



Loyola Koehler

April 12, 1915 - December 11, 2010

Loyola M Koehler age 95 of Dixon died Saturday Dec. 11, 2010 at Heritage Square Health Center in Dixon. She was born April 12, 1915 in Marion Twp. Lee County the daughter of Theodore and Marea (McKune) Fitzpatrick. She had been a bookkeeper at Lawtons Dairy, Blackhawk Photomount, Kleins Dept. Store and Dixon Co-Op prior to her retirement. Loyola was a devout, compassionate, loving faith-filled woman who quietly gave endless hours of service to St. Patrick's and St. Flannen's Catholic Churches and to her community. At St. Patrick's she served as a Eucharistic Minister. Loyola also served on the Ministry of Compassion visiting and bringing the Holy Eucharist to those in the hospital, nursing home, and to the shut-ins. She was an active participant in the Catholic Women's Club. Loyola was an avid Bridge player and enjoyed the strategies involved in winning a good hand. She was a resident of Heritage Square for 9 years. Prior to becoming a resident of Heritage Square she was a volunteer there. Loyola epitomized the goodness and virtue found in a true Christian woman. Loyola truly lived her faith each and every day. She married Albert G Koehler April 13, 1940 at St. Flannen Catholic Church in Harmon. He preceded her in death May 6, 2000. She was also preceded in death by a son David Koehler and sisters Mildred Bauer and Regina Jensen. She is survived by a son Robert (Sandra) Koehler of Grayslake, IL , daughter Kathleen (Frank) Manderscheid of Naperville, daughter in law Donna Koehler of Ypsilanti, MI, 8 grand children Theodore, Kurt, Krista Koehler, Michael, Christina and William Koehler, Sarah (Chris)

Irwin and Jeffrey Manderscheid, 2 great grand children Aidan and Hayley Irwin. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday Dec. 15, 2010 beginning with a 10:00 AM prayer services in the Jones Funeral Home followed by a 10:30 AM Mass of Christian Burial at St. Patrick Catholic Church with the Rev. James Keenan pastor officiating. Burial will follow in Oakwood Cemetery in Dixon. Visitation will be on Tuesday from 4:00 to 8:00 PM in the funeral home with the Rosary at 7:30 PM A memorial has been established to Heritage Square

Tribute Wall



“ *Loyola Koehler*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Loyola Koehler*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *What a truly great and wonderful lady. She and her cheerful smile will be truly missed.*

Pat & Nancy Ward - December 11, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Loyola will be greatly missed! It was a blessing from God to have been able to meet her. I will always remember how she wanted me to take her to Harmon when I would leave work. My thoughts and prayers are with you all during this time.*

Sheryll Roberts - December 11, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Loyola was a sweet woman who was good to us when we were children growing up next door to her.*

You are in my thoughts and prayers in your time of loss.

Tammy Thayer - December 11, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ *What wonderful memories I have of Aunt Loyola coming out to the farm with Aunt Alice to care for my mom, Mary (Payne) Gascoigne many years ago. Thank you for sharing her with us during those difficult years. Her kindness, compassion and patience will never be forgotten. She was truly a blessing. Take care.*

Denise Gascoigne - December 11, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Dear Donna and the Koehler family,
When my Christmas greeting to Donna returned without a forwarding address, I googled Donna's name and came across the notice of Loyola's death. My deepest condolences to the whole family. Loss of a loved one at any age is difficult. Thank goodness we can have fond memories to share with family. Will keep you all in my prayers.
Wishing blessings for all in 2011.
Sue Murvich*

Sue Murvich - December 11, 2010 at 12:00 AM