



Dora Jane Grebner

May 17, 1923 - August 6, 2016

Dora Jane Grebner, 93, of Kankakee, passed away Saturday (Aug. 6, 2016) at Riverside Medical Center in Kankakee.

She was born May 17, 1923, in Iowa City, Iowa, the daughter of Guy and Gertrude Crispin Stutzman. DoraJane married Lee G. Grebner on Aug. 16, 1948, at Hanover.

Mrs. Grebner was a homemaker and had been active in education. She was a graduate of the University of Iowa. She enjoyed sewing, needlepoint and golfing.

Surviving are six sons and five daughters-in-law, Michael and Joanne Grebner, of Bayside, Wis.; Mark Grebner, of East Lansing, Mich.; David and Andrea Grebner, of Okemos, Mich., Thomas and Diane Grebner, of Kankakee, Peter and Jody Grebner, of Bettendorf, Iowa, and Timothy and Anne Grebner, of Minneapolis, Minn.; one brother, James Stutzman, of Bellingham, Wash.; 10 grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Preceding her in death were her husband (Aug. 27, 1990); parents; and one brother, Jack.

There will be no visitation or services. Cremation rites will be accorded.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley (www.hkvcares.org)
or Living Lands and Waters, 17624 Illinois 84 N., East Moline, IL 61244.

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“ I visited the Grebner cottage in Interlochen as a college student 40 years ago with various friends of Dora Jean's son Mark. She unceremoniously put me at ease with chores and on a particular morning she showed me how to make pancakes - carefully instructing me to leave some lumps in the batter. I cooked a lot with my own mother growing up, but somehow the energy and inclusion I felt that morning has come to me again and again. Thank you. You made a difference for me - and still do.

Mary MacLeod - August 11, 2016 at 05:03 PM