



Eileen Marie Ross

May 29, 1929 - January 26, 2021

Eileen Marie Ross, 91, of Charles City, IA died on Tuesday, January 26, 2021 at 11th Street Chautauqua Guest Homes.

A funeral service will be held at 2:30 pm with a one hour prior visitation on Tuesday, February 2, 2021 at Fullerton-Hage Funeral Home, 401 Blunt St, Charles City with Pastor Isaac Johnson officiating from New Hope Lutheran Church. Burial will follow at Riverside Cemetery in Charles City.

Eileen was born at home on May 29, 1929 in Milwaukee, WI, the youngest child of Harold and Alma (Traube) Robinson. She was educated in the Milwaukee County schools and graduated in 1947 from West Milwaukee High School. After high school she worked at Allis-Chalmers in the mail department and had a route twice on day on the executive floor up until she was married. On October 7, 1950 she was united in marriage at St John Evangelical Lutheran Church in Charles City to Kenneth E. Ross. To their union, two children were born. Eileen and Kenneth farmed in Floyd County. She was a very active farmer; she handled livestock and enjoyed driving tractor. In her later years she said driving tractor eased her aches. Eileen never wanted to go back to city living because she enjoyed the peace and quiet in the country.

Eileen was a very active member of St John Evangelical Lutheran Church. She held several office positions, taught 6th grade Sunday school for about 35

years (last few years paired with Erik Hoefer for confirmation teaching), served as funeral home coordinator for the church, was a leader of women's bible study and was president of church cluster. Eileen was a charter member for the starting of the New Hope Lutheran Church that she attended for the last 10 years.

Those left to cherish her memory include her daughter, Sue Ross of Charles City; grandchildren, Ryan Dean (Marcy) Ross of Charles City and Carri Ann Ross of Riceville; great-grandchildren, Ava Marie and Finn; nephews, Les Robinson, Jerry Robinson, Richard Kegel, Jim Kegel and Dennis sharp; niece, Dawn Lesprance and several cousins.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Kenneth E. Ross; son, Kenneth D. Ross; parents, Harold and Alma Robinson; brothers, H. Eugene Robinson and H. Dean Robins Jr.; granddaughter, Jenna Lynn and mother-in-law, Eleanor Ross.

Cemetery Details

Riverside Cemetery in Charles City

Charles City, IA

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 2. 1:30 PM - 2:30 PM (CT)

Fullerton Funeral Home in Charles City
401 Blunt
Charles City, IA 50616
(641) 228-4211
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Funeral Service

FEB 2. 2:30 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Eileen Marie Ross*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM

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“ Dear Sue, Ryan and the rest of your family --

I just got your letter, Sue, about your Mom. I am so sorry for the loss you all must be feeling. I am so glad that you and Ryan were able to spend a little time with her last Tuesday evening and that Pastor Johnson shared some prayers and time with God.

I was a little girl when word in the Ross family circulated that Kenny had married a "City" girl from Milwaukee. He probably was visiting one of his aunts there when they met. And when we met her I remember her as a young and pretty, dark-haired girl. And you know the rest better than I do.

Sue, your Dad (Kenny) and mine (Ted) were 1st cousins (their fathers, George and John were brothers). So your Dad would have been my 2nd cousin and thus, you in the next generation, the 3rd cousin.

We are both similarly related (3rd cousins) to Judy Perrin Olson -- her grandfather was Bill, (also a brother of George and John) and his only child (Judy's mother) was Hulda Ross Perrin (deceased),

A different way of showing relationships:

BROTHERS 1st cousins to each other; 2nd to us 3rd cousins

GEORGE: Marie, Florence, Kenneth (your Dad) Sue & Kenny (deceased)

JOHN: Matilda, Clara (neither married), TED Marilyn (me)

BILL: Hulda (deceased) Judy

I hope this brief genealogy doesn't bore or confuse you, but there are so few of us descendants left that I wanted to clarify in case you might want to know. And to clarify further, I was the only child of Ted and Georgia Ross.

I don't know the extent of your family in Milwaukee other than your grandfather's children were your Dad (Kenny), and 2 sisters who moved and spent their lives there - Marie Ross

, ___??name. and Florence Hazel Ross Scharp Flood. Are either of

them still alive? If so, they would be quite old.

I'll try reaching you again tonight. If you text, I sent you a text.

God's Blessings to you and your extended family.

Marilyn Ross Firnett, Chatsworth CA (Los Angeles)

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