



Eunice G. Lentz

November 7, 1927 - July 3, 2023

Eunice G. Lentz, 95 year old resident of Little Falls, formerly of Swanville, passed away Monday, July 3, 2023, surrounded by loved ones at St. Otto's Care Center in Little Falls. A funeral service will be held on Tuesday, July 11, 2023, at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Swanville, MN, at 11:00 A.M., with Pastor Kevin Zellers officiating. Visitation will be on Monday, July 10, 2023, at St. Peter's Lutheran Church from 4:00-6:00 P.M., and again on Tuesday from 10:00-11:00 A.M. at the church. Burial will take place in St. Peter's Cemetery following the service. Caring for Eunice and her family is the Shelley Funeral Chapel of Swanville.

Eunice Gwendolyn Johnson was born on November 7, 1927 to Iver and Gertie (Jorgenson) Johnson in Morrison County, Minnesota. Eunice attended school in Swanville where she met the love of her life, Fredrick (Fred) Lentz. Eunice worked for the Swanville Public School district as an administrative assistant to the superintendent. Eunice and Fred were joined in holy matrimony on November 24, 1951, at Gethsemane Lutheran Church in Upsala, MN. Their love story lasted 69 years before Fred passed away in August of 2021. They had four children: Richard, Elaine, Kenneth, and Jean. In May of 1954, Eunice and Fred settled on Fred's family's farm. Together Eunice and Fred worked on the family farm until March of 1990. Eunice also worked at the Swanville Creamery. Once they retired from the farm, Fred and Eunice had homes in both Burtrum on Long Lake and Long Prairie, MN. Additionally, they resided at

Bridgeway Estates in Little Falls, MN. Eunice was kindhearted and was always willing to lend a helping hand. She loved spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. She was an avid gardener and took pride in her raspberry patch. She was known for her homemade buns, as they were always requested at family gatherings. She enjoyed winters in Texas, traveling the country, card games, sewing, and watching Days of Our Lives. Eunice and Fred spent many hours on Sunday drives where they would enjoy ice cream cones and stop to visit with family and friends. Eunice was extremely patriotic and a member of the American Legion Auxiliary. She was also a devoted Christian throughout her life. She taught Wednesday religion classes for 1st grade and assisted with vacation bible school at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Swanville, MN.

Eunice is survived by her son, Kenneth (Leann), Oronoco, MN; daughter Jean (John) Schulte, Burtrum, MN; daughter-in-law, Mary Lentz, Onamia, MN; son-in-law, Wayne Skinner, Osceola, WI; brother-in-law, Duane (Pat) Lentz, Burtrum MN; brother-in-law, Robert (Gen) Thieschafer; 12 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Fred; father, Iver and mother, Gertie; son, Richard and daughter, Elaine Skinner; grandson, Adam Lentz; brother, Marvin Johnson and wife, Rosella Johnson; sisters, Delores Knoll and her husbands, Walter Knoll and Loren Gunderson, Helen Keller and her husband, Howard Keller, and Erma Thieschafer.

Thank you to all those who have supported the family during this time of loss. We appreciate the kind words and prayers. A special thank you to the staff of St. Otto's Care Center and CHI Hospice for the care and support Eunice received while in your care.

Cemetery Details

St. Peter's Lutheran Cemetery

Swanville, MN 56382

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL 10. 4:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

St. Peter's Lutheran Church - Swanville
502 Berkey Avenue
Swanville, MN

Visitation

JUL 11. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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Funeral Service

JUL 11. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Lemieur Funeral Homes created a Tribute Video in memory of Eunice G. Lentz*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - July 07, 2023 at 11:29 AM



“ *The Skinner Family purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Eunice G. Lentz.*



The Skinner Family - July 09, 2023 at 08:04 PM



“ *Blue Caribbean Bouquet was purchased for the family of Eunice G. Lentz.*



July 08, 2023 at 04:02 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Eunice G. Lentz.*



July 08, 2023 at 08:58 AM



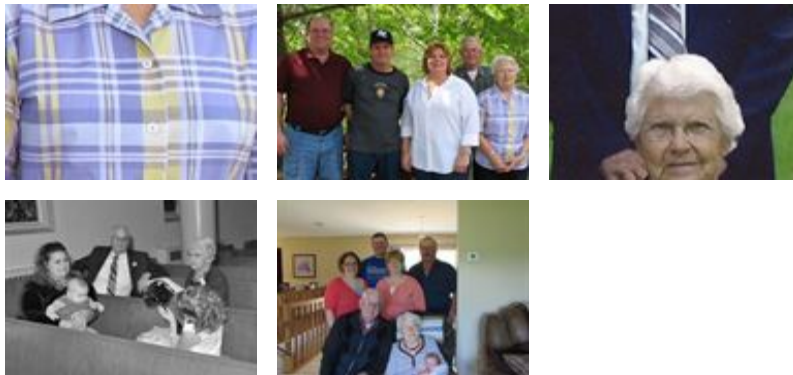
“ *Darlene Palm lit a candle in memory of Eunice G. Lentz*



Darlene Palm - July 07, 2023 at 11:08 AM



“ *68 files added to the album LifeTributes*



Lemieur Funeral Homes - July 07, 2023 at 10:55 AM

KA

“ *What a great lady your mom was. My deepest sympathies. Karen Koester*



Karen - July 06, 2023 at 12:55 AM

MF

“ *Sorry for your loss. Very fond memories of visiting with your Mom and Dad at Auctions and Graduation Parties. May she RIP!*

Mary Pfeffer Friese - July 05, 2023 at 11:06 PM

HP

“ *I'm so sorry to hear of your mom's passing. Remember there is a Heaven where her other family members wait. God send you peace and prayers 🙏*

Helen Pfeffer - July 05, 2023 at 05:26 PM

LM

So sorry for your loss. Sending prayers for strength and hoping that happy memories will help you thru this difficult time.

LaVonne Mogard - July 06, 2023 at 11:24 AM

NK

“ *What a wonderful lady. My deepest sympathy to all of you.*



Nona Koester - July 05, 2023 at 04:48 PM

KG

“ *Kathryn Gessell lit a candle in memory of Eunice G. Lentz*



Kathryn Gessell - July 05, 2023 at 04:30 PM

JH

“ *Jerry And Julie Hollermann lit a candle in memory of Eunice G. Lentz*



Jerry and Julie Hollermann - July 05, 2023 at 03:17 PM