



Dorothy A. Hansen

November 17, 1934 - July 13, 2019

Dorothy A. Hansen, (Wife of James Hansen), of Darwin, died Saturday, July 13, 2019, at the Augustana Lakeside Health Care Center of Dassel. A Mass of Christian Burial will take place on Friday, July 19, 2019, at 11:00 a.m. at St. John's Catholic Church in Darwin. There will be a rosary at 10:30 a.m. at St. John's Catholic Church in Darwin.

There will be a visitation on Thursday evening from 4:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. with a parish prayer at 7:30 p.m. at the Johnson Funeral Home in Dassel.

Memorial suggestions: St Philip's School, Litchfield; St John's Catholic Church, Darwin; Darwin Community Legacy Foundation.

In lieu of sending thank you notes the family will make a donation for Cancer research.

Dorothy Ann (McIntee) Hansen of Darwin died Saturday July 13, 2019, at Lakeside Health Care Center, Dassel. She was born November 17, 1934 in Waterloo Iowa. Daughter of Patrick James and Mildred (Stewart) McIntee; she was baptized, received First Communion and was Confirmed at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Waterloo. She attended Sacred Heart Catholic School and Clarke College.

Dorothy was united in Holy Matrimony to James A. Hansen, from Darwin MN, at Sacred Heart Catholic Church in Waterloo IA, August 30, 1958. Dorothy and Jim owned and operated Hansen Hardware in Darwin, retiring in 1981. They were blessed with 8 children, 16 grandchildren, and 2 great-grandchildren with more on the way...

Dorothy was always interested in learning. She participated in many activities including but not limited to: St John's CCW and the Daughters of Isabella, Darwin Community Club, Darwin Town and Country Club. She enjoyed playing cards, partnering in several card clubs and bridge groups. She was an election judge for many years in Darwin, active with 4H, Meeker County Tourism, Hospital Auxiliary, and the Twine Ball committee. She enjoyed reading and writing, participating in the Litchfield Area Writers group, book clubs,

and writing the Darwin news for the Independent Review. Jim and Dorothy enjoyed traveling and camping, attending many annual Knights of Columbus Camporees; family and friends were important. They spent several winters in Florida and Arizona. Dorothy was active at St John's Catholic church. Living out and passing on her Catholic faith was very important to her.

She is preceded in death by her husband Jim in 2001; her parents, her sisters Margaret Marcks and Kathryn Peros, her brothers, John, James, and William. Her infant grandson Jon Kurtis Mortenson.

She is survived by her children Patrick (Mary) Hansen, Colleen (Bruce) Bonniwell, Christopher Hansen, Deacon John (Ruthann) Hansen, Mary (Kurtis) Mortenson, David Hansen, Catherine (Dana) Elliott, Michael (Kristen) Hansen.

Her Grandchildren Shawn Hansen, Rosanne Hansen, Rebecca (Nathan) Foresman, Jessica (Eduardo) Rosales, Philip Hansen, Margo Hansen; Joseph (Jennifer) Bonniwell, Bianca Bonniwell; Stephen (Melissa) Hansen, Nathan Hansen, Grant Hansen; Kristina (Kellen) Ryan, Daniel Mortenson; Garrett Hansen, Lauren Hansen. Great-granddaughters Adalynn Ryan and Eleanor Foresman. Cousins, nieces, and nephews; and a bountiful group of friends.

Cemetery Details

St. John's Catholic Cemetery

Darwin, MN 55324

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 18. 4:00 PM - 7:30 PM (CT)

Johnson Funeral Home
PO Box 1 611 N 2nd Street
Dassel, MN 55325
(320) 275-3381
jfhdassel@spectrum.net

Parish Prayers

JUL 18. 7:30 PM (CT)

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Rosary

JUL 19. 10:30 AM (CT)

Saint John's Catholic Church
106 N 4th St
Darwin, MN 55324
<http://www.shepherdofsouls.org>

Mass Of Christian Burial

JUL 19. 11:00 AM (CT)

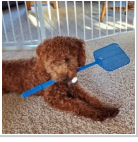
Saint John's Catholic Church

106 N 4th St

Darwin, MN 55324

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Tribute Wall



“ *Colleen and family,*

Please accept my sympathy in the loss of a beautiful human that you were fortunate to call "Mom!". What a delightful bouquet of memories I have of her and of your Dad too. Dorothy had such a heart for people, for caring and giving of herself... 100%. I am so grateful I was able to connect with her thorough Litchfield Area Hospice and so very grateful for her many hours of unselfish volunteerism. May God comfort you!..

*Sincerely,
Lores Vlaminck*

Lores Vlaminck - July 26, 2019 at 01:08 PM

JS

“ *Colleen and Chris and the Hansen family,*

My sympathy in the recent loss of your mom, Grandma and Great Grandma, Dorothy.

I am sure she had a life well lived and may you find peace and comfort in your many memories of her.

Janell Schwandt

Janell Schwandt - July 16, 2019 at 06:58 PM



“ *Glorious Grace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Dorothy A. Hansen.*



July 16, 2019 at 11:55 AM

CJ

“ *With deepest sympathy to the Hansen family. You will be in my thoughts and prayers.*

Cora Jansma - July 16, 2019 at 09:36 AM

JB

Colleen and Chris, my sincere condolences to you and your families in the loss of your Mom. I remember when she came with Colleen to my own Dad's funeral almost 9 years ago and talking with you both. God bless her for all her years of service to others. I know she will be missed. My prayers are with you during this sad time.
Jane Filzen Bornhoeft

Jane Bornhoeft - July 16, 2019 at 10:05 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Dorothy A. Hansen.*



July 15, 2019 at 02:19 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Dorothy A. Hansen.*



July 15, 2019 at 01:47 PM

SA

“ *Our deepest sympathy to Dorothy's family and friends.*

Sacred Heart High School Alumni - July 15, 2019 at 11:56 AM

JL

“ *Keeping the Hansen's in our though. Dorothy was a true matriarch of your family, always greeted you with a smile.*

Jerome & Dawn Lindquist - July 15, 2019 at 11:46 AM

DS

“ *Many blessings to the Hansen family. We will always remember Dorothy's smile and sense of humor. Such a gift to have had the chance to get to know her. She will be missed dearly. Love & prayers from your friends at Lakeside Apartments & Assisted Living*



Deb Seaberg - July 15, 2019 at 08:35 AM

JK

My prayers go out to the Hansen Family, they were one of the first families we met when we moved to Darwin, very friendly and helpful, Jim and Dorothy will always be remembered in my heart.

Joan Kreger

Joan Kreger - July 15, 2019 at 05:52 PM

JK

Dear Hansen Family,

Sympathies and prayers to all of you. Darwin lost a legend in the community. Rest in Peace Dorothy. She will be greatly missed.

Julie Kummet

Julie Kummet - July 16, 2019 at 02:22 PM