



Lois Ann Duffy

January 6, 1933 - June 23, 2021

Lois Ann Duffy of Spring Grove, MN, passed away peacefully at Gundersen Tweeten Nursing Home on June 23, 2021.

Born on January 6, 1933, in New Albin, IA, to Edwin and Mary “Colletta” Meyer, Lois was the oldest of four children. She married John “Jack” Duffy, and the couple had twelve children. Lois was a devoted mother, and nothing was more important to her than family.

Lois was preceded in death by her parents; sister and brother-in-law Lorraine (Meyer) and Bill Davis; brother-in-law Ernie Loomis; and four of her children: John Duffy, Diane (Duffy) Brazel, Francis Duffy, and Carol Duffy.

She is survived by her children Kathleen (Loyd) McIntire, James Duffy, Karen Donaldson, Betty (Dave) Tostenson, Judy (Robert) Nelson, Jane Duffy, Linda (Ryan) Knox, and Sharon (Scott) Wisland; siblings Ralph (Jane) Meyer and Lillian (Ernie) Loomis; 22 grandchildren, 27 great-grandchildren, and 2 great-great grandchildren, as well as several nieces and nephews.

Lois grew up in New Albin, IA, and moved to Dorchester, IA, after her marriage. She worked at Tweeten Memorial Hospital in Spring Grove. Lois later moved to Spring Grove and worked at Northern Engraving until she retired. Throughout her life, Lois most enjoyed spending time with family, but she also enjoyed playing cards and bingo, baking, gardening and growing roses.

In accordance with Lois’s wishes, the family will hold a private memorial at a future date.

On-line condolences and/or memories may be left for Lois's family at
www.roblefuneralhome.com

Cemetery Details

Burial at a later date

Tribute Wall

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“ My sincere sympathy to the children, etc. of my first cousin Lois. Unfortunately, due to family members we were never together a lot. However, I remember the times we did see one another and they are fond memories. Once you married and moved away I lost track of you. So, after so many years I only saw you at Leona’s viewing. I understand the hard feelings forged between the sisters, but I cannot and will not take the blame for what went on between them. Unfortunately, I have received hurtful conversations with Lillian and I am sorry she has such feelings about me. Please accept apologies for what my mother did and the upsets she caused, but I have no idea what all went on as I moved after marriage also. I had as little contact with her as possible due to doctors orders. Lois was my favorite of the Meyer children. May you have fond memories of your mother and the love she had for her family. Grace Hager Sorenson, Waukon.

Grace Sorenson - July 25, 2021 at 08:26 AM

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“ I will miss you my friend. You were quite the woman. Head strong and kind (but don't let too many people know that 😊). We had some good times together. Glad you are at peace.

Cindi Petersen - June 26, 2021 at 12:27 PM