



Lois Kern

August 10, 1930 - July 14, 2007

Lois Siebert Kern, 76 of New Castle, died Saturday, July 14, 2007 in Valparaiso following an extended illness.

She was born August 10, 1930 in Cincinnati, Ohio, a daughter of the late John and Anna (Maas) Siebert. Lois moved to New Castle when she married Lloyd Edward Kern in 1953.

She lived her life caring for her family, her faith, and her community. She was a member of St. Anne Catholic Church, Kappa Delta Phi, and St. Anne Society. She volunteered at the Henry County Pregnancy Care Center, St. Anne Church, and Cerebral Palsy of Indiana.

She is survived by her husband of 54 years, Lloyd Edward Kern; three sons, Stephen (wife: Barb) Kern of Lenoir, North Carolina, Daniel (wife: Valerie) Kern of Indianapolis, and Charles (wife: Dawn) Kern of Bridgewater, Virginia; a daughter, Jane (husband: Bruce) Jones of Valparaiso; 10 grandchildren, Matthew (wife: Jessica), Megann, Michael, Joseph, Lydia, Anna, Mary, and Emily Kern, Christopher and Nathanael Jones; two step-grandchildren, Cary and Corey Hargis; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by a son David Kern; a brother Harold Siebert; and twin sisters, Jean Gantzer and Gertrude Klaene. A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 10:00 a.m. Wednesday, July 18, 2007 at Sproles Family Funeral Home with Father Joe Rautenberg officiating. Burial will follow in St. Anne Cemetery.

Friends may call from 5 – 8 p.m. Tuesday at the funeral home. There will be a

rosary service conducted by Sister Shirley Gerth at 7:45 p.m.

Memorial Contributions may be made to the Henry County Pregnancy Care Center or St. Anne Catholic Church with envelopes available at the funeral home. You may send a personal condolence to the family at www.sprolesfamilycares.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Kerns,
I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. I'll never forget her laugh. She was smart (at least compared to me) and fun and I'm very glad that I knew her.
One of the things that has helped me deal with my mom's passing is the fact that since I believe what I believe then she must be in a better place and surrounded by those who love her.
Sincerely,
Scott Larrison

Scott Larrison - July 23, 2007 at 06:34 PM

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“ Lois Kern

Tammie Najdzinski - July 20, 2007 at 04:41 PM

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“ 7511 Smith Creek Rd. New Market, Va. 22844

July 17, 2007

Dear Kern Family,

Though words will never be able to answer my deep condolence to your family. I would like to express my sincere condolences on the passing of Lois. Doug Hendren and Hess Ortho. Center Staff also send their thought and prayers to your family at this difficult time.

Although I never met Mrs. Kern, I know she was a great lady, because she raised a great son (Chuck).

You all were truly fortunate to have such a lady as a model in your lives.

You are all in my thoughts and prayers. I will light a candle for Mrs. Kern tonight.

With Deepest Sympathy;

Evie Mongold

Evie Mongold - July 17, 2007 at 05:08 PM