



Dorothy Gerth

September 26, 1920 - July 29, 2006

Dorothy Gerth, 85, of Bourbonnais, died Saturday (July 29, 2006) at Miller Center. Visitation will be from 10 a.m. Wednesday until the 11 a.m. funeral service at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais. Burial will be in Mt. Calvary Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley. Mrs. Gerth was a bookkeeper for the John and Harold Krueger offices of State Farm Insurance, retiring in 1987. She was born Sept. 26, 1920, in Kankakee, the daughter of James and Rose Nelson Diggle. Her husband, Virgil Gerth, whom she married Aug. 14, 1946, in Kankakee, died Jan. 9, 1970. She was a member of Maternity BVM Catholic Church. She traveled a lot after her retirement, and enjoyed reading and doing crossword puzzles. Surviving are two sisters, Lillian Dahling of LaGuna Woods, Calif., and Jean Davis of Kankakee; and many nieces and nephews. Two sisters, Joyce Curtis and Ruby Ulrich, are deceased

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“ *Dorothy was always helpful and pleasant and liked by everyone.*
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“ Hello,

I was saddened by the passing of "Dot", as I knew her. She was a visitor in my home many times when she brought my mom, Boots, up to see me in Door County. I loved it when they came because Dot was so easy to have around and of course, she made it possible that Mom could get up here. They were quite stylish riding in one of Dot's Cadillacs! She seemed to like it up here, too, especially because it is a Scandinavian area. We'd have fish boils, go to the beach, go to plays, etc., and she'd have fun.

I last saw Dot when I visited her last winter at the assisted care facility. She knew me right away and reminded me that she and my mom were going to make the trip to my house for Christmas in 1994 but couldn't because Mom had a stroke right before they were coming. She was going to make it possible for us to share Christmas in my home! We were all looking so forward to that.

Please know that you are in my thoughts as I'm sure she will be missed by her family and friends.

Sincerely, Jane
Jane Nelson

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