



## Lorraine M. Habedank

June 6, 1931 - February 4, 2018

Lorraine M. Habedank, 86, of Kankakee, passed away Sunday (Feb. 4, 2018) at Miller Healthcare Center in Kankakee.

She was born June 6, 1931, in Bonfield, the daughter of Walter Dau and Hattie Boness. Lorraine married Clarence Habedank on Dec. 10, 1949, at Zion Lutheran Church in Bonfield.

Lorraine was a homemaker and had worked for General Foods Coupon Center.

She enjoyed playing cards (canasta), watching the Bears and Cubs and especially enjoyed being with her family. Christmas was a very special time to her. Lorraine also volunteered at the Riverside Medical Center Gift Shop and was a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church and its Ladies Aid and LWML.

Surviving are one son, Jeff and Genelle Habedank, of Aroma Park; four daughters, Debbie and Gary Kohl, of Herscher, Gail and Bill Simmons, of St. Louis, Mo., Cindy and Jim Martin, of Racine, Wis., and Chris and Jeff Stutz, of Limestone; sister, Ramona Gudgel, of Lockport; 13 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Preceding her in death were her husband (Sept. 22, 2006); parents; three brothers, Eldon, Don and Jerry; and one sister, Marge Dvorak.

Visitation will be from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. on Wednesday at Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home in Kankakee. Funeral services will be at 11:30 a.m.

Wednesday, also at the funeral home, with the Rev. Karl Koeppen officiating.

Burial will be in Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery, Elwood.

Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley.

# Cemetery Details

## Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 Hoff Road  
Elwood, IL 60421

# Previous Events

## Visitation

FEB 7. 9:00 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall

RS

“ *May the Lord give you all of the strength and comfort that is needed at this difficult time. My prayers are with the entire family. Lorraine was truly a saint!*

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**Rick Segert** - February 09, 2018 at 10:35 AM

BB

“ *We are so sorry for the loss of your mother. May she rest in peace. Dennis & Beth Bisailon*

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**Beth Bisailon** - February 06, 2018 at 06:22 PM

CS

“ *We are so very sorry to hear of your Mom's passing. She and your Dad were the very best next door neighbors anyone could ask for. They always had the exact tool I needed, and if that didn't work, your Dad would come over and fix it. Your Mom was such a sweet, kind lady. Always had a recipe to share, along with a sample. Always knew I could count on them if I needed anything. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all at this difficult time. May this beautiful lady rest in peace. Benny & Charlene Dahn Skeldon*

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**Charlene Skeldon** - February 06, 2018 at 05:10 PM

EH

“ *We are so sad to learn of your mother's passing. She was a wonderful person. We loved having her as a member of the family through her marriage to your dad, Clarence. He was my cousin & we enjoyed many good times at the Hasz reunions over the years. Sincerely, Evelyn (Poff) & Obert Hilgendorf*

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**Evelyn Hilgendorf** - February 06, 2018 at 02:04 PM

JS

“ Lorraine and I volunteered at Riverside Gift Shop, such fun to work with her. Her family meant the world to her. My condolences and prayers to all of you.

*Janice Speckman*

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**Janice Speckman** - February 06, 2018 at 01:55 PM

MB

“ Sending Condolences to the Habedank family. So sorry for your loss.

*Mary Kay (DalCanton) Beedle*

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**M.K. Beedle** - February 06, 2018 at 12:28 AM

GW

“ My thoughts and prayers go all in the Habedank family. I can't put into words what Mrs H meant to me. She had an incredibly positive effect on my life, and I won't ever forget her. A life well lived. Rest in peace Mrs. H.

*Gerry Wetmore*

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**Gerry Wetmore** - February 05, 2018 at 09:33 PM

DW

“ Our thought and prayers to the Habedank family.

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**David & Neva Weedon** - February 05, 2018 at 08:50 PM

JH

“ Have fond memories of visiting Kankakee and being with all of our cousins. Loved visiting Uncle Clarence and Aunt Lorraine’s house. They were warm and caring people. Just ashame we live so far apart.

You will all be in my thoughts and prayers Wednesday.

Jerry & Laurie Habedank

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**Jerry Habedank** - February 05, 2018 at 07:45 PM

LK

“ You are in my thoughts and prayers! I have so many wonderful childhood memories from when we would come to visit in the summer! AUnt Lorraine would always go above and beyond to make us feel welcome!

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**Linda Habedank Kerr** - February 05, 2018 at 07:42 PM

JC

“ I am so sorry for your loss. I have very fond memories of Aunt Lorraine when we were visiting from Detroit. May God comfort you during this difficult time.

Joy Cunningham

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**Joy Cunningham** - February 05, 2018 at 06:42 PM

AS

“ The Habedank family has my Deepest Sympathy. My family was so fortunate to have them for neighbors for 12 years while living in Heil Estates. My children had so much fun growing up with the Habedank children. God Bless this lovely family. Ardis Jane Smith-Barsanti.

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**Ardis Jane Smith-Barsanti** - February 05, 2018 at 06:22 PM

CN

“ David - I am very sorry about the death of your Mom. Elizabeth and I will keep you in our prayers here - always remember that because of the death of our dear Savior, we will see your Mom again at the time of the resurrection. Let me know if there is anything I can do.  
Pastor Carl L. Noble

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**Carl L. Noble** - February 05, 2018 at 05:50 PM