



Ruth I. Altmann

August 7, 1927 - September 16, 2016

Ruth Ida Altmann, 89, passed away on Friday, September 16, 2016, at the Fond du Lac Lutheran Home, with her family at her side. She was born on August 7, 1927, in Rubicon, Wisconsin, a daughter of Edward and Emma Lemke Radschlag. Ruth was a 1945 graduate of Rufus King High School, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. On October 30, 1948, she married Eldor F. Altmann. In 1956, they moved to a farm in Rogersville and the family farmed there for 30 years. Ruth was a member of St. Stephen's Lutheran Church, Rogersville where she helped gather clothes and packed layettes for Lutheran World Relief. She enjoyed working on this project for over 19 years. Ruth also enjoyed making quilts for Lutheran World Relief with a group of people from church. She taught Sunday school and Confirmation classes. Ruth liked cats, butterflies, gardening, plants, flowers, angels, and visiting with family and friends. She is survived by her four children: Karen (Dennis) Oskola of Ripon, Jim Altmann of Fond du Lac, Ron (Sarah) Altmann of Elkhorn, and Jan (Bob) Simon of Johnsburg; five grandchildren: Blake, Samantha, Melissa, and Bryce Simon, and Paige Oliver; and a brother, Ben Radschlag of Rubicon. She was preceded in death by her parents; an infant son, Thomas; two sisters: Norma Radschlag and Ellie Thiel; a brother-in-law, Bill Thiel; a sister-in-law, Margie Radschlag; and her cousin Marge Wardius who was a very dear friend of hers. A private family memorial service will be held at a later date. In lieu of flowers, memorials to St. Stephen's Lutheran Church, Rogersville are appreciated. The family wishes to thank Rev. Kimberly Stowell, the staff at the

Fond du Lac Lutheran Home, and Agnesian Hospice, Fond du Lac, for the compassionate care that was given to Ruth.

Tribute Wall



“ Dear Karen, Jim, Ron and Jan, I was so sorry to hear about your mom. I have so many fond memories of hanging out at the farm and then her house in FDL. She put up with Jan and I during our teenage years, which had to be a lot of fun for her. My family is thinking of your family during this very difficult time. Sincerely, Julie Bonderud (Martynski)

September 23, 2016 at 12:00 AM



“ Dear Karen, Jimmy, Ron and Jan, You have all of my sympathy. Your Mom was a wonderful lady and I will ever be grateful how kind and helpful she was to my Mom. She treasured her friendship. Chris Wustrack Carrollo

September 22, 2016 at 12:00 AM