



## Leona L. Milone

August 1, 1922 - August 20, 2011

Leona "Lee" Milone, 89, of Bourbonnais, died Saturday (Aug. 20, 2011) at Provena Heritage Village in Kankakee. Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais, where funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Wednesday. Father Charles Wheeler will officiate.

Burial will be in Mound Grove Gardens of Memory, Kankakee. Memorials may be made to St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church or to the National Epilepsy Foundation.

Mrs. Milone was retired from the Roper Corp. She was born Aug. 1, 1922, in Martinton, the daughter of Zephyr and Louise LaFond Deneau. Her husband, Roscoe Milone Jr., whom she married Nov. 28, 1946, at St. Patrick Catholic Church, Kankakee, died Aug. 21, 1991. She was a member of St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church. She was a featured vocalist at Moonlight Gardens Night Club during World War II. She enjoyed music.

Surviving are three sons, Randy Milone and Sandy Engelmann, of Effingham, Brian and Sharon Milone, of Orlando, Fla., and Eric and Sarah Milone, of Kankakee; one daughter, Lisa Milone, of Kankakee; three grandchildren, Christopher and Monica Milone, Timothy Milone, Abby Milone; one great-granddaughter, Audrey Milone; and several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by four brothers, Sylvanies, Leo, Floyd and Clifford Deneau; and four sisters, Rosella Miller, Pauline Clatterbuck, Lillian Clatterbuck and Isabelle Reedy.

# Cemetery Details

## Mound Grove Gardens Cemetery

1000 N. Greenwood  
Kankakee, IL 60901  
(815) 933-6726

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 23.** 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.  
295 Main St., NW  
Bourbonnais, IL 60914  
(815) 932-1214  
cgfuneral@gmail.com

## Funeral Service

**AUG 24.** 11:00 AM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.  
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# Tribute Wall

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“ *Brian and Randy*

*My deepest sympathy to both of you and to your families.*

*Tom Erickson*

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**Tom Erickson** - August 24, 2011 at 03:32 PM

CD

“ *Dear Family of Leona: Everytime I visited with Leona I would laugh and be uplifted by our time together. Leona had such a warm and welcoming presence to all who were in the same room with Leona. I enjoyed my visits with Leona. We would talk about all kinds of different topics. I remember when the Last Supper carving was hung on Leona's wall. Leona would remark on how perfectly it hung, because of how one of the maintenance men took his time with hanging it in Leona's room. Leona was so happy when this hand carved wooden carving was placed on her wall. Leona shared, with me, that this Last Supper came from the Philippines. One of Leona's sons brought it back from the Philippines. There would always be a smile, on Leona's face, each time she looked up at the Last Supper. I will miss my visits with this very sweet, kind and happy lady...*

*May the Good Lord bring the family and friends, of Leona, peace, comfort and healing.*

*Sincerely, Chaplain Carole R. DiZeo From Provena Heritage Village*

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**Chaplain Carole R. DiZeo** - August 23, 2011 at 09:17 AM

LB

“ With sympathy from old time friends of Randy.

*Lawrence & Lynda Burkhalter*

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**Lawrence Burkhalter** - August 23, 2011 at 09:05 AM

HC

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with your entire family. Thinking of you at this sad time.

*The Clymer Family*

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**Helen Clymer** - August 22, 2011 at 06:44 PM

JA

“ Thoughts and prayers to the Milone family. Leona has no more suffering and is back with her sweetheart. I admired Leona's strength. I will cherish the talks we had and the memories she shared with me. Thank you Leona for your kindness and for making me feel like a daughter. I will miss you...love juli altmyer

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**Juli Altmyer** - August 22, 2011 at 04:47 PM

LJ

*Would like to extend my deepest sympathy to all the family at this most difficult time. I knew your mother when she and I both worked at Roper. My mother did ironing for your mother for many years when they lived in Chebanse.. My home where I now live, was purchased from your folks 20+ years ago.*

*Lucille Jarka*

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**Lucille Jarka** - August 22, 2011 at 08:22 PM



*We have received your condolences. You have done enough. Now please leave us alone and don't show up.*

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**Tim** - August 23, 2011 at 02:35 PM