



Mary Lou Elmhorst

December 16, 1930 - April 30, 2021

Mary Lou Elmhorst, age 90, of Herscher, passed away Friday, April 30, 2021 at Prairieview Lutheran Home, Danforth. She was born December 16, 1930 in Buckingham, the daughter of Charles and Vyetta (Urbain) Hurst. Mary Lou married Merlin Elmhorst on January 16, 1949 at Trinity Lutheran Church, Herscher.

Surviving are four daughters and three sons-in-law, Cathy (Kevin) Smith of North Charleston, SC, Connie Citro of Nokomis, FL, Cheryl (Jerry) Brutlag of Buckingham, and Carol (Randy) Kruse of Southern Pines, NC; one half-sister, Claudia Jackson of Ellettsville, IN; eleven grandchildren and twenty great-grandchildren.

Mary Lou was preceded in death by her husband, Merlin; her parents; and one son-in-law, Lou Citro.

Visitation will be held on Wednesday, May 5, 2021 from 10:00 a.m. until the 11:00 a.m. Funeral Service at Trinity Lutheran Church, Herscher. Burial will follow at the Trinity Lutheran Cemetery, Herscher.

Please wear a face mask and follow social distancing guidelines.

Memorials may be made to Prairieview Lutheran Home, Danforth; Harvest View Assisted Living, Herscher; or Trinity Lutheran Church, Herscher.

Cemetery Details

Trinity Lutheran Cemetery

Herscher, IL 60941

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 5. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Trinity Lutheran Church
255 E. Third
Herscher, IL 60941
(815) 426-2262

Funeral Service

MAY 5. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mary Lou Elmhorst*

February 03, 2023 at 04:30 AM

KA

“ *KathyLott lit a candle in memory of Mary Lou Elmhorst*



KathyLott - May 10, 2021 at 04:11 AM

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My deepest sympathy

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KathyLott - May 10, 2021 at 04:12 AM

DW

“ *To all of Mary Lou's family, so sorry for the loss of your mom. She was quite a lady! So nice and always looked so pretty. With our sympathy, Donna & Merlyn Witheft*

Donna & Merlyn Witheft - May 07, 2021 at 01:23 PM

VR

“ *I'm very sorry to hear that she passed away. I really enjoyed being her pen pal in 3rd grade that was 2 years ago and I'm sending lots of prayers to your family. Love Lexxy Reardanz*

V. Reardanz - May 05, 2021 at 05:03 PM

DW

“ *Cathy, Connie, Cheryl, Carol & Families: Remembering your wonderful mother and wishing you comfort during this difficult time. Sending love, hugs and prayers to all. Dianne & Mike Williams*



Dianne & Mike Williams - May 04, 2021 at 11:10 PM

RC

“ Connie, Carol and Cheryl: Always remember your Mom's smiling face and the wonderful, smiley faces of her daughters, Although as a former teacher there was usually a reason for those smiles!! Your secrets are safe with me, You were blessed with many years with your Mom and I hope you get to enjoy many more with each other> Bob Cotter

Robert Cotter - May 04, 2021 at 01:24 PM

JM

“ Such a lovely lady. I didn't know her well, but felt her warmth whenever I talked to her. Her and her husband raised 4 of the nicest girls. They have my sympathy

Jacqueline Morrival - May 04, 2021 at 11:35 AM

JC

“ Connie, Kathy and I send all our love and prayers.

Jim Citro - May 03, 2021 at 11:39 AM