



Priscilla Essington

May 31, 1920 - September 3, 2008

Visitation for Priscilla "Cookie" Essington, 88, a longtime Kankakee resident, will be from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Sunday at the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, west Kankakee, where services will be held at 10 a.m. Monday. Burial will be in Kankakee Memorial Gardens, Aroma Township. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley. She died Wednesday (Sept. 3, 2008) at the Merkle-Knipprath Catholic Home in Clifton. Mrs. Essington retired from Woolworth's in 1980, where she had worked the lunch counter for 17 years. She was born May 31, 1920, in St. Anne, the daughter of Henry and Genevieve LaReau Landrey. Her husband, Eldon Dale Essington, whom she married Nov. 6, 1946, in Kankakee, died June 18, 1996. She loved playing cards and dancing and listening to Polka music. Surviving are two sons and daughters-in-law, Dale and Mary Essington of Clifton, Roger and Judy Ponton of Dewey; one daughter and son-in-law, Caroline and Ronald Stutz of Littleton, Colo.; seven grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren; one sister, Roselie Noramczyk; and two brothers and one sister-in-law, Patrick and Marcella Landrey of Kankakee, and Louis Landrey of Orlando, Fla. Deceased are one grandson, Randy Ponton; and three sisters, Anna Lee Haremski, Viola Essington and Loretta Elsea.

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