



Ruth Eileen Jones

July 29, 1920 - December 15, 2014

Ruth Eileen Jones, 94, of Petersburg passed away peacefully at St. John's Hospice on December 15, 2014.

Eileen was born in rural Oakford, IL on July 29, 1920 to Charles and Marie (Vogt) Schaddel. She was the eldest of six children. On December 28, 1938 Eileen and Paul E. Jones were married in the rectory of St. Augustine Church in Ashland, IL. Together they raised five children on the farm in Oakford and later moved to Petersburg in 1957. After moving to Petersburg Eileen was a cashier at Menchetti's Market and then a sales clerk at Robbin's Department Store until her retirement in 1998. In 2008 she moved to Countryside Estates and thoroughly enjoyed the staff, her neighbors, and the activities at the assisted living facility.

Eileen was preceded in death by her parents, her husband of 58 ½ years, infant daughter Marie Ann, and all of her siblings Jack Schaddel, Nora Viands, C.J. Schaddel, Rich Schaddel and Mary Ann Cosner.

Surviving are sons Charles R. (Margaret) Jones of Petersburg, Fred L. Jones of Pleasant Plains, Wayne E. (Susie) Jones of Petersburg, daughters Bettie J. (David) Churchill of Petersburg and Barbara A. (William C.) Engel of Springfield, 16 grandchildren, 34 great-grandchildren and on December 10th Eileen became a great-great grandma. She is also survived by 3 sister-in-laws

and many nieces and nephews.

Funeral Mass will be held Saturday, December 20, 2014 at 11:00 a.m. at St. Peter Catholic Church in Petersburg with the Msgr. Thomas Holinga officiating. Visitation will be from 9:00 a.m. until time of Mass in the church. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorials may be made to St. Peter Catholic Church, St. John's Hospice or the Menard County Food Pantry. To express condolences to the family online please visit www.hurleyfh.com.

Hurley Funeral Home in Petersburg assisted the family with arrangements.

Tribute Wall



“ *Ruth Eileen Jones*

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