



Inez Ilene Cassin

July 12, 1925 - March 30, 2013

Inez Ilene Groat Cassin, 87, Topeka passed away March 26, 2013. Ilene was born July 12, 1925 in Madison KS to Clarence and Sarah (Cunningham) Groat. Ilene graduated from Climax High School in 1943. She married James A. Cassin Nov. 10, 1947. He preceded her in death Feb. 10, 2001. Two sisters also preceded her in death, Flora Mann and Edna Mann. Ilene and James lived in Eureka until 1971 when they moved to Chanute. In 1977 the family made the move to Topeka. She moved back to Eureka for a short time in 2001 and returned to Topeka in 2007. Ilene was a member of the United Methodist Church before converting to Catholicism and joining Most Pure Heart of Mary Church. She worked for the Dept. of Agriculture in Eureka, Laird Noller Ford in Topeka and Heritage Management in Topeka. While she enjoyed her jobs she loved her family the most. Survivors include, her children, John (Linda) Cassin, Jefferson City MO, Jamie (Brad) Runyan, Topeka KS and Mike (Darla) Cassin, Overland Park KS; six grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren and a brother, Pete Groat, Eureka KS. Graveside services will be 11 a.m. Sat. at Greenwood Cemetery, Eureka KS. Memorial contributions may be made to Aldersgate Village –Norwich Neighborhood.

Tribute Wall



“ *Inez Ilene Cassin*

January 28, 2023 at 12:08 PM



“ *My mom, Opal McCoy Hoyt, was a cousin of your Mom's. Kittie Cunningham, her grandmother, was Sadie's sister. Mom remembered playing with your mom, her sisters and brother at family reunions. We were sorry to read of her passing.*

Gayla Hoyt - April 01, 2013 at 10:37 PM



“ *We are so sorry for the loss of your mother. May the memories you have of her keep her with you always.*

John and Susie Hess - March 29, 2013 at 08:30 PM



“ *Jamie and John, Sorry to hear of your Mother's passing. I have many many great memories of all the time I spent at your house and going to ballgames with your parents and you. Thank goodness we will have our memories forever. We just buried our Mom few weeks ago so totally understand what you are going through. Mom was 92. Take care and let me know if I can do anything for you. Jill Criswell Cook*

Jill Criswell Cook - March 28, 2013 at 09:02 AM