



Lorayne Mae Dallas

May 4, 1918 - January 24, 2015

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RACINE-Lorayne Mae Dallas, (nee: Simonsen) passed peacefully in her sleep on January 24, 2015. Lorayne was born in Pleasant Prairie, WI on May 4, 1918, daughter of Ben and Pearl Simonsen. She married her high school sweetheart, Peter Dallas, on January 12, 1939 as they celebrated 51 years at the time of his passing. Together they raised three wonderful daughters. Lorayne and Peter owned and operated Plaza Liquor Store and Antique Liquor Store, prior to their retirement to Pt. Charlotte, Florida in 1981. She loved the warm sunshine of Florida but moved back to Wisconsin in 2004 to be closer to her Wisconsin family. Fiercely independent, she was able to live in her own apartment until the age of 96.

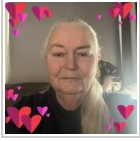
Lorayne is survived by two daughters, Diane (Thomas) Schacht and Terri (Gary) Eppinger; grandchildren, Kelly Wilson, Lisa (Jason) Schrems, Jason (Cristy) Wilson, Lori (Jason) Erickson, Ben (Kelly) Eppinger, and Mike (Jen) Eppinger. She is further survived by great-grandchildren Jesse (Julie) Wilson, Nicole Kraft, Zachari (Sara) Kraft, Dallas Godwin, Keegan Schrems, Braeden Schrems, Carter Wilson, Isabella Erickson and Jameson Eppinger, and six great-great grandchildren. She is further survived by one sister, June Fennell and sister-in-law, Betty Simonsen.

Lorayne was preceded in death by her husband, Peter, daughter, Donna Dallas, granddaughter, Cory Godwin; brothers, William and Howard and sister, Evelyn Lyvers.

Per Lorayne's wishes there will be no memorial service, and her ashes will be interred next to her husband in Port Charlotte, FL at a later date.

The family would like to thank the amazing staff of Lakeshore Manor for their loving care and compassion. Many thanks to Lorayne's long term health aide who brought her so much joy on a daily basis. The family is also grateful to God for bringing Lorayne home peacefully. We imagine she is having a wonderful time in heaven reuniting with so many loved ones who preceded her. Hopefully Elvis made it to heaven and she is able to listen to him sing the gospel songs she enjoyed hearing every Sunday morning on her cassette player.

Tribute Wall



“ Chris Gipson lit a candle in memory of
Lorayne Mae Dallas



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I never new Diane's mother, but I know she raised a wonderful and caring daughter. Additionally, I don't know Diane's siblings, but I can share that Diane always talked about her mother lovingly, and shared the wonderful times she had with her, up until her passing. Thank you, Lorayne, for raising a kind, caring and wonderful daughter who shared her love for you with her friends and I have no doubt, family. She will carry on your traditions and will continue to make you proud by sharing your and your husband's life with her beautiful daughters, grandsons and granddaughter. It sounds as if you had a long and fulfilling life, and you must know how much you were and are loved by your daughter, my friend, Diane Irene. May you rest in peace and harmony being in the arms of your your husband and our Lord in heaven. Much love to you and your family Irene... Kelly

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We send or prayers for peace and comfort to you all. GOd Bless!
Nancy Freitag- Staff Lakeshore Manor

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