



Virginia Metcalf

October 21, 1934 - October 30, 2017

Virginia Helen Metcalf, 83, of Bloomfield, Iowa passed away on October 30, 2017 at the Davis County Hospital in Bloomfield. She was born on October 21, 1934 in Havana, Illinois to Frank Coleson and Mary Irene Jockish Shute. She married William Metcalf on May 13, 1952 in Chicago. The couple farmed together for many years, raising cattle, hogs, and crops. Their first farm was in Delavan, Illinois and then they moved to a farm just southeast of Pulaski, Iowa. They loved being with each other, their children, and later grandchildren. They also enjoyed bowling and family get-togethers at their son's lake. William passed away on September 9, 2006.

Virginia had several hobbies and interests; gardening, doing crafts, china painting, refinishing furniture, and playing pinochle in a weekly card club. Most important to her was family and faith. She was a member of the Pulaski United Methodist Church for many years and then transferred her membership to the Bloomfield United Methodist Church. She was a Gold Star Mother through the American Legion Auxiliary in Delavan, Illinois.

She is survived by two daughters, Mary (Wayne) Rogers of Bloomfield, Iowa, Brenda (Rick) Bennett of Ottumwa, Iowa; son, Terry (Cindy) Metcalf of Fulton, Missouri; seven grandchildren; six great-grandchildren; sister, Amy (Patrick) Clark of Alaska; and a brother, Bud (Pam) Shute of Peoria, Illinois.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband; son, Jerry Metcalf; son-in-law, Jay Whisler; four sisters; and two brothers.

Funeral services will be at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, November 2, 2017 at the Wagler Funeral Home in Bloomfield with Rev. Tim Frasher officiating. Burial will be at the Pulaski Cemetery. Visitation with family present to greet friends will be from 9:30 a.m. until the time of the service on Thursday. A memorial has been established to the Bloomfield United Methodist Church.

Cemetery Details

Pulaski Cemetery

Pulaski, IA 52584

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 2. 9:30 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Wagler Funeral Home
304 West Jefferson Street
Bloomfield, IA 52537
(641) 664-3421
<https://www.waglerfuneralhome.com/>

Funeral Services

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Tribute Wall



“ *Virginia Metcalf*

January 28, 2023 at 10:57 AM



“ *All of our thoughts and prayers go out to the family. May peace be with you all.*

Mark Whisler - November 02, 2017 at 11:24 AM



“ *Our Sympathies and love to all your family! We always appreciated having Ginger and Bill for neighbors! All of you kids too! I have such fond memories of Ginger in the Pulaski Mother's club and cooking the chicken for the Corn show. She always amazed me how she could pour hot coffee straight out of the pot and drink it right down! We will all miss her smile!!!*

Deb and Dave Burns - November 02, 2017 at 10:33 AM



“ *Debby Hoehn lit a candle in memory of Virginia Metcalf*



Debby Hoehn - November 01, 2017 at 10:35 AM

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“ Hi. There. Family. Of mekfs. I. Am. Sorry. To. Hear. About. Her. She. Will. Be. Miss. My. Sympathyv to. You. And. The. Famuly. Lynn roberts

Lynn. Roberts - October 31, 2017 at 11:34 PM



“ Plants-A-Plenty was purchased for the family of Virginia Metcalf.



October 31, 2017 at 09:47 PM

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“ We'll Miss YOU Aunt Ginger. You always had a smile on your face that can never be replaced! Enjoy Heaven!

Wendi Gorney - October 31, 2017 at 09:39 PM



“ Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers was purchased for the family of Virginia Metcalf.



October 31, 2017 at 09:12 PM



“ *Sympathy Arrangement In Basket (Large) - Multicolor Bright Mixed Flowers was purchased for the family of Virginia Metcalf.*



October 31, 2017 at 08:11 PM



“ *So so sorry for your family loss. She was a beautiful lady and it was always nice to see her supporting her kids and grandkids. I snapped this pic of her at Coleson's graduation because I thought she looked so proud to be sitting there with Brenda. Fly high beautiful lady.*



Dana Day - October 31, 2017 at 05:31 PM



“ *The Richmonds purchased the Multicolor Bright Sympathy Floor Basket for the family of Virginia Metcalf.*



The Richmonds - October 31, 2017 at 04:29 PM



“ *Peace, Prayers & Blessings - Blue and White*
was purchased for the family of Virginia Metcalf.”



October 31, 2017 at 02:57 PM