



Dorothy B. Kennedy

January 2, 1928 - May 22, 2018

Dorothy B. (Knuth) Kennedy, age 90, passed away peacefully at her home in Rensselaer, Indiana on Tuesday, May 22, 2018. Dorothy was born in Decatur, Illinois on January 2, 1928, the daughter of Edmund Robert Knuth and Alma Marie (Lorenze) Knuth. Dorothy moved to Rensselaer in 2001, formerly residing in Markham, Illinois.

On June 2, 1950, in Decatur, Illinois Dorothy married Joseph V. Kennedy. Dorothy was a member of the Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Wheatfield, Indiana. She enjoyed doing craft work, working puzzles and loved to treat herself to a Pepsi Cola. She was a retired Chemist, having worked over thirty years with Onyx Chemical.

Dorothy cherished time spent with her family. Surviving are five children, Joseph V. (Debra) Kennedy, Hugo, Colorado, Cheryl Kennedy, Illinois, Donna (Rick) Cook, Yucaipa, California, Edmund (Lori) Kennedy, Wheatfield, Indiana and Mike Kennedy of Mary Esther, Florida; 15 Grandchildren, 32 Great Grandchildren, a brother, Eugene Knuth, Texas, a sister-in-law, Ilene Knuth and brother-in-law, Leo Stephas.

Preceding Dorothy in death are her father, Edmund R. Knuth, mother, Alma Knuth, step-mother, Esther Knuth, husband, Joseph V. Kennedy in 1996, daughter, Sandra K. Kennedy, grandson, Michael Kennedy II, two sisters, Rhoda Knuth and Judy Stephas, and four brothers, Theodore, Melvin, Donald and William Knuth.

The Jackson Funeral Chapel of Rensselaer is honored to assist the family

with cremation services.

Tribute Wall

JK

“ *dorothy was a loving caring person.I knew her well when I was growing up. joe,s dad and my dad were brothers.I will put dorothy in my prayer circle.are thoughts and prayers are with you her family.*

judith kennedy - June 30, 2018 at 02:15 PM

CI

“ *donna, & family...
my thoughts n prayers are with u.
know that your mom, is resting in GODS love
till you meet again...
💜 always,
cyn*



cindy - May 29, 2018 at 01:52 PM

SO

“ *To the family I am so sorry for your loss. May you find comfort in God's promise that those who are sleeping in death, will be resurrected to life here on a paradise earth.*

SO - May 26, 2018 at 04:03 PM


Pamela
Phillips

“ *Pamela Phillips lit a candle in memory of
Dorothy B. Kennedy*



Pamela Phillips - May 24, 2018 at 12:51 PM


Heather
Laxton

“ *Heather Laxton lit a candle in memory of Dorothy B. Kennedy*



Heather Laxton - May 23, 2018 at 01:56 PM


Heather
Laxton

this is from Donna to her mom!

Heather Laxton - May 23, 2018 at 01:58 PM

JO

“ *JOE lit a candle in memory of Dorothy B. Kennedy*



JOE - May 23, 2018 at 11:06 AM



“ *Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dorothy B. Kennedy.*



May 23, 2018 at 08:34 AM