



Helen L. Croak

February 23, 1919 - June 14, 2018

Helen L. Croak, 99, of Merriam, KS went to be with the Lord on June 14, 2018. A memorial service will be held at 2:00 P.M. Monday, June 18, 2018 at Maple Hill Funeral Home.

Helen was born the daughter of Louritz and Sofie Larsen on February 23, 1919 in Sheffield, IL. Helen was the valedictorian of her High School class in 1937. Following High School, Helen went to business school in Kewanee, IL. After business school, she moved to Chicago, IL and worked for a courthouse and married Russell Helm. In 1950 she married William Croak and they were married for 46 years. Helen was active in many service organizations during her life. She had many hobbies and interests, including, quilting, traveling and camping.

She is preceded in death by her parents; sister, Margaret Reed; husband, William Croak; son, Dennis Helm; step son, Frank Croak; daughter, Carolyn Worth; and grandchild, Jason Worth. She is survived by her daughters, Linda Price and Lois Hardeman; 11 grandchildren, Rochelle, Yvonne, Eric, Tina, Stephanie, Nicole, Dennis Jr., Renee, Shawn, Charlene and Christopher; 22 great grandchildren and 4 great great grandchildren. In lieu of flowers, the family would appreciate donations be made to Shriners Hospital's for Children.

Previous Events

Memorial Service

JUN 18. 2:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery created a Tribute Video in memory of Helen L. Croak*



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - June 15, 2018 at 03:36 PM



“ *Helen L. Croak*

October 08, 2023 at 10:59 AM



“ *Helen L. Croak*

September 17, 2022 at 08:24 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Helen L. Croak.*



June 16, 2018 at 10:42 PM



“ Still have a blanket she crocheted for me way back in the 1970s. I think they also gave me a blue stuffed dog, quickly dubbed "Stinkey" as I poured a very cheap perfume all over the dog.

Yvonne Zolna - June 15, 2018 at 10:02 PM



“ Around Christmas she made these awesome little cookies. Not sure what they were called, but they were so good! When I think of her, I think of cookies, and Christmas!

Mike Price - June 15, 2018 at 08:48 PM



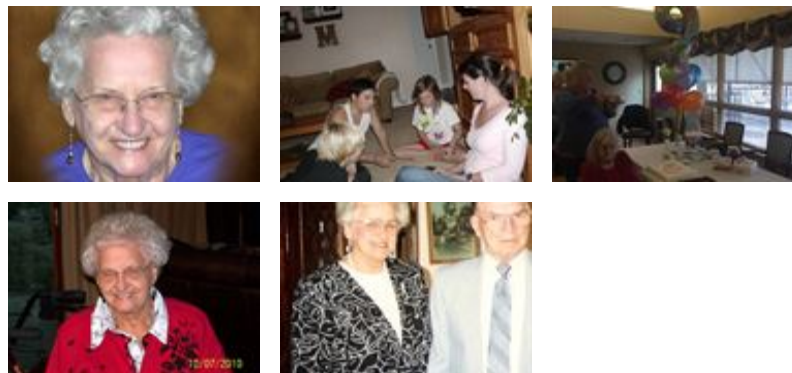
“ Roy Price Jr and Louise Chng purchased the Pre tty Please for the family of Helen L. Croak.



Roy Price Jr and Louise Chng - June 15, 2018 at 04:50 PM



“ 52 files added to the album LifeTributes



Maple Hill Funeral Home and Cemetery - June 15, 2018 at 02:28 PM

SW

“ Shane, Charlene, James, Jarrett Wilde purchased the Sweetest Sunrise Bouquet for the family of Helen L. Croak.



Shane, Charlene, James, Jarrett Wilde - June 15, 2018 at 09:48 AM

CW

“ I will never forget how Grandma Croak always made a strawberry pie every time I came to visit her in Texas.

Charlene Wilde - June 15, 2018 at 08:51 AM

RW

“ Helen was an exceptional woman, mother, grandmother and wife. So many amazing memories with her.....the holidays, card games, walks in the park, trips to the beach, camping in beautiful locations, bar b ques and crab feasts, blueberry cobbler, theater, exploring the east coast and Mexico, and many, many quiet evenings solving the problems of the world. She will continue to live within each of us as she impacted us all with her positive and happy personality. Christopher and Ron Worth. God Bless.

Ron Worth - June 15, 2018 at 05:55 AM

LW

“ Love Christopher and Ron Worth purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Helen L. Croak.



Love Christopher and Ron Worth - June 15, 2018 at 05:33 AM