



## Dorma D. Lee

July 4, 1924 - July 17, 2014

Dorma D. Lee, 90 of Centralia, passed away Thursday, July 17, 2014 at Centralia Manor. Mrs. Lee was born July 4, 1924 in Decatur, daughter of Otto Schnake and Ada (Barnhill) Schnake. She married Gilbert Lee on November 3, 1945 and he preceded her in death on May 16, 1987. She is survived by a son, Thomas W. Lee and wife Crystal of Crawfordville, FL; a daughter, Sherry Gordon and husband Larry of Belleville; three grandchildren: Amanda Bunger of Scottsdale, Arizona, Kyle Gordon of Belleville and Kristopher Gordon and wife Andrea of Belleville; one great-grandson: Brody Lee of Scottsdale, Arizona; a sister, Charlotte Courtney of Pinckneyville; several nieces, nephews, cousins and special friends. She was preceded in death by her parents, husband and a sister, La Donna Scarborough. Dorma was a member of the Centralia Women of the Moose, VFW Women's Auxillary, and the Zion United Church of Christ in Central City. She enjoyed spending the winter months in Florida. She was an avid dancer, card player, Bingo player and she enjoyed gathering collectible glass baskets. She was known to her family and friends as the Road Runner. She also enjoyed going to see her son, Thomas Lee, the drummer for the band Sound Waves. Most of all she loved spending time with her family, grandchildren and friends. Funeral Services for Dorma Lee will be held Wednesday, July 23, 2014 at 1:00 P.M. at the Sutherland-Garnier Funeral Home in Centralia with Pastor Joey Rhodes officiating. Burial will follow at Hillcrest Memorial Park in Centralia. Visitation will be held from 11:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. at the funeral home on Wednesday. In lieu of flowers,

memorial donations may be made to the donor's choice and will be accepted at the funeral home. Online condolences may be made to the family by visiting [www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com](http://www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com)

# Tribute Wall

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“ Tom, Sherry & families...Our prayers go out to you all on the loss of your mom. My mother who also turned 90 this year has lost a dear friend. We have all grown up knowing Dorma and your dad. And yes, she enjoyed a hot Canasta game. When the club ran short of a player, there were always enough kids to call to fill the spot. In our later years, we would bring her out to our house for a family game of Canasta. She was always such a joy to be around. My mother has a picture of both of them all dressed up in red-white-blue outfits. We shared your mothers birthday with her that day! She will always be in our hearts.....With sincere sympathy, Penny (Redman) Sprehe. Wanda Panzau and The Redman Families

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**Penny Sprehe** - July 19, 2014 at 12:00 AM