



Lorraine Carol Hansen

April 12, 1929 - July 6, 2024

Lorraine Carol Hansen (nee. Freeland), age 95. Passed away peacefully on July 6, 2024, at her home in Gardner, IL surrounded by family.

Lorraine was born in Morris, IL to Annita and Arling Freeland on April 12, 1929. She lived in Gardner, IL most of her life. She was a graduate of Gardner-South Wilmington High School in 1947. In 1948, she married Bobby C. Hansen in the United Lutheran Parsonage in Gardner.

Lorraine was employed and retired from the Joliet Army Ammunition Plant in Elwood, IL. She was long-time member of the Royal Neighbors of America and served as Oracle for 13 years. She served as president of the Southeastern Grundy County Senior Citizens for 24 years. She was president of the Braceville-Gardner Cemetery Association for 18 years. She was a member of the United Lutheran Church of Gardner and member of the Dorcas Circle and ULCW.

Lorraine is survived by one son Brian (Tamara) Hansen of Gardner, one granddaughter Alison (Tim) Watson of Braceville, and three grandsons Bradley (Emily) Hansen of Coal City, Paul (Maxine) Hansen, and Sean (Madison) Hansen both of Gardner. Six great grandchildren Mason, Lorraine, and Joanna Hansen, and Dailyynn (Brendan Alexander), Dakota, and Mackenzie Watson. Three great great grandchildren Malayah, Brycen and Raelynn. Special daughter-like friend Mary Rossio. Cathleen, Danny, and Patrick (Carol) Finnerty and many other nieces and nephews. One brother-in-law Bernard Grant and cousin Pete Hexdal.

Lorraine was preceded in death by her husband Bobby (1987) and her son Dale Lee (1978). Her parents Arling (1986), Anita (2004), and her only sister Arlette (Martin) Finnerty and their infant son Michael Finnerty. She was also preceded in death by her brother in laws Russell (Jenny) Hansen, Wayne (Catherine) Hansen, Gaylord Hansen, and sister in laws Marilyn (John) Kociss, Ida Grant and Ina Tjelle. Her nephews Jeff Grant, Stephen Schmidt and David Hansen. Her niece Robyn Brogan.

Services will be held at the United Lutheran Church in Gardner, IL on Wednesday, July 10, 2024 with the visitation beginning at 9:00 am until the time of funeral services at 11:00 am. Burial will immediately follow at Braceville-Gardner Cemetery. In lieu of flowers memorial donations may be directed to the United Lutheran Church of Gardner or Lightways Hospice.

Cemetery Details

Braceville-Gardner Cemetery

7295 W. Braceville Road
Braceville, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 10. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

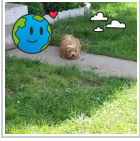
United Lutheran Church-Gardner
309 East Jefferson Street
Gardner, IL 60424

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ So Sorry for your loss! She was an amazing woman! She had alot of Love in her heart and shared it with everyone! She served her purpose on this earth and now the lord has an amazing angel! I'm sure she'll still take care of all of her loved ones from up above! RIP Lorraine

Millie Smith - July 11, 2024 at 07:34 AM

JB

“ Jerry L Brown lit a candle in memory of Lorraine Hansen



Jerry L Brown - July 10, 2024 at 10:29 AM

KS

“ So sorry to hear about Lorraine. She was a dear friend of my mother in law who just passed in April. May she rest in eternal peace.

Kristin Sayers - July 09, 2024 at 06:15 PM

AP

“ I'm so very sorry to hear of Aunt Lorraine's passing (as I have come to know her through the Finnerty family). All of their wonderful stories of her made me feel as if I knew her personally too. I'm sorry I never got to meet her in person. My prayers are for the family and her friends who loved her.

Angela Pace - July 09, 2024 at 01:14 PM

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“ So sorry to hear of the passing of Lorraine. She was a wonderful person. My condolences to the family..
Pat Swisher.

Patricia L Swisher - July 09, 2024 at 09:34 AM