



Helen M. Christensen

August 11, 1924 - December 27, 2014

Helen M. Kline-Christensen, of Aurora, passed away Saturday evening, December 27, 2014 at Countryside Nursing Center.

Helen was a person that cared about others and who, in later life, enjoyed doing various types of crafts. Many of her projects, as well as her time and energy, were donated to help others.

She was born Helen James on August 11, 1924 in Sugar Grove, IL and moved with her family as a child to Aurora. Helen married William Kline on June 30, 1945, while Bill was serving in the U.S. Navy in Oakland, CA. Upon Bill's discharge from the U.S. Navy, they moved back to Aurora where they bought a home and raised their two sons. While the boys were in school, Helen worked part-time in the offices of several Aurora businesses. She and Bill retired to Paw Paw, IL where she was a faithful volunteer at the Senior Center in Paw Paw. After Bill's death in 1991, Helen moved back to Aurora and married Bob Christensen in April of 1993.

Survivors include her two sons, David (Laura Taub) Kline of Richmond, CA and Michael (Mary) Kline of Aurora; four grandchildren: Melissa (Vernon) White of Reno, NV, Daniel (Zita) Kline of South San Francisco, CA, Lt. Terrence (Melissa) Kline of Virginia Beach, VA and Alan Kline of Oakland, CA; and five great grandchildren: Isaiah and Micah White, Lillian and Zachary

Kline, and Madelyn Kline.

She was preceded in death by her husband, William Kline; her second husband, Bob Christensen; her parents, Richard V. and Helen H. James; her brother, Richard (Carolyn) James; and her sister, Dorothy (James) Schierbaum.

Funeral services will be held Monday, January 5, 2015 at 10:00 AM at THE DALEIDEN MORTUARY. Interment will follow in Lincoln Memorial Park. Visitation will be held Sunday, January 4, 2015 from 4:00 PM – 8:00 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

Lincoln Memorial Park

675 Route 30
Aurora, IL 60503

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 4. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Daleiden Mortuary
220 N. Lake Street
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Funeral Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Our sincere condolences. Helen was beautiful inside and out. We will forever cherish our time with her ~ her great sense of humor, her smile (oh, that wonderful smile!), and always her love of life.*
Jerry & Pam Wade

Jerry & Pam Wade - December 30, 2014 at 11:36 AM