



Hazel Edna Leinberger

January 2, 1928 - August 19, 2017

Hazel Edna Leinberger, 89, of Springfield, formerly of Chandlerville passed away on Saturday, August 19, 2017, at her home. Hazel was born January 2, 1928 in rural Chandlerville, the daughter of the late Frank and Louise (Christensen) Dirks. Hazel married Rudy Leinberger on March 15, 1947; they shared 50 years together until Rudy preceded her in death February 23, 1998. Hazel and Rudy were members of Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Petersburg. Hazel spent most of her life helping Rudy raise purebred cattle on their farm, she also worked for Stout and Lauer Jewelers and Helzberg Diamonds for over 30 years. In her free time Hazel loved quilting, antiquing, and making beautiful flower arrangements.

Surviving Hazel is her sister Alice Leinberger of Springfield, her brother Don (Gwen) Dirks of Virginia, IL, as well as numerous nieces and nephews.

Hazel was also preceded in death by a brother Louis "Frankie" Dirks, and a brother in law Joe Leinberger.

A funeral service officiated by Pastor Jeffrey Gross will be held on Tuesday, August 22, 2017, at 11 am at Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Petersburg. The family will receive guests at the church from 10 am until the time of service. Interment will follow at Rosehill Cemetery in Petersburg.

Those who wish may leave memorials in Hazel's name to Bethlehem Lutheran Church in Petersburg or to the charity of the donor's choice.

Please visit Hazel's online obituary at www.hurleyfh.com

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG **22**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Bethlehem Lutheran Church
120 W Monroe
Petersburg, IL 62675
(217) 632-2453

Funeral

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Tribute Wall



“ *Hazel Edna Leinberger*

October 12, 2022 at 03:07 PM



“ *Alice: We are so sorry to hear of the loss of your sister. You and Joe were always such good neighbors and friends. May God comfort you in your sorrow. Steve & Sharon Allen*

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