



## Mary E. Vining

June 30, 1927 - August 23, 2015

Mary E. Vining, 88, of Bourbonnais, passed away and joined her late husband and the Lord on Aug 23rd after a long battle with Parkinson's. Mary was born June 30, 1927, in Dwight, the daughter of Earl and Mary (nee Kime) Eastman. She was a lifelong resident of Kankakee County, grew up in the EUB Church and while health permitted, she was an active member of St. Mark United Methodist Church serving on boards, and leading the United Methodist Women.

Mary is preceded in death by her husband of 67 years, Lawrence H. and her 3 sisters and 1 brother. She is survived by her two children and their families: daughter, Lana Kay Rood and her husband Gregory of Holly Springs, NC and son Jeffery Lawrence Vining and his wife, Sheri of Des Moines, Iowa.

Grandchildren; Jason Rood (wife, Mary) of Sumter, SC, Dr. Nathaniel Rood (wife, Maria) of Tinley Park, IL, Anna Vining (husband, Brandon Barr) of Los Angeles, CA, and Maggie Miller (husband Bradley) of Waukee, IA. A gathering time for friends and family will be from 10am to 11:00am Friday at Clancy Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. Funeral services and burial will follow at 11AM. Deacon Patrick Skelly (nephew of the deceased) will officiate and interment will be in the Kankakee Memorial Gardens, Aroma Township.

Memorials may be made to St. Mark UMC, Hospice of Kankakee Valley, or the American Parkinson's Disease Association.

# Cemetery Details

## Kankakee Memorial Gardens

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

**AUG 28.** 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

## Funeral Service

**AUG 28.** 11:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall

MA

“ Lana and Jeff,  
I am SO sorry you have lost your Mom, but now she is at peace with Bommer.

Respectfully,  
Mary Rood

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**Mary** - September 24, 2015 at 08:30 AM

JV

“ Dear Lana and family,  
Please accept my sincere condolences on the passing of your mother. She and I were fellow classmates at KHS and fellow members of the youth group at the EUMC on Court Street and Washington Av, WAY BACK. I remember getting reacquainted at the last high school reunion she was able to attend and it was inspiring to think she would attempt it in a wheel chair. I remember her as a quiet but very pleasant young girl. You may remember Laura, who went to school with you at Washington on the south side. Sincerely,  
Jeannine G. Verhoeks, Sun City West, AZ

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**Jeannine G. Verhoeks** - August 27, 2015 at 03:23 PM

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“ We enjoyed the times we shared with Larry and Eleanor. We remember how active they were at St. Mark church. Donna is especially grateful for the friendship Eleanor extended to her and the leadership she gave United Methodist women. Our condolence goes to her family. Floyd and Donna Stradley

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**Floyd & Donna Stradley** - August 27, 2015 at 09:06 AM

JE

“ I am a volunteer for hospice of k3 county & read & visited with mary for quite a long time. We enjoyed our conversations & telling each other about our families & growing up in different areas. she was a grand lady with a good sense of humor & i know will be missed by all!

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**jackie eberle** - August 26, 2015 at 06:51 PM