



## Elfrieda Mary Devine

April 24, 1921 - May 12, 2018

CEDAR FALLS-Elfrieda M. Devine, 97, of Cedar Falls, formerly of Garwin, died Saturday, May 12, 2018 at the Western Home Communities-Martin Center.

She was born April 24, 1921, in Mason City, IA, the daughter of Carl and Frieda (Boettcher) Lehman. She married Clarence L. Devine on August 12, 1944, in Muskogee, OK. He died in November of 2001.

She graduated from Algona High School in 1939 and Iowa State Teachers College in 1944. She taught in several schools in Iowa prior to starting her family.

Survived by: a son, Brian (Kathy) Devine of Cedar Falls; grandchildren, Maggie (Brandon) Winterton of Gaeta, Italy and Mickey Devine of Cedar Falls; and great grandson, Oliver Winterton of Gaeta, Italy.

Memorial services will be 10:30 a.m. Friday, May 18, 2018 at the Western Home Communities Chapel. Family will greet friends 1 hour prior to the service in the chapel. Memorial contributions may be directed to the family. Online condolences may be left at [www.richardsonfuneralservice.com](http://www.richardsonfuneralservice.com).

# Previous Events

## Family Directed Memorial Service

MAY 18. 10:30 AM (CT)

Western Home Chapel  
420 E 11th Street  
Cedar Falls, IA 50613  
(319) 277-2141

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My family is so sorry for the loss of such a wonderful woman. Elfrieda was my grandma Marian's dearest friend at Western Home. They would eat next to each other for every meal. We all enjoyed her stories so much, and her sweet personality. She will be missed by many. I know my Grandma will remember her, and miss her dearly everyday. She was able to go in and say her goodbyes and told Elfrieda she was going to be okay because she was going home to see Jesus.*

*I wish I was able to come to the visitation, but I work that day. We are sending our thoughts and hugs your way.*

*Katie Skinner and Janet Sires*

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**Katie Skinner** - May 16, 2018 at 01:58 PM