



Mary "Katie" Kathleen DeJager

April 6, 1928 - October 15, 2018

Mary Kathleen "Katie" DeJager, 90, of Sarasota, FL, formerly of Bettendorf, IA, died October 15, 2018, at the Genesis Springwood Center in Sarasota, FL. She was born April 6, 1928, in LeMars, IA, daughter of Vern and Molly Keough. Mrs. DeJager spent most of her school years in the LeMars public school system, but graduated her senior year at Waterloo High School, Waterloo, IA.

Katie was united in marriage to Donald Lee DeJager on August 28, 1948, in Waterloo, IA. Mrs. DeJager is survived by: a daughter Debbie (Gene) Knapp of Keokuk, IA; two granddaughters, Ashley (Travis) Knapp-Brandenberger and Alexis Knapp, both of Keokuk; one great granddaughter, Everly Knapp-Brandenberger of Keokuk; one brother-in-law, Merle Aller of Jupiter, FL; many nieces, nephews, and great nieces and great nephews.

She was a member of the Catholic Church. She enjoyed cooking, baking, and entertaining for friends and relatives. Mrs. DeJager was an avid reader. She also enjoyed traveling, boating, and living on or near water--the Mississippi River, Clear Lake in IA, or the Florida Gulf. Katie was preceded in death by her parents; her husband; daughter, Beckie DeJager; three brothers, Richard, Clyde, Randy Keough; two sisters. Pat Tippery and Dorothy Aller.

A burial will be scheduled at a later date at the Davenport Memorial Park in Davenport, IA. Arrangements are under the direction of Gendron Funeral & Cremation Services located at 135 N. Lime Ave., Sarasota, FL 34237 941-365-1767 www.gendronfuneralhome.com

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary "Katie" Kathleen DeJager*

October 09, 2023 at 02:01 AM



“ *Mary "Katie" Kathleen DeJager*

January 28, 2023 at 12:09 PM