



Mildred Bauer Held

April 1, 1918 - January 20, 2016

Mildred Held Mildred Bauer Held, age 97 of Aviston, formerly of Centralia, passed away Friday evening, January 15, 2016, at Aviston Countryside Manor in Aviston. Mildred was born April 1, 1918, in Brookside Township, daughter of Horace and Harriett Lucy (Frazier) Boreup. She married Lawrence W. Bauer, on June 22, 1940, in Hillsboro, Il and he preceded her in death, April 6, 1965. She then married Oliver Held, in Mt. Vernon, IL, on January 22, 1972 and he preceded her in death, April 6, 1998. She is survived by her son Charles Bauer and wife Christine of Aviston, daughter Connie Hess and husband Charles of Centralia, four grandchildren Pamela Hess of Rochester, MN, Michelle Hagen and husband Adrian of Aviston, IL, Michael Bauer, Breese, IL, Theodore Bauer of Aviston, IL, great grandchildren Tyler Larkin of MN, Andrew Hagen and Nicole Hagen of Aviston, IL, and several nieces and nephews and a host of family and friends. She is preceded in death by her parents, both husbands, two brothers Raymond Boreup, Theodore Boerup, and four sisters, Arminda Roper, Mae Bierman, Hazel Bierman, and Helen Toedte. Mildred was a member of the VFW Auxiliary. She retired from Hollywood Candy Company, and was also a beautician. Her hobbies included pinochle, dancing the Waltz and Polka, camping, fishing, and traveling around the country. Most of all she loved spending time with her family. Funeral service for Mildred will be held Wednesday, January 20, 2016, at 11:00AM, at the Sutherland- Garnier Funeral home in Centralia, with Pastor Steve Upchurch officiating. Interment will follow at Elmwood Cemetery in Centralia. Visitation will be on Tuesday

evening from 6:00 to 8:00PM, at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to Celtic Hospice or Shriner's Hospital for Children. For more information or to sign an online guest register, please visit www.sutherlandfuneralhome.com.

Tribute Wall

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“*Connie and Charles, Sorry to hear about the passing of your mother and my apologies for not being able to attend the funeral. A donation to the Celtic Hospice is forth coming. I remember a lot of good times visiting southern Illinois as a kid, especially those spent with your fun loving mother. The many softball games where she directed so many of the moves, her encouragement during those games, family picnics, and other large gatherings. She had a great outlook on life and I believe she lived it to the fullest. She will be missed by ALL. As we go further into our senior years may we all mirror her love of life and kindness. Chris Boerup*

Chris Boerup - January 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“*Mildred will be missed by all of us here at Countryside Manor. Her love of animals and her sweet smile is a fond memory for many of us. Our condolences to you all.*

Bobbie Warren - January 20, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“*Mildred, you will be missed. You have touched the lives of so many people.*

Charles Hess - January 18, 2016 at 12:00 AM

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“*Sending condolences to the family. In our thoughts & prayers. We ,Ropers, lived in the neighborhood with your mom, she was a nice lady.*

Donna (Roper) Wooters - January 17, 2016 at 12:00 AM