



## Dorothy N Riegel

August 2, 1938 - April 4, 2024

Dorothy N. Riegel, age 85 of Bonfield passed away on Thursday, April 4, 2024, at Bourbonnais Grove, Bourbonnais. She was born on August 2, 1938, in Bradley, the daughter of James and Cecil (McClure)Wood. Dorothy married Reuben Riegel on March 9, 1957, at the Bonfield United Brethren Church. He preceded her in death on March 6, 2022.

Dorothy graduated from Herscher High School in 1956.

Dorothy was a member of Bonfield Evangelical United Methodist Church. She was very involved in her church. She was the financial secretary for Bonfield Evangelical United Methodist Church, Trustee, Advisory Board Member and Sunday School teacher.

Dorothy was a member of the Kankakee County Farm Bureau Women's Committee and the Illinois Farm Bureau State Women's Committee. She was the first woman to serve on the Kankakee Farm Bureau Board.

Dorothy enjoyed traveling and genealogy. She was a member of several genealogical and historical societies. Dorothy was a chocolate lover.

Surviving is one son and special friend, James Riegel and Pam Mack of Mt. Prospect, IL; two daughters and one son-in-law, Marcia (Claude) Jackson of Florissant, MO, Linda Riegel of Normal, IL; one sister, Margaret "Maggie" Wilson of Belleville; three grandchildren, Patrick Lindley, Nathan Lindley, Amber (Josh) Piercy; and four great grandchildren, Kylee, Emilee, Brett and Wesley.

Dorothy is preceded in death by her husband, Reuben; and her parents.

Visitation will be from 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. on Friday, April 12, 2024, at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, Kankakee. Additional visitation will be from 10:00 a.m. until the time of the 11:00 a.m. funeral service on Saturday, April 13, 2024, at Bonfield Evangelical United Methodist Church, 348 East Smith Street, Bonfield, IL. Pastor Keith Blankenship will officiate the service. Interment will follow at Maple Grove Cemetery, Bonfield. Memorials may be made to the church.

# Cemetery Details

## Maple Grove Cemetery

Bonfield, IL 60913

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 12. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Kankakee - Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home  
1480 W. Court St.  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
(815) 932-1214  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Visitation

APR 13. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Bonfield Evangelical United Methodist Church  
348 E. Smith  
Bonfield, IL

## Funeral Service

APR 13. 11:00 AM (CT)

Bonfield Evangelical United Methodist Church  
348 E. Smith  
Bonfield, IL



# Tribute Wall

DS

“ Rest In Peace Dorothy 🙏 I loved sharing communications re family history with you & the probability that my husband was distantly related to you; his x2 great grandfather being a WOOD from Ayrshire, Scotland.

Deidre & Ken Swan - April 10, 2024 at 08:02 PM

FB

“ So sorry to hear about Dorothy. She was a great help to me finding my relations. She was related to us far back. Thoughts are with you from New Zealand. Fay Bryant and families.

Fay Bryant - April 10, 2024 at 03:03 PM

CO

“ So very sorry to lose our cousin Dorothy. She is now at peace, and reunited with Reuben. May she RIP 💜🥰🙏 Rick and Marla



Coy's - April 09, 2024 at 07:42 PM

VD

“ Vern & Carolynn Dumas lit a candle in memory of Dorothy N Riegel



Vern & Carolynn Dumas - April 09, 2024 at 12:14 PM

MW

“ Dorothy was the best sister anyone could have, I'm so lucky she was my sister. She was always there for me & anyone else who needed her. I'll always miss her & love her. Love you & will forever miss you. Maggie

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**Maggie Wilson** - April 08, 2024 at 06:03 PM