

Gladys Strout, 70, Pella

Gladys Strout, 70, of Pella passed away July 23, 2006. Funeral services were held July 26, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Pella. Memorials can be given to Hospice of Pella or the Christian Opportunity Center.



Gladys S. Morris Strout, **G. Strout** daughter of Peter and Olympia Di Lorenzo Morris, was born March 18, 1936, in Pearl River, New York.

Gladys began her office assistant career by attending secretarial school in New York City. When the family moved from River Vale, New Jersey to Pella, she began working at Central College as an

administrative assistant in the student support services, counseling, and upward bound offices.

She was an active member of the St. Mary's Catholic Church in Pella. She volunteered for Hospice, was a member of Pella Business Women, and Welcome Wagon.

Those left to honor her memory are her four children: Dawn Falone and her husband, Mario, of Glen Rock, New Jersey; Dorothea Puyear and her husband, Randy of Pella; Jeffrey Strout of New Orleans, Louisiana; and Chris Strout and his wife, Julia, of Oskaloosa; eight grandchildren; three great-grandchildren; and one sister, Dorothea Celeste of Toms River, New Jersey.

Preceding her in death were her parents; one granddaughter, Christina Falone.