



Nancy Irene Akin

June 12, 1923 - December 2, 2021

Nancy Akin, 98, of Spirit Lake passed away Thursday, December 2, 2021, at Lakes Regional Hospital in Spirit Lake.

Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. Monday, December 6, 2021, at the Schuchert-Lentz Funeral Home in Spirit Lake. Visitation will be one hour prior to the service on Monday at the funeral home. Burial will be in the Evergreen Cemetery in Emmetsburg.

Nancy Irene Akin was born June 12, 1923, to Nels and Winnie (Seybold) Johnson in Claire, Iowa. On December 5, 1939, Nancy married Robert Akin in Newell, Iowa. Nancy worked as a certified machinist at Sun Home, a licensed nurse's aide, bookkeeper for Akin's Corner for 28 years, and worked for Upper Des Moines Opportunity. After retirement Nancy volunteered at Upper Des Moines Opportunity. In her spare time Nancy enjoyed cooking, gardening, and traveling. She loved to travel the west coast especially visiting Oregon and L.A.

Nancy is preceded in death by her parents; husband Robert; son Alvin; granddaughter Sandra Kay Motto; grandson Robert Karl Akin; great grandson Matthew Barr, siblings Evelyn, Ruby, Winifred, Betty, Marge, Wallie, Leona and Ethyl. Left to cherish her memory are her daughters Roberta Motto (Jeff Schumway) of Mankato, MN and Linda (Jerry) Henderson of Fort Dodge; sons William Akin of Spencer, John (Kathee) of Sibley, Stan Akin of Des Moines, and Steven Akin of Storm Lake. Her grandchildren and great grandchildren, siblings Carl Sullivan and Louis Rusk.

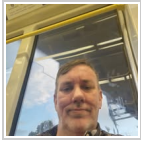
Previous Events

Graveside Service

DEC 6. 12:30 PM - 12:45 PM (CT)

Evergreen Cemetery
Emmetsburg, IA 50536

Tribute Wall



“ *Jeff Shumway lit a candle in memory of Nancy Irene Akin*



Jeff Shumway - December 04, 2021 at 06:16 PM



“ *Teresa And Leon Hanson lit a candle in memory of Nancy Irene Akin*



Teresa and Leon Hanson - December 04, 2021 at 05:21 PM



“ *Hugs coming to the family ! She was a very nice lady !!*

LaDonna Barr

LaDonna Barr - December 04, 2021 at 12:30 PM



“ *My thoughts and prayers to the family of Nancy Akin. I worked at Keelson Harbor from 2009-2014. That's where I met Nancy. I would visit her often and do jigsaw puzzles with her. She truly loved her family as she told me many times. She will be missed but will be always in our hearts!*

Sue Crosgrove - December 04, 2021 at 06:25 AM

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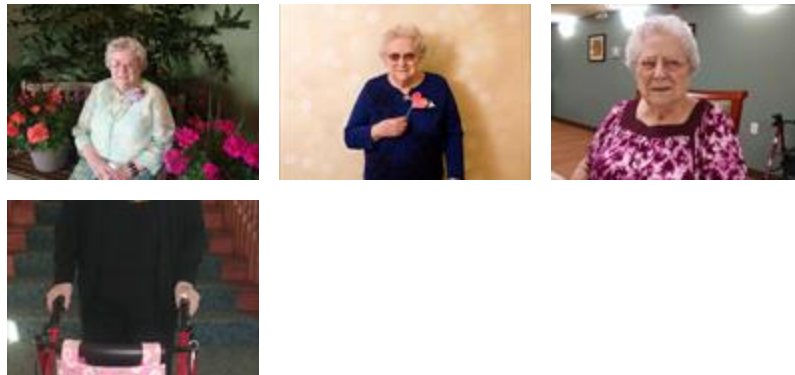
“ Alison I know you have wonderful memories of your grandmother, keep those in your heart as you navigate this tough time. I'll be thinking of you and your family and I'm here if you need me. Stay strong.

Love Jeanette

Jeanette Richardson - December 03, 2021 at 05:12 PM



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Laurie Mattson Carnine - December 03, 2021 at 02:47 PM

DA

We both will always cherish our special time with Nancy (your mama and gma) She was a very attractive gal, lol LOL!! She has lived a long joyous life ,right! HUGS DON & Norma Andresen

Don and Norma Andresen - December 05, 2021 at 10:02 PM