



Leonora S. Denker

October 17, 1906 - March 24, 2011

Leonora S. Denker, 104, formerly of Mary Hill Park, Fond du Lac, died Thursday, March 24, 2011, in Lakeland, Florida, where she had been a resident since 1970. She was born on October 17, 1906, in Fond du Lac, a daughter of the late Edward C. and Minnie Rautman Damrow. On April 23, 1927, she married Glenn A. Denker at St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church, Fond du Lac. Leonora was a clerk and bookkeeper for Damrow Bros. Company for over 13 years. She was a lifetime member of St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church and the Gleaner's Society of Fond du Lac. She had an associate membership with St. Paul Lutheran Church and Christ Lutheran Church, both in Lakeland, Florida. She had a strong Christian faith her entire life. She is survived by a daughter, Cecilia (Arthur) Stamm of Conroe, Texas and Mt. Morris, Wisconsin; a son, Stanley Denker of New Richmond, Wisconsin; ten grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; seven great-great-grandchildren; nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Glenn on January 11, 1987; a daughter, Janet Kaufmann on June 9, 1999; a daughter-in-law, Carole Fenner Denker; twin great-granddaughters; two sisters: Doris Damrow Schlei, and Nelda Damrow Curry; and one brother, Eugene Damrow. Memorial services will be held at Lakeland, Florida, at Christ Lutheran Church on April 14, 2011, and a Celebration of Life with close family will be held in August 2011, at Mt. Morris, Wisconsin. Burial will be in Estabrooks Cemetery, Fond du Lac. Memorials may be directed to St. Peter's Ev. Lutheran Church or Winnebago Lutheran Academy.

Tribute Wall

KK

“ Ken and I will miss Leonora very much. Even though we didn't get to see her often, she was always in our hearts. She had such a great sense of humor and she taught me a lot about life every time I was with her through the years. She was a shining example of a woman with a strong faith and how to share that faith with others. Our sincere condolences.

Ken & Fran Knutson - April 28, 2011 at 06:02 PM

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Ken & Fran Knutson of Leesburg,Florida - April 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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Gladys Dittmer - April 16, 2011 at 11:19 AM

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Gladys Dittmer of Orlando, FL - April 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MM

“ I am blessed to have known Auntie Leonora. Sister, to my middle name, Nelda, my God mother, Doris, her daughter. She has always had a smile and kind word for everyone. If I can not make the memorial services, I will be there in spirit.

Marianne (Rohde) Mueller - April 09, 2011 at 04:50 PM

CS

“ A very dear friend who will be truely missed.

Charles & Deanna Simmons - April 09, 2011 at 12:11 PM

CM

“ My sympathy goes out to the rest of our family, but we celebrate her dedication to our Lord and Savior, in the study and sharing of God's Word.

Christine Schlei Mansell - March 30, 2011 at 01:00 PM