



## Elaine Elizabeth Frenzke

January 2, 1929 - October 4, 2019

Elaine Elizabeth Frenzke, age 90, of St. Augustine, Florida, formerly of Kankakee, passed away Friday, October 4, 2019. Elaine was born January 2, 1929 in Bonfield, Illinois to Elmer and Olive Buente Riegel. She married Rudolph (Rudy) Frenzke on June 16, 1951 in Bonfield. Rudy passed away April 1, 2010 in St. Augustine.

Elaine graduated from Reddick High School and St. Mary's School of Nursing. Her nursing career was at St. Mary's Hospital and Riverside Hospital in Kankakee. Elaine and Rudy liked to travel, camp, and fish. Elaine enjoyed oil painting, quilting, and cooking and baking. She loved her dogs.

Surviving are two daughters Marie and Diana Frenzke; two grandsons, Kyle (Emily) Horseman and David (Jordan) Horseman; one brother and sister-in-law, Reuben and Dorothy Riegel; and sister-in-law, Joyce Riegel. Dan Gilbreath helped care for Elaine before she went to the nursing home and he also did maintenance and yard work for Elaine.

Preceding Elaine in death were her parents, Elmer and Olive; her aunt, Henrietta Buente, who took her mother's place raising Elaine and her brothers and sister after her mother's death in 1936. Also preceding her in death were her brothers, Rollin, Arland, and Paul; and her sister, Carolyn.

A graveside service will be held at 10:00 am on Saturday, October 12, 2019 at Kankakee Memorial Gardens in Aroma Township.

# Cemetery Details

## Kankakee Memorial Gardens

15 S. 3000 E. Rd.  
Kankakee, IL 60901

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

OCT **12**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

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“ Marie, I was sorry to read about your mother. My mother passed when I was a senior in college. Carol Conrad Runner

csrol - March 11, 2025 at 12:19 AM

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“ The pastors, staff, and congregation members of Grace United Methodist Church wish to extend their sincere Christian sympathy to the family at this time of sorrow. All are in our thoughts and prayers!

Grace United Methodist Church - October 29, 2019 at 02:47 PM



“ Prayers for God's peace and comfort.

Mary Otten Thomson



Mary Quiroz Thomson - October 10, 2019 at 10:14 AM