



Emlyn "Em" Voges

June 22, 1932 - October 14, 2017

Emlyn June "Em" Voges, age 85, of Manteno, passed away Saturday, October 14, 2017 at Miller Healthcare Center's Hospice Unit in Kankakee.

She was born June 22, 1932 in Kankakee, the daughter of Noble Jackson & Elsie Pendergast Jackson.

Emlyn married Vennis H. Voges on August 10, 1952 at Deselm Methodist Church in Deselm.

She was a graduate of Manteno High School and Silver Cross Hospital's X-ray Technician Program. She worked several years at the Kankakee Medical Clinic. Em was a homemaker and a mom. She was a member of the Deselm Methodist Church, where she attended Sunday School and M.Y.F. After it's closing, she joined Manteno Methodist Church where she was very active on committees, including Pastor Parish, choir, United Methodist Women, and for many years helped with the funeral dinners.

Emlyn also belonged to the Manteno Women's Club, The Manteno Book Club, The Tuesday Book Review, Kankakee County Lyric and Travel, the Riverside Auxiliary, and the Kankakee County Home Bureau.

Her first love was for the good Lord and the faith she put in him.

Surviving are her husband, Vennis Voges of Manteno; two sons and daughters-in-law, Curtis & Donna Voges of Winnetka and their children, Grace and Robert, and Kent & Leslie Voges of Tampa, Florida, and their three daughters, Liesl, Noelle and Madeline; one step-brother, Robert Gordon of Bourbonnais; one step-sister, Eloise Bertrand of Manteno; two nephews, Larry Coldwaller and his family of Elwood and Gerald Jackson and his family of Wilmington; one niece, Judy Jennings of St. Charles, Missouri,; and one sister-in-law, Eleanor Jackson of Manteno.

She is preceded in death by her parents; her mother-in-law and father-in-law, Venice (Beedy) and Herman Voges ; step-father, Virgil Gordon; one sister, Kathleen Coldwater; and one brother, Keith Jackson.

Em will be deeply missed by her husband, sons & grandchildren whom she dearly loved. Known for her compassionate heart and generosity, the loss will be felt by friends and the community that she touched throughout her life.

Visitation will be held 3:00 – 7:00 p.m. Tuesday, October 17, 2017 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Manteno. Visitation will also be held from 9:00 a.m. until the 10:00 a.m. funeral service on Wednesday, October 18, 2017 at Manteno Methodist Church. Pastor Joy Schlesselman will officiate the service.

Interment will follow at Blooms Grove Cemetery in Rockville Township.

A memorial has been established in her name for the Manteno United

Methodist Church. Memorials may also be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley.

Cemetery Details

Bloom Cemetery

W. 8270N Rd.
Manteno, IL 60950

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT 17. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Manteno - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
291 N. Main St.
Manteno, IL 60950
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Visitation

OCT 18. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Manteno United Methodist Church
255 W. Second Street
Manteno, IL

Funeral Service

OCT 18. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Manteno, IL

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“ MRMRS S HOCHFELDER lit a candle in memory of Emlyn "Em" Voges



MRMRS S HOCHFELDER - October 20, 2017 at 08:12 AM

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Oh my goodness. My parents were very close friends with Keith and Elenlor Jackson. Thank you for allowing me to participate in the care of your mother. Debra McCarty RN.

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