

Jean Gensley, 71

Funeral Mass for Jean Gensley, 71, Victor, was held at 10 a.m. on Friday, May 11, at St. Bridget Catholic Church, Victor. She died May 8, 2007, following a battle with cancer.

The Rev. Brian Shepley officiated at the service. Organist was Vera Beth Bricker and vocalist was Debbie Davidson.

Burial was in Calvary Cemetery, Victor. Casket bearers were Steve Huedepohl, Kevin Hawkins, Larry Sieberg, Nimer Bader, Tim Gorsh and Dave King.

Memorials may be made to St. Bridget Catholic Church or Grinnell Regional Hospice.

Jean Gensley was born Oct. 17, 1935, the daughter of Louis and Alice Aiken Michalek, Victor. She graduated from St. John's High School. She married Ray Gensley on Aug. 21, 1954. Some of the couple's interests were traveling together, camping, dancing, bicycling and attending grandchildren's activities.

Her life was devoted to her family, including: daughter Amy (Steve) Huedepohl; grandson Jason Weisskopf (deceased) (Marcie DeSmet); great-grandson Drew Weisskopf-DeSmet; grandson Justin (Ellyssa) Setala; great-granddaughter Alayna; daughter Angela Faas; grandson Michael (Gena); daughter Chris (Larry) Sieberg; grandson Tony; granddaughter Trisha; grandson David; daughter Sue (Tim) Gorsh; grandsons Matt (Suzy) Hoover, Timmy (Jodi) Hoover; granddaughter Stephanie Hoover; daughter Maria (Kevin) Hawkins; grandson Terry (Karen); granddaughter Lacey; grandson Wyatt; son Chuck (Carolyn) Gensley; grandson Travis; granddaughter Jenny; daughter Juanita (Nimer) Bader; grandsons Laith and Yuseph; son Paul (Linda) Gensley; grandsons Sammy and Alex; daughter Janet (Dave) King; grandson Clayton; granddaughter Rachel; grandson Benny; and daughter Jodi Gensley. She is also survived by sisters Donna Birdzell, Marge (Jim) McGrory, Mary (John) Graff, and Kay (Bruce) Reynolds; sisters-in-law Shirley (Dale) Noyes and Barb Gensley.



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