



## Letha "Lee" Plagge

March 27, 1923 - November 12, 2015

Letha Lorraine Kent was born on March 27th, 1923 in Rose Hill, Iowa, the second daughter of Velma (Piercel) and Russell Kent.

Lee attended country school and graduated from Hampton High School in 1940. After graduation, she worked as an Operator and Office Manager for Bell Telephone Company where she worked with her two sisters, Nadine and Norma.

Lee married Robert H.W. Plagge on March 31, 1947. They had four children: Paula Jo, Mari Lynn, Robert Jr. and Kirk Lee. They built a home close to the Malcolm Price Laboratory School on Floral Court in Cedar Falls where Lee lived the remainder of her life.

Lee was an active and devoted mother; she hosted Girl and Cub Scouts and 4-H groups at their home and kept busy raising her four children. She was selfless and would sacrifice anything for her family.

Once her children were older and away at college, Lee went to work at Prior Gift Shoppe on College Hill. Lee liked to work and keep busy; she was an avid gardener and enjoyed traveling to visit her family, the company of the Frist United Methodist Circle and her neighbors on "The Court."

Lee died Thursday, November 12th, 2015, at the home she built more than sixty years ago, she was 92-years-old.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made in Lee's memory to the First United Methodist Church in Cedar Falls.

A memorial service will take place Saturday, December 5th at the First United Methodist Church in Cedar Falls at 2:00 p.m. with a reception sponsored by Lee's Circle to follow. Friends are invited to join the family at the Brown Bottle in Cedar Falls for dinner Saturday night at 7:00 p.m. A private family burial will take place in Hampton.

# Previous Events

## Memorial Service

DEC 5. 2:00 PM (CT)

First United Methodist Church  
718 Clay Street  
Cedar Falls, IA 50613  
<http://aboutfirst.com>

# Tribute Wall

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“ So sorry to learn of Letha's death today. I have fond memories of her and the family get-togethers.  
*Carolyn Harmon Dixon*

carolyn Dixon - December 17, 2015 at 06:26 PM

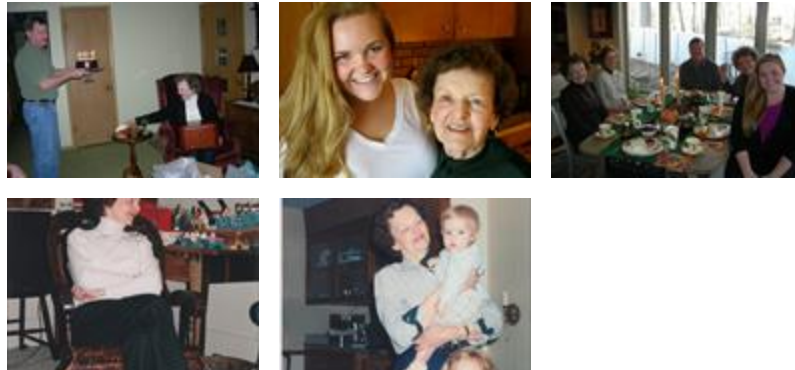
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“ Just heard of Letha's passing today. So sorry. *Beverly Harmon DeVries*

Beverly DeVries - December 17, 2015 at 06:03 PM

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“ 24 files added to the album *Lee Plagge 1923 - 2015*



Sarah van Deest - November 27, 2015 at 04:18 PM

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“ *Lee and daughter Paula on Paula's Wedding Day 1972*



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**Sarah van Deest** - November 27, 2015 at 03:22 PM

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**Sarah van Deest** - November 27, 2015 at 01:50 PM

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“ *Dear Robert & Family, We will always remember our great neighbor lady Lee. Those visits over the hedge, raking piles of leaves, tending the flower beds, rescuing the wren house... Our condolences and good memories. Bob & Alida*

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**Bob Krueger** - November 20, 2015 at 10:53 AM

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“ *I took care of Letha for awhile. She was a beautiful lady inside and out. I truly enjoyed my time with her. She will be missed.*



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**Tammy Phipps** - November 18, 2015 at 06:07 PM