



Eileen M. Keehr

December 25, 1920 - August 19, 2013

Eileen M. Keehr, 92 year old resident of Little Falls, MN passed away Monday, August 19, 2013 at her home in Little Falls. Funeral Services will be held at 11:00 A.M. on Saturday, August 24, 2013 at Living Hope Church in Little Falls, MN with Rev. Keith Thompson officiating. Burial will be at Minnesota State Veterans Cemetery north of Little Falls. Visitation will be from 5 to 7 P.M. on Friday at the Shelley Funeral Chapel in Little Falls and one hour prior to the service on Saturday at the church.

Ida Eileen (Miller) Keehr was born December 25, 1920, in Clearwater, MN to the late Morris and Ida (Granzow) Miller. She was united in marriage to William J. Keehr on April 8, 1947, at Assembly of God, Clearwater, MN. She changed her name to Eileen M. Keehr when she married. The couple lived in San Jose, CA, until they returned to MN in 1950 where they farmed in the Buckman area and later near Freedhem, MN. Eileen worked as a registered nurse in the nursery at St Gabriel's Hospital in Little Falls, MN for twenty years. The couple lived in Wheaton, MN, and Cannon Falls, MN, before retiring in the Brainerd area.

Eileen was a faithful member and attendee of the Assembly of God wherever she lived and taught Sunday School, Summer Vacation Bible School, served on Women's Missionary, and made quilts for missionaries and disaster victims. In addition to enjoying being a nurse, Eileen enjoyed gardening, quilting, crafts, table games and her grandchildren.

Left to cherish her memory are her children, Lynn Alvar of Little Falls, MN;

William B. (Gayle) Keehr of Baxter, MN; Rev. Paul (Peggy) Keehr of Glenn Falls, NY; and Esther (Rev. Loren) Axmark of Springfield, MO; siblings, Dennis (Marcella) Miller, San Jose, CA; Melda (Rev. Merwin) Miller, Janesville, MN; Louise (Robert) Crawford, Apple Valley, MN; Alden Miller, Minneapolis, MN; Roger (Barbara) Miller, Hopkins, MN; David (Lucille) Miller, Clearwater, MN; 12 grandchildren, and 17 great-grandchildren.

Eileen was preceded in death by her parents; husband; brother, Loren Miller; sister and brother-in law, Dorothy (Rev. Lester) Peterson; infant grandson, Luke Alvar; and sister-in-law, Isabelle Miller. Pallbearers will be Seth Alvar, Ethan Alvar, Aaron Keehr, Timothy Keehr, Peter Thompson and Gregg Verspoor.

Cemetery Details

Minnesota State Veterans Cemetery

15550 Highway 115
Little Falls, MN

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 24. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Living Hope Assembly Of God
17389 Haven Road
Little Falls, MN

Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Eileen M. Keehr*

January 21, 2023 at 11:59 AM



“ *You will all be in my prayers today, as you have been all week. Aunt Eileen was a wonderful person, not only as I remember her as a child, but in getting to know her in my adult life. She was a faithful friend, with her door always open, and willing to share whatever she had. I truly will miss her, and regret not spending more time with her. Thank you Lynn for your care of her these past few years. Love you, Pam (Miller) Squires*

Pam Squires - August 24, 2013 at 09:13 AM



“ *Sorry to hear about Eileen passing, our thoughts and prayer go out to the family, sure wished I would have found out sooner, I would like to have come and seen everybody, Michelle left me a note about it on Facebook and I thank her for that allot for that this morning. Yes she was a sweet person and we all will miss her along with MOM. R.I.P.*

Vicki L Faulkner - August 23, 2013 at 03:36 PM



“ *We love you and miss you so much, my dear sister.*

Lou & Bob Crawford - August 23, 2013 at 07:45 AM

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“ We will certainly miss our Aunt Eileen. She was always so sweet, gentle and kind to everyone. We have a lot of childhood memories as well as later ones. We all loved her dearly.

Cherie Ancel - August 21, 2013 at 10:44 AM

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“ Aunt Eileen was a wonderful aunt to the eight Miller nieces and nephews who went to the Keehr farm for Christmas in my early years. Though she had kids of her own, I remember also getting a gift each Christmas from Aunt Eileen to open with everyone else (I still remember what the gifts were because she was so thoughtful) . My mom thought of Eileen more of sister than a sister-in-law because they were good friends even before mom know who dad was and their friendship was a lasting friendship for over 65 years. We will cherish the memories of Aunt Eileen throughout eternity. She had a heart for God and her life showed it.

Laurel Miller - August 21, 2013 at 09:18 AM