



Joretta L. Pfothenhauer

April 11, 1931 - June 30, 2020

Joretta L. Pfothenhauer, age 89, of Bourbonnais passed away Tuesday, June 30, 2020 at AMITA St. Mary's Hospital in Kankakee. She was born April 11, 1931 in Kankakee, the daughter of Louis & Josephine (Durocher) Taylor. She married Eldon Pfothenhauer on January 29, 1950 in Kankakee.

Joretta worked as a bank teller at Kankakee Federal Bank. She enjoyed antiquing and playing cards, especially Bridge. She loved spending time with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Joretta was a member of Our Savior Lutheran Church in Bradley.

Surviving are her husband of 70 years, Eldon Pfothenhauer of Bourbonnais; two sons and one daughter-in-law, Larry Pfothenhauer of Gilman and Jay & Karen Pfothenhauer of Bourbonnais; two grandchildren, Chris Pfothenhauer and Laura Nielsen; and three great-grandchildren, Collin, Avery, and Nora. Joretta is preceded in death by her parents and one brother, Terry Taylor.

Private family graveside services will be held at All Saints Cemetery in Bourbonnais.

Memorials may be made to Our Savior Lutheran Church in Bradley.

Cemetery Details

All Saints Cemetery

1839 W. Route 102
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 933-2342

Tribute Wall

PS

“ I never had a chance to meet Joretta, but Eldon was our insurance man years ago! We are so sorry for your loss! I'm praying God will give you the needed comfort as you all travel together for this part of your journey ! The Ken Schall family

Phyllis Schall - July 04, 2020 at 02:01 PM

DB

“ For Eldon and his family ,
I am so sorry to hear of Joretta's passing. Joretta was a wonderful lady. I remember when you lived next door to us on Pheasant Drive. Joretta and I would often talk and she would frequently come over on Sundays to borrow some of the mint I grew in my yard for her peas with pearl onions. You must have had that on a regular basis because I made sure to have it growing in my yard every year.
DeeDee and Kevin Baker

DeeDee Baker - July 03, 2020 at 02:46 PM



“ Prayers for the family at this sad time.
Mary Thomson (Otten)

Mary Quiroz Thomson - July 02, 2020 at 02:52 PM

PH

“ The Hartley family wants to send our love and condolences. "Grandma Jo" was very special to our family years ago when we lived there. She was so kind to us. I have many good memories of the Pfothenhauers! Paulette Hartley

Paulette Hartley - July 02, 2020 at 01:20 PM

PZ

“ *My condolences to the family. We were neighbors in the 1950s on 7th Avenue.*

Paul Ziemer - July 02, 2020 at 10:01 AM

GP

“ *I am so sorry about Joretta and will keep all of you in my prayers. Thinking of you all. Love Gwen Padwojski*

gwen padwojski - June 30, 2020 at 09:10 PM