



Alice M. Krecek

November 27, 1916 - May 21, 2020

Alice M. (Hoagland) Krecek, 103, of Lafayette passed away Thursday, May 21, 2020 at Mulberry Health.

She was born November 27, 1916 in Veedersburg, IN, to the late William Hoagland and Prudence (Minnick) Hoagland. Alice grew up in Stone Bluff, IN and spent most of her adult life in Lafayette and Monticello.

On November 8, 1937 she married Charles E. Krecek in Lafayette. He preceded her in death on September 11, 1990.

Alice was a member of Central Presbyterian Church. She was also a career homemaker and was skilled in sewing and cooking. She loved to dance and play euchre and bridge. Alice also enjoyed traveling and playing golf. Most of all she loved her family greatly.

Surviving are her children: Patricia "Pat" Lawson of Lafayette, Nancy McNeely Higdon (husband, Joe) of Lafayette and Charles Michael "Mike" Krecek (wife, Annette) of White Lake, MI. She is also survived by 8 grandchildren, 22 great-grandchildren and 6 great-great grandchildren.

Along with her husband, Charles, she is preceded in death by her brother William Kirk Hoagland, sisters Florence McCormick, Mildred Kelley and Geneva Quinlan and son-in-law Mike Lawson.

Memorial visitation will be held Friday, July 31, 2020 from 1pm – 2pm at Hippensteel Funeral Home. Memorial service will begin at 2pm at the funeral home. Inurnment will follow at Spring Vale Cemetery. All attendees will be required to wear masks. In lieu of usual remembrances, contributions may be directed to St. Jude Children's Hospital or Central Presbyterian Church. Webcasting of the service will be available on our website. Share memories and condolence online at: <http://www.hippensteelfuneralservice.com> Click on the link below to watch the webcast for Alice Krecek.

<https://webcasts.lifetributes.com/1080735>

Comments



“ In 2014, when grams stayed with me, she would go with me on Wednesday nights to bible study, at my friends John & Lauren. And Aric would end our sessions with a song. Grams asked Aric if he knew this song about a Sparrow. Aric didn't, but he went home and looked it up and learned it and played it for grams the next week. It was very special to her.

It wasn't easy getting to John & Lauren's, as their condo was on the second floor and there was no elevator. And those stairs were not the best. But, grams insisted and I walked her up and down those stairs every week. I think she was 97, at this time.

Everyone in our bible study group loved it that grams would come with me. We even brought Penny's M&M's desk light with us, so she could read along!

I have such great memories and she will be definitely be missed!

Debbie - August 02, 2020 at 08:30 AM



“ In January 2014, grams flew home with me to San Diego to spend a few months (and stay out of the cold)! While she was visiting, she would frequently tell me stories about her mom and dad. They were so fun, because to hear your grandmother talk about her parents, like she was a little girl, was very entertaining and it also showed how very much she loved her mom and dad. Even though she lived a long time, we really believed she was going to outlive the rest of us. It's really hard to think that she won't be there for the holidays, playing euchre that she loved. I love you grandma!

Debbie - July 31, 2020 at 01:21 PM



“ I remember how sweet and kind my Great Aunt Alice was. She was happy and fun and generous. She was blessed to live a wonderful, long life, and we were able to see her within her last year. Now she is with her parents, sisters, and her brother. They have been waiting to see her. I love you Aunt Alice! - Susi Waite, Longview, TX

Susi Waite - July 31, 2020 at 10:15 AM



“ I think my favorite memories were her Thanksgiving Dinners! Especially when she lived in Monticello. I loved that house. No one will ever make better chicken and noodles than her, even though my Dad did a pretty good job trying. She was my last Gt Grandparent and the whole family will miss her immensely. RIH Gt Gma Alice! You have been and will always be so loved

Jennifer Nahmens - May 26, 2020 at 09:02 AM



“ Tracy, Derek and I were just talking about her the other day, she was such a beautiful Lady sorry for your loss.

Mary Brook - May 26, 2020 at 05:49 AM



“ I remember taking Grandma golfing to a 3 par golf course, just outside of Monticello. She had a really neat golf cart, like nothing I had seen before. It was wide, had 2 rows and separate place for each club. Grandma did ok. She had a fun day. Grandma was about 75 this year.

Debbie - May 25, 2020 at 12:11 PM



“ For Christmas 1991, the family skipped the normal afternoon at grandmas and went on a trip to Daytona Beach Florida in lieu of gift exchanges. Some of the group went deep sea fishing and grandma fried the fresh filets for us at the condo. Grandma would always ask when we were going to go back to Florida for Christmas again. It was amazing!

Debbie - May 23, 2020 at 02:37 PM



“ I remember that! I went deep sea fishing with the guys, I think Penny went too??

Jennifer Nahmens - May 26, 2020 at 08:55 AM



“ I loved vacationing and going on road trips w grams! You never knew what was going to happen. It was always like an adventure. I loved just talking and hearing about her life experiences! She's with gramps now!

Tracy Lawson - July 12, 2020 at 09:09 PM



“ Grandma loved to play Euchre, but her alzheimers would play tricks on her. We'd start out a game grandma saying "I don't think I've ever played this before". Then, after a couple of hands, grandma would say "Pick it up, I'm going a loan" and bam, she's back! Such great memories. Debbie

Debbie - May 23, 2020 at 10:57 AM



“ Gma didn't mess around when it came to her Euchre 🙌

Jennifer Nahmens - May 26, 2020 at 08:57 AM



“ She was heck of card player vary classy and vary cook she also dancing or having nice glass of wine she was a shiner she greatly appreciated and missed

Michelle Hawkins - May 26, 2020 at 01:58 PM