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Helen Gehrke Obituary

Helen M. Gehrke (nee: Ahlgrim) 96, of Elyria Township died August 9, 2014 at her home. She was born March 1, 1918 in Amherst and has been a resident of Elyria most of her life. Helen was a member of St. Paul United Church of Christ, Elyria and had a strong love of animals. She enjoyed gardening and had a green thumb with house plants. For many years she bowled in several area leagues and made chocolates for the holidays. Helen is survived by her daughter, Carol Halcomb of South Amherst; two grandsons and four great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband of seventy years, William C. Gehrke in 2007 and a brother Howard Ahlgrim. Friends will be received Tuesday August 12, 2014 from 6:30 PM until 8:00 PM at Dicken Funeral Home, 323 Middle Avenue, Elyria. A service will be Wednesday August 13, 2014 at 1:00 PM in the funeral home. Burial will be in Brownhelm Cemetery, Brownhelm Township. Memorial contributions may be made to Erie Shores Humane Society P.O. Box 1041 Elyria, OH 44036-1041.

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in memory of Helen M. Gehrke, please visit our floral store.

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Kathy Ahlgrim posted:

Carol, I want you to know that I'm so sorry I couldn't be there for you. I'm so glad you have such good friends around you right now. I'm thankful for the lovely talk we had, I'll keep you in my prayers, get some rest and eat good. Call any time of day or night OK love you cuz

August 12 at 8:00 PM



Maryellen McGrew posted:

Carol, my deepest sympathy for the loss of your mom. She was blessed to have a daughter as good as you. May she RIP.

August 10 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Helen by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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