
1304 Ninth Street, Harlan, IA, US, 51537

JUN Family Will Greet 06:00PM -

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Friends 08:00PM

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JUN Wake Service 07:00PM

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JUN Mass of Christian Burial 10:30AM

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St. Peter's Catholic Church
501 5th, Defiance, IA, US, 51527

Comments



“ Sorry to hear about your mom. We will keep her in our prayers. Mary (Kenkel) Bottoms

Mary Bottoms - June 05, 2019 at 08:28 PM



“ I only know Alice & Jim, but if Genevieve was responsible for modeling and instilling even a few of Alice's virtues, she surely was a lovely lady. The beautiful obituary speaks to a woman who loved life and lived well. Peace to all who loved her.

The Friedhoff Family

Barb Friedhoff - June 03, 2019 at 12:24 PM



“ We are so sorry for your loss. Bob and I would visit Gen when we came to visit my Mom, Margaret Feldman, at Elm Crest Assisted Living. Gen was always cheerful with her beautiful smile! She and Bob would often share jokes.

May happy memories of her comfort all of you at this time.

Love and prayers,

Bob and Joan Gaul
Johnston IA

Bob and Joan Gaul - June 02, 2019 at 02:48 PM



“ My thoughts and prayers to you, Kathy and The Scheuring Family. God Bless!!!



Jane Sherrick - June 02, 2019 at 02:31 PM



“ I am sorry for your loss. I will not be able to attend the funeral due to a recent surgery.
Your family will be in my prayers.
Your cousin,
Laura McAndrews Parker

rich parker - June 02, 2019 at 09:42 AM



“ I'm so sorry for your loss. I didn't know Genevieve very well, just through Kathy. I do know all of you love her so much and she was very lucky to have such a great family, especially Kathy. May many wonderful memories of her fill your void in your heart. Praying for you.
Marlene Murschel, Freeland, MI

Marlene Murschel - June 01, 2019 at 07:16 AM



“ We are so sorry to hear of your loss. Your family will be in our prayers.



Don & Mary Weis Assmann - May 31, 2019 at 08:50 PM



“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Genevieve H. Scheuring.



May 31, 2019 at 08:18 PM



“ Kathy Goede lit a candle in memory of Genevieve H. Scheuring



Kathy Goede - May 31, 2019 at 01:59 PM



“ Dear Cousins:

It is so sad to say goodbye to yet another person who was a big part of our youth. I remember the big get togethers with all my aunts, uncles and cousins. The big potluck picnics.....so much fun.

Your mom and dad were good people. They'll be missed but never forgotten.

I am so sorry to miss the funeral. We are out of town helping our daughter and family move from St Louis to Chicago. I will miss seeing all my cousins.

Love you all.

Judy

Judy Weis - May 31, 2019 at 11:17 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Genevieve H. Scheuring.



May 31, 2019 at 11:10 AM