



Dorothy Bialk

September 15, 1918 - June 9, 2017

Dorothy (nee Bachelder) Bialk, age 98, of Grosse Point Woods, Michigan passed away there on Friday, June 9, 2017. Dorothy was born in Rensselaer, Indiana on September 15, 1918, the daughter of the late John B. and Olga W. (nee Zacher) Bachelder. She was raised in Jasper County, graduating eighth grade from North Newton Township School and with the Class of 1936 from Rensselaer High School. On June 19, 1940, Dorothy married Robert L. Bialk in the pastor's study of the Trinity Methodist Church, Rensselaer, Indiana. Dorothy lived for many years in the Barrington, Illinois area. She was an accomplished business woman, working more than sixty years, and was proud of her independence. She was dedicated to her family and friends, and enjoyed keeping current on world and local events. Dorothy was also an avid Chicago Bears fan. She will be greatly missed by all that loved her.

Survivors include three nieces, Lorna (Jud) Utley, Christina (Rick) Strickland, and Karen (Bill) Izor; one nephew, Mark (Marcella) Schantz; two grand nieces, four grand nephews, two great-great nieces, and one sister-in-law, Dorothy Bachelder of Rensselaer.

Along with her parents, Dorothy was preceded in death by her husband Robert, two sisters, Frances Schantz and Norma Gless and her brother, Dean Bachelder.

Friends may visit with the family on Friday, June 16, 2017, from 9:00-10:00 a.m. at the Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer. Graveside services will follow at Memory Gardens Cemetery, Rensselaer. In lieu of flowers, the family

suggests memorials be made to the Trinity United Methodist Church, 107 E. Angelica Street, Rensselaer, IN 47978.

Cemetery Details

Memory Gardens of Rensselaer

Memory Gardens
Rensselaer, IN 47978
(219) 866-5125
info@jacksonfuneral.com

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 16. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer
250 N. McKinley Avenue
P.O. Box 70
Rensselaer, IN 47978
(219) 866-5123
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<https://www.jacksonfuneral.com>

Graveside Services

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Tribute Wall

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“ Please accept my family's heartfelt condolences on the loss of your dear loved one. May you find comfort and peace in vivid memories of them, and The Almighty God's promise in the Bible to restore those asleep in death to perfect life on a paradise Earth, and to "swallow up death forever." (Isaiah 25:8)

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“ Don & Gloria Waymouth lit a candle in memory of Dorothy Bialk



Don & Gloria Waymouth - June 14, 2017 at 04:11 PM