



Mary Lodean Lauffer

October 11, 1922 - July 25, 2012

Mary Lodean Lauffer, age 89, a resident of Winfield, Kansas and formerly of Moline, Kansas passed away Wednesday, July 25, 2012 at the Winfield Rest Haven Nursing Home. She was born on October 11, 1922 in Cloverdale, Kansas the daughter of Oscar and Sarah Elizabeth (Dorsey) Miller.

On June 18, 1942 Lodean was united in marriage to Francis Eugene "Gene" Lauffer in El Dorado, Kansas. Besides being a homemaker, Lodean worked at Brogans Café, Horns Grocery Store, Curly Q, Sale Barn Café and also sold Avon. She was a member of the Moline United Methodist Church, Women's Auxiliary in Grenola, EHU and the Friendly Neighbors Club in Elk County. Lodean enjoyed bowling, gardening and tending to her flowers especially her irises.

Lodean is survived by two sons; Fred Lauffer and his wife Arleen of Winfield, Kansas and Marvin Lauffer of West Virginia, three daughters; Sheryl Dunbar and her husband David of Girard, Kansas, Pam Feaster and her husband Jim of Winfield, Kansas and Deanna Burns of Winfield, Kansas, two sisters; Rosie Gray of Howard, Kansas and Ellen Curtis of Leesburg, Florida, two brothers; Dwayne Miller of Sterling, Kansas and Charlie Miller of Winfield, Kansas, seventeen grandchildren and numerous great and great-great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Gene Lauffer, one brother Johnnie Miller, one sister Lola King and one granddaughter Sylvia.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Monday, July 30, 2012 at the Countryside-Zimmerman Funeral Home in Howard, Kansas. Visitation will be one hour prior to service at the funeral home. Interment will be at Greenlawn Cemetery in Grenola, Kansas. Family suggests contributions be made to the Winfield Rest Haven Nursing Home and may be left with the funeral home. Online condolences may be left for the family at www.countrysidefh.com. Arrangements are under the direction of Countryside - Zimmerman Funeral Home in Howard, Kansas.

Cemetery Details

Greenlawn Cemetery

Grenola, KS 67346

Previous Events

Service

JUL 30. 11:00 AM (CT)

Countryside Funeral Home - Howard
206 E. Washington
P.O. Box 1233
Howard, KS 67349
(620) 374-2381

Tribute Wall



“ *Deanna,
I am sorry I was unable to be by your side during this time. I can't even begin to name the memories with your family that are so precious to me. I love you like a sister and know your pain in losing Mom. I love you and will see you soon. god bless all of you guys .
Juania Espinoza and family*

Juania Espinoza - July 30, 2012 at 03:03 PM

“ *Deanna and family,*

So sorry to hear of the loss of your mom. It is hard to lose a mom at any time. My thoughts and prayers are with you and all your family.

Scotty and Ruth Zollars

Scotty and Ruth Zollars - July 27, 2012 at 06:50 PM

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“ I am sorry to hear of Lodean's passing, I have fond memories of being out to the farm house in Grenola, and eating some mighty good cooking while out there. I remember one time we were out there and she had made homemade donuts, my Mom and brother was also out there at that time, and I don't know how many donuts Jim ate, but it was a bunch and Mom got on to him for eating so many, on the way back to town he got sick from eating so much!!! Everything that she cooked was homemade. I also remember that there was always a big container of syrup, butter and peanut butter mixed up and sitting in the middle of the table. My Grandkids love that mixture on French toast and pancakes, and I think of her everytime that I make it.

God Bless You All

Beth Moore

Beth Moore - July 26, 2012 at 02:33 PM