



## Dorothy M. McTrusty

August 16, 1927 - November 7, 2016

Dorothy M. McTrusty, 89, of Fond du Lac, died Monday, November 7, 2016, at St. Agnes Hospital. She was born on August 16, 1927, in Eden, a daughter of Clarence and Adela Iding Bechler. She was baptized, attended rural schools, and was confirmed on April 6, 1941, at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Town of Forest. She was a 1945 graduate of Winnebago Lutheran Academy. Before her marriage, she worked at the Fond du Lac Clinic and attended Oshkosh State Teacher's College. On January 29, 1949, she married Ambrose A. McTrusty, at her parent's home in Van Dyne by Pastor Gerhard Pieper. She became a member of St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church in 1954. Dorothy spent her life as a homemaker, caring for her family. She served her church in many ways, and had a special interest in missions. She was a member of St. Paul's Ladies Aid, Winnebago Lutheran Academy Auxiliary, and Lutheran Women's Missionary Society. She is survived by her husband of 67 years, Ambrose McTrusty; four children: Catherine (David) Mensch of Charlesburg, Timothy McTrusty of Panama City Beach, Florida, Margaret (David) Perkins of Eldorado, and William (Meri) McTrusty of Oshkosh; eight grandchildren: Kristine Maurer, Kerry Kollmann, Amy Schatschneider, Andrew Perkins, Sarah Brown, Chesley McTrusty, Jessie Skaer, and Megan McTrusty; two step-grandchildren: Jason Mensch and Adam Mensch; 14 great-grandchildren; four step-great-grandchildren; and three siblings: Ruthe (Gerald) Pautz of West Palm Beach, Florida, Darlene Tasch of Fond du Lac, and Donald (Beverly) Bechler of Van Dyne. She was preceded in death by her parents; a daughter-

in-law, Carol McTrusty; three brothers-in-law: Duane Tasch, Henry McTrusty, and Arno McTrusty; and two sisters-in-law: Ethelyn Eickner and Murial McTrusty. VISITATION: The visitation will be from 11:00 – 1:00 p.m. on Monday, November 14, 2016, at St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church, 1010 Adams Avenue, North Fond du Lac. SERVICE: The funeral service will be held at 1:00 p.m. on Monday at St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church with Rev. Thomas Behnke and Rev. Michael Kampman officiating. Burial will follow in Estabrooks Cemetery. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be directed to St. Paul's Building Fund and Winnebago Lutheran Academy.

# Tribute Wall

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“ My sympathy goes out to the whole family. I'm sorry for your loss, but so happy for Dorothy! She was a delightful lady, and always so kind. Even as recently as the last couple of years, when I was in the area and would attend St. Paul's church, she would greet me and said that she remembered me. I have not seen any of the "kids" in years, but I knew Peggy the best, from when we were students at WLA and she and my sister were friends. I'll be praying for comfort for all of you, and I pray also that "Dad McTrusty" is doing well and that God will give him strength.

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**PATTY JAHNS** - November 13, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“ I am so sorry for you and your families loss. I will be praying for you all. Jackie Jones

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**Jackie Jones** - November 10, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ His Love and ours.....Jerry and Ruthe Pautz

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November 10, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers go out to Dorothy's entire family. She was such a very kind lady. My brother Kurt and I went to St. Paul's gradeschool with all of the McTrusty "kids". We had such a great time, and also remember Dorothy as a 4-H leader as well. I will keep you all in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless Karen (Urban) Martin Fond du Lac, WI

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November 10, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ Praying for your family with great love. *Patti Brown. (Sarah's Mother-in-law)*

November 09, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ My Deepest Sympathy, *Peggy and Dave.*

**Pat Abbs** - November 09, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ Our thoughts and prayers to the *McTrusty* family. She was an amazing women who touched so many lives. It was an honor to know her.

**Tim and Linda Henke** - November 09, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ My thoughts and prayers are with your family during this time. *Dorothy was a wonderful, kind lady. God Bless Nancy Hamilton Dorsey*

**Nancy Dorsey** - November 09, 2016 at 12:00 AM