



Jean G. (Thompson) Astroth

May 27, 1922 - May 19, 2013

Jean Astroth, beloved wife, mother, sister and friend passed away May 19, 2013. A native of Illinois, she was happily married 67 years to the late Lavere "Liz" Astroth and is survived by her son, Jeffrey, daughter, Jill (Reese), son, Jonathan and their families. Hers is a love song. Jean was a devout Christian, registered nurse, and extraordinary homemaker, known for her outstanding meals, sandwiches and pies. Her husband and children were clearly her top priority. Another source of pride was her ten grandchildren and fourteen great-grandchildren. Interactions with them never failed to elicit her kind smile and quiet joy. She leaves, especially to them, her legacy of love. Jean also particularly cherished time with her four sisters, favorite brother, and her husband's family. Her friends were lifelong. Her life was filled with an abundance of sports, song, laughter, love, and in her final years, remarkable courage. She literally whistled her way through five challenging years waiting, sometimes impatiently, to "go home." For two of these last years she often asked with deep concern or a hint of irritation, "Where IS Liz?" Yet love remained. That same love was evident as she held a baby, basked in a grandchild's hug, touched a familiar signature on a greeting card, relished a piece of licorice, laughed with her sons and sons-in-law, or took your hand, kissed it, and held it to her cheek. Jean never gave up on love - God within her. The last word she spoke with perfect clarity was "love." A memorial service and burial for Jean and Liz Astroth will be held at a later date at Maple Hill Cemetery, Kansas City, KS. Memorials may be sent to Grace Hospice,

9223 Ward Parkway, Ste. 201, Kansas City, MO 64114. Thank you to all, including Bickford-Mission Springs, who so loyally supported and cared for Jean.

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