



## Dorothy E. Metzger

June 20, 1933 - December 9, 2023

Dorothy E. Metzger, age 90 of Manteno passed away Saturday, December 9, 2023 in Naperville. She was born June 20, 1933 in Beecher, the daughter of William & Selma (Bruns) Lohmann. Dorothy married Dale Metzger on August 13, 1955 in Grant Park. He preceded her in death on August 9, 1999.

Dorothy enjoyed playing cards, especially Bridge. She also enjoyed traveling, sewing, fishing, and golfing. Most of all, Dorothy loved spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

She was a member of Zion Lutheran Church in Grant Park.

Surviving are one son, Bill (Rose) Metzger of Glenview; two daughters, Sandy (Mike) Fuehrmeyer of Yorkville and Barb (Scott) Diehl of Mt. Morris; one sister-in-law, Sandy Lohmann of Beecher; nine grandchildren, Matt (Elizabeth) Fuehrmeyer, Dan (Laura) Fuehrmeyer, Lauren (Kyle) Turvey, Emily (Kyle) Wetherell, Ben (Emily) Diehl, Luke (Lacrisha) Diehl, Kristen Diehl (Terry Davis), Elizabeth Metzger, and Mark Metzger; and twelve great-grandchildren. In addition to her husband, Dale Metzger, Dorothy is preceded in death by her parents; two sisters, Marcella Wolff and Lucille Dykehouse; and two brothers, Paul Lohmann and infant brother, Harold Lohmann.

Visitation will be held from Noon until the time of the 2 p.m. funeral service on Saturday, December 16, 2023 at Zion Lutheran Church in Grant Park. Rev. Cory Estby will officiate the service. Interment will follow at Zion Lutheran Cemetery in Grant Park.

Memorials may be made to Zion Lutheran Church or St. Jude Children's

Hospital.

Arrangements by Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Manteno.

Please sign her guestbook at [www.clancygernon.com](http://www.clancygernon.com).

# Cemetery Details

## Zion Lutheran Cemetery

11456 N 11000 E Rd  
Grant Park, IL 60940

# Previous Events

## Visitation

DEC **16**. 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM (CT)

Zion Lutheran Church  
11456 N. 11000 E. Road  
Grant Park, IL 60940

## Funeral Service

DEC **16**. 2:00 PM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Caring Condolences Gift Basket was purchased for the family of Dorothy E. Metzger.*



December 15, 2023 at 05:19 PM



“ *I was so lucky to have Dorothy in my life. An aunt who sewed me box pleated skirts and so many other items. I got to stay with her when the girls were very small. I washed bottles and folded diapers and I still think I came out way ahead because of the time I got to spend with her. I didn't see her often in later years but when I did, there was always a big hug and lots of laughs and smiles. You will be missed. Love you*

**Diane** - December 14, 2023 at 09:37 PM



“ *My sympathy to all who love Dorothy. We played bridge together for years in MANTENO. What a super lady. She was giving, smart, loving, always positive and showed a great enjoyment of her family. While I lost touch when we moved to Florida, my memories around the card table are many.*



**Kay Jarvis** - December 12, 2023 at 09:51 AM

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“ *Though I've only known Dorothy a short time, I count it a great blessing to have known her at all. Even though she was 90 years old, she remained current, relevant and engaging. I will miss her.*

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**Jan Kinsel** - December 11, 2023 at 06:09 PM

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“ *Sandy, Barb, Bill, and family, I have such fond memories of your mom as we were all growing up. She was a lovely, generous lady, and always had a smile and something nice to say. She will always be with you in your memories. With sympathy, Becky DeGroot Irons.*

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**Becky DeGroot Irons** - December 11, 2023 at 05:40 PM