



Dorothy Mark

November 6, 1917 - July 7, 2009

Dorothy Alice Mark (1917-2009)

CEDAR FALLS- Dorothy Alice Mark, 91, of Cedar Falls died Tuesday, July 7, 2009 at Sartori Memorial Hospital.

She was born November 6, 1917 in Eldora, daughter of George Chesley and Jennie Mae (Antles) Durham. She married Wayne C. Mark on July 2, 1938 in Lamont. He died November 23, 1976.

She graduated from Lamont Consolidated Schools and later obtained her teaching certificate from Iowa State Teachers College (UNI). She taught at Finchford Consolidated School in Janesville. She was past President of Trinity United Methodist Women, Past Worthy Matron of Equity Chapter #6 Order of Eastern Star, and Past Grand Electa of the Iowa Grand Chapter of Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors include two sons, Reverend Richard Mark of Norwood Young America, MN and Jerry Mark of Ft. Madison.

Preceded in death by two sons, Leslie and Thomas Mark; two grandchildren; a brother, John Durham; and a sister, Ruth Zoetvelt.

Memorial services will be held 1:30 p.m. Saturday at First United Methodist Church. The family will receive friends for one hour prior to services Saturday at the church, and following the service. Inurnment will take place at a later date in Gerholdt Cemetery, rural Cedar Falls. Mrs. Mark has deeded her body to the University of Iowa Department of Anatomy.

Memorials may be directed to Western Home Communities or the church.

Tribute Wall



“ *Rest in Peace, Dorothy.*

Beth Peters - October 15, 2013 at 03:45 PM



“ *My name is Todd Golding. I live in Indiana now. My family and I went to Trinity United Methodist Church with Dorothy when it was on Clay Street in Cedar Falls in the 1970s. I was just a kid, but I remember what a strong woman Dorothy was--she made such powerful but kind appeals at the pulpit for church programs. I remember how she was co-chairperson for the pork chop suppers. We lived in Turkeyfoot Heights near Dorothy and I would sell her zucchini from our garden--she liked the smaller ones because they weren't as tough. Mrs. Mark was a real inspiration to many.*

July 28, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ *I can only Thank Dorothy for getting me involved in United Methodist Women. This was many years ago. I still enjoy it to this day. I am sorry for your loss and my prayers are with the family.*

July 12, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ We are sorry we can't be with you now but Virginia where we now live is a long ways away.
I was honored that Dorothy was a friend of ours.I first met her in Eastern Star many years ago. Our friendship grew over the years. We were in Iowa last week for the funeral of David's brother. We didn't have time to see many people while we were there but Dorothy had planned to go to lunch with us last Friday. I called her before we got there and she said she had a terrible headache and we decided to try for the next time we were in Iowa. We really regret that there won't be a next time.

July 10, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ i wanted to let you know my thoughts and prayers are with you and family.... i remember your sweet mother at riverview camp grounds when we were counselors back in the late '50's.. those were the good old days, i also went to westmar...with you.

July 09, 2009 at 12:00 AM