



Betty Marie Kroblin

January 10, 1926 - June 15, 2018

Cedar Falls –Betty M. Kroblin, age 92, of Cedar Falls, died Friday, June 15, 2018 at Bickford Senior Living in Cedar Falls.

She was born January 10, 1926, in Crawford Township, Washington County, the daughter of Aaron E. and Laura (Eisele) Stafford.

She worked at Chamberlain Manufacturing, Hinson Manufacturing until it closed, and then in housekeeping for Cedar Falls Lutheran Home.

Survived by: two daughters, Linda (Charles) Temeyer of Waterloo, and Deb Kroblin of Ackley; a son, Paul (Kathy) Kroblin of Evansdale; four grandchildren, Chad (Judy) Temeyer of Waterloo, Travis (Katie) Temeyer of Ypsilanti, MI, Amy Kroblin of Waterloo, and Ashley (Michael) Monroe of Cedar Falls; one brother, Cloyce Stafford of Waterloo, and one brother-in-law, Gordon Hekel of Waterloo; and many nieces and nephews.

Preceded in death by: her sisters, Virginia Platte, Alta Hekel, and Polly Mills; her brother, Everette Stafford; a sister-in-law, Birdie Stafford; and two brothers-in-law, Marshall Platte and Ralph Mills.

In accordance with Betty's wishes there will be no visitation or service.

Online guestbook at www.richardsonfuneralservice.com

Mom was an organic gardener who for many summers supplied all family, friends, and neighbors with fresh tomatoes and rhubarb. It was always her yearly personal challenge to enjoy her first ripe tomato by July 4. Mom's greatest joy was being "Grandma".

Tribute Wall

MS

“ To our cousins, thoughts, prayers and condolences to you and your families. It took years in the making, we are glad we got to know you and my Aunt Betty over the last 20 years. She always had a smile and a soft chuckle, really reminded me of Grandma. Even the few times we visited her at Bickford she remembered Colleen, happy to see us, as we conversed she recalled who I was as well as her brother, her eyes lit up. She will be missed.
Mike and Colleen Stafford

Mike and Colleen Stafford - June 18, 2018 at 07:18 PM

MH

“ Betty was the neighborhood treasure and gathering place for the kids. I remember her always having Crackerjacks - especially when they had prizes in the box to give all the kids. If she was in her garden you could stop by and she would always take time to chat, sitting on her swing. Painting our hand prints on her garage door was always the talk of neighborhood about who made it that time. Her bigfoot painted tracks on her back sidewalk was always fun to run on. What a great lady!

Marnie (Stolfus) Holtzman - June 18, 2018 at 04:24 PM

AW

“ I worked with Betty at Hinson's, she was all ways fun to work with. Have not seen her since we had reunions.. She will be missed. Prayers to all her family.

Ann Williams - June 18, 2018 at 03:20 PM

Jl

“ *She was the nicest lady you could ever meet. We worked at Hinson Manufacturing at the same time.*

janelle inman - June 18, 2018 at 02:54 PM

TS

“ *I imagine our first glimpse of HEAVEN will cause us to gasp in amazement and delight. That first gasp will likely be followed by many more as we continually encounter new sights in that endlessly wonderful place. While our dear loved one is experiencing "joys unspeakable" our hearts go out to you and the pain you're feeling. We're praying the Lord surround you with His peace beyond understanding and His comforting arms to strengthen you. I want to let you know how your loved one opened up her home to Birdie and me when I was doing some family history. She was so loving and kind to do so. She even gave me some tapes of her and her mother had made together. These will be cherished forever. But the best part about her and her brother living so long is that they came back together and had some very good visits...making up for lost time.*

*With Heartfelt Sympathy,
The Staffords
Joe and Teresa
Justin and Bethany Alivia and Kinzley
Darin
Kayla*

Teresa Stafford - June 18, 2018 at 10:40 AM

RC

“ *Our condolences on Betty's passing. Especially to Paul and to Deb. Rhonda and Rob Craft*

Rhonda and Rob Craft - June 17, 2018 at 09:32 PM

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Kathy - June 17, 2018 at 11:18 AM



Theresa
Brown

“ You will be sadly missed by more people and generations than you know. Growing up as a child and your neighbor you were always so good to the neighborhood kids. We will never forget the handprints on the garage therefore we share that story with all of our kids coming up. Thank you for being you! Theresa Brown and family.

Theresa Brown - June 17, 2018 at 10:15 AM