



Helen J. Brouch

June 18, 1933 - November 26, 2013

Helen J. Brouch, 80, of Aurora, passed away Tuesday, November 26, 2013 at her home surrounded by her loving family. She was born June 18, 1933 in Joliet, Illinois.

Helen was raised in the Joliet area and married her husband, Richard, in 1957. They moved to the Aurora area where Helen was employed as a Registered Nurse at St. Charles Hospital for many years. She also worked for Elmwood Nursing Center and McAuley (Mercy) Manor until her retirement in 1996. Following her retirement from nursing, Helen enjoyed working for many years at Ace Hardware on Lake Street. She also enjoyed spending time with her family.

Survivors include her loving husband of 56 years, Richard J. Brouch; five daughters: Linda (Mike) Christie of Aurora, Jane (Robert) Pauls of Sugar Grove, Debbie (Christopher) Kottkamp of North Aurora, Carol (Mark) Lee of St. Louis, MO and Mary (Patrick) Huff of Aurora; her son, Paul Brouch of Aurora; sixteen grandchildren; three brothers, Paul (Pat) Merriman of Joliet, Dr. Robert Merriman of Texas and Raymond Merriman of Glendale, AZ; her sister, Ann (Robert) Mandel of Naperville; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents, Edward and Marie (Kinn) Merriman; her brother, Edward; two sisters, Marie Freis and Coletta Riffel; and

her granddaughter, Monica Pauls.

Funeral services will be held Saturday, November 30, 2013 from THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY at 11:30 AM to St. Joseph Church at 12:00 PM. Fr. Jerome Leake will officiate. Interment will be private. Visitation will be held Friday, November 29, 2013 from 3:00 PM until 8:00 PM, with a Liturgical Wake service at 4:00 PM, at THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY, 220 N. Lake St., Aurora. 630-631-5500. Please visit our interactive website at www.daleidenmortuary.com to leave condolences for Helen's family or sign the guest book.

Cemetery Details

Private

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **29**. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Daleiden Mortuary
220 N. Lake Street
Aurora, IL 60506
(630) 631-5500
daleidenmortuary@gmail.com
<https://www.daleidenmortuary.com>

Funeral Mass

NOV **30**. 12:00 PM (CT)

St. Joseph Church
722 High Street
Aurora, IL 60505
1-630-844-7380

Tribute Wall



“ Daleiden Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Helen J. Brouch



Daleiden Mortuary - November 27, 2013 at 04:59 PM

GB

“ Georgia Regents ROTC Jaguar Battalion purchased the Serene Green™ Bouquet For Sympathy for the family of Helen J. Brouch.



Georgia Regents ROTC Jaguar Battalion - November 28, 2013 at 10:17 AM

PL

“ Pat Lee lit a candle in memory of Helen J. Brouch



Pat lee - November 28, 2013 at 09:35 AM

GB

“ *Helen brought love, laughter and goodness to our family. She will be with us always in spirit and our memories.*



Ginny Brouch - November 28, 2013 at 06:43 AM

KA

“ *Kathy purchased the Roses For Sympathy for the family of Helen J. Brouch.*



Kathy - November 27, 2013 at 11:45 PM

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“ *To my cousins, their families and Uncle Rich, I am very sad for Aunt Helen's passing and for your loss. She was always full of laughs when she was here in town. I kept up as best as possible through my mom during her challenges with cancer. When I told my daughter, she reminisced about the beanie baby days and how the two of them would plot the next purchases....
Many prayers and reiki sent your way, with much love from miles away, Kathy (Benjamin) Rickard, Megan, Ryan, Cameron.....*

Kathy Rickard - November 27, 2013 at 11:26 PM