



Mildred I. Ross

August 6, 1925 - December 8, 2022

Mildred "Millie" Ross, 97, of Mason City passed away on Thursday, December 8, 2022. She was born in Mason City on August 6, 1925, to Frank and Mabel (Skenks) Ross.

Mildred is survived by 3 nieces: Melody (Perry) Horn, Beverly (Otis) Jenkins, and Shirley Taylor; 1 nephew: Mark (Barb) Tripp; 8 great nephews, 2 great nieces, and many great-great nieces and nephews. Mildred is preceded in death by her parents; her partner, Marjorie Flowers; 4 sisters; and her nephew-in-law, Dean.

She worked at Caterpillar and Allis-Chalmers before retiring from Lincoln Land Community College. Mildred played as a pitcher for the Caterpillar Dieslettes. She enjoyed golfing, and making, and selling, her famous "Millie's Chili" and Italian beef.

The funeral will be held at Concordia Lutheran Church (2300 E. Wilshire RD, Springfield, 62703) at 11:00 AM on December 20, 2022, a visitation will be held from 10:00 AM- 11:00 AM. Burial will be held at 2:30 PM at Mason City Cemetery in Mason City, Illinois. Memorial contributions may be made to Concordia Lutheran Church. Online condolences can be made online at <http://www.hurleyfh.com>. Hurley Funeral Home in Mason City is in charge of the arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Mason City Cemetery

Mason City, IL 62664

Previous Events

Visitation

DEC 20. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (cst)

Concordia Lutheran Church
2300 E. Wilshire Rd.
Springfield, IL 62703

Funeral

DEC 20. 11:00 AM (Cst)

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Burial

DEC 20. 2:30 PM (cst)

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Tribute Wall

PK

“ I’m so sorry to just learn of Millie’s passing. I worked with her at LLCC, where she had many, many friends. We all loved Millie and her chili. She came in for years after her retirement to bring chili and visit everyone! She was a very special lady! Sorry for your loss!

Pam Kaiser - January 04, 2023 at 05:37 PM

PK

“ Milley was a nice lady who became a good friend to my mother when they lived at Villas of Hollybrook in Chatham. Sympathies to the family. From family of Fredda Jean Jones.

Paula Kennett - December 13, 2022 at 03:31 PM

 Patsy Mester

“ So sorry to learn of Millie's passing. We were neighbors of hers on Washington Street. Patsy & Glen Mester

Patsy Mester - December 12, 2022 at 10:03 PM

MH

“ You will be missed, Donna and I was talking about the cookouts we had playing softball or horse shoes and all the fun we had. I will always think of you Aunt Millie whenever I sign my name
Love, Millie Marie

Millie Heilman - December 11, 2022 at 09:35 PM

DH

Millie was our neighbor across the street for many years. We enjoyed her company and missed her when she moved. She had a strong faith and cared for her family and friends. We will always remember her.

*Sincerely,
Chris and Dorothy (Dot) Homeier.*

Dorothy (Dot) Homeier - January 03, 2023 at 03:32 PM

RA

I have pictures I will post of her softball days

Robert E. Adams - March 22, 2023 at 06:18 PM

RA

Mildred! Ross - Millie played for th Peoria Caterpillar Dieselletes

Robert e Adams - April 24, 2023 at 08:27 AM

CB

Visited Millie's Chili as a young kid with my parents and purchased bricks... She was known and will be missed by numerous individuals. Eventually my wife and I have bought her old place on Washington Street.... any pics of her can be dropped off in our mailbox and be greatly appreciated,

Carl Burt - August 07, 2024 at 04:40 PM

LH

“ *Larry And Mary Hundt sent a virtual gift in memory of Mildred I. Ross*



Larry and Mary Hundt - December 11, 2022 at 08:45 AM