



Helen Jannette Lawton

March 2, 1916 - July 1, 2014

Helen J Lawton age 98 of Dixon died Tuesday July 1, 2014 at Heritage Square Health Center in Dixon. She was born March 2, 1916 in Dixon, IL the daughter of Earl and Maud (Teachout) Kennedy. She was a graduate of Dixon High School and the University of Illinois.

Helen was a school teacher, teaching in Mendota, Dixon, and Lee Center Schools.

She was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Dixon, DAR, Eastern Star and was an active genealogist. She volunteered at the Ronald Reagan Boyhood Home and as a Pink Lady at KSB Hospital.

She married George Frederick Lawton August 10, 1941. He preceded her in death in October 27, 1964.

She is survived by one son Richard (Susan) Lawton of Sterling, 2 grandsons, Michael (Tracey) Lawton of Dixon and Bradley (Heidi) Lawton of Morris, 4 great grandchildren, Kathryn, Ryan, Matthew and Natalie Lawton. She is also survived by several nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by one brother Robert Kennedy.

Funeral services will be held on Monday July 7, 2014 at 11:00 AM at the First United Methodist Church in Dixon with the Rev. Heewon Kim officiating. Burial will follow in Palmyra Cemetery. Visitation will be on Monday from 10:00 to 11:00 AM in the Church. A memorial has been established to Heritage Square.

Cemetery Details

Sugar Grove

352 Timbercreek Rd
Dixon, IL 61021

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 7. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First United Methodist Church
202 S Peoria Ave
Dixon, IL 61021

Service

JUL 7. 11:00 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Helen Jannette Lawton*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Helen Jannette Lawton*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *Rich, Susan, Mike and Brad,*

I was saddened to learn of Helen's passing. Rich, you and I go way back to my sports writer days. It was my privilege to get to know you and Sue, and watch your sons grow up. Please accept my sincerest condolences on the passing of your mother. And please accept my warmest regards to you and your family. Sincerely, Rabbi David (Abie) Abrahams, Congregation Etz Chaim, Fairport NY.

Rabbi David Abrahams - July 07, 2014 at 11:55 AM



“ *The Lohses (Dan, Maria, Jack, Ryan) purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Helen Jannette Lawton.*



The Lohses (Dan, Maria, Jack, Ryan) - July 02, 2014 at 10:06 PM