



Rachel Beck

September 6, 1933 - February 12, 2009

Rachel F. Beck (1933-2009)

CEDAR FALLS- Rachel F. Beck, 75, of Cedar Falls, died Thursday, February 12, at Western Home Communities Martin Center.

She was born September 6, 1933, in Urbana, the daughter of Willard Leroy and Rachel Mae (Schmickle) Sauer.

Survivors include sons, David L. of Cedar Falls, and Mark T. (Sheila) of Omaha, NE; twin daughters, Suzanne M. Neessen of Jeffersonton, VA, and Cynthia A. Winkleman of Pelican Rapids, MN; 10 Grandchildren; two great grandchildren; and a sister, Sandra (Donald) Bedard of Hudson, IA.

Preceded in death by; a brother, Ivan Sauer; and a sister, Araietta Allen.

Services will be held 11:00 a.m. Monday at Western Home Communities Chapel with burial in Troy Mills Cemetery. Calling on Sunday from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at Richardson Funeral Home, and for one hour before service time on Monday at the chapel.

Tribute Wall



“ David, Mark, Cindy & Suzi: I was sorry to read of the passing of your Mom. I know she was not well in past years, and has now found peace, but it is never easy to say good-by to someone we love and who has been a major part of our lives. I will remember her vibrant spirit I saw and experienced many years ago in High School. In Deepest sympathy...Dave Yeager

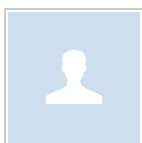
February 20, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ SUZIE AND CINDY, I AM SO SORRY TO HEAR ABOUT THE LOSS OF YOUR MOM. I DON'T HAVE AN ADDRESS SO I HOPE YOU WILL SEE THIS. MY THOUGHTS ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY.

BECKY DANIELS

February 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ I was so sorry to hear of Fonda (as she was known to me) passing but I know she had suffered for some time. I first met her when my family moved to Waterloo while in the 5th grade. We lived on a farm east of Waterloo near the old SkyVue theatre. My friend Mary Peverill first introduced us. Her parents ran a small gas station nearby. We had many good times riding our bikes here and there and she always presented us a piece of bubble gum when her father received it in stock. We graduated from East High together and lost contact. You have my deepest sympathy for your loss. together

February 16, 2009 at 12:00 AM



“ Hello Beck family..

I recently moved to the Dbq area, yet read the Courier on line and saw that your Mother passed away...when I saw her picture I thanked God for finally taking her..What a beautiful woman. Once a month I brought Holy Communion from St. Pat's and visited/prayed with your Mom. She waited so patiently for the Lord to call her to be with Him. I pray that she now knows the peace we are all still waiting to attain. I will keep your family in my prayers these next days as you say goodbye to Rachael.

*In sympathy,
Gloria Greenwood*

February 15, 2009 at 12:00 AM