



## Betty J. Leppin

September 7, 1932 - April 16, 2024

Betty J Leppin age 91, passed away peacefully at her home on Tuesday, April 16th, 2024 surrounded by her family.

Betty was born September 7, 1932, the daughter of Jess and Lona (Rodencal) Hardel. She was the youngest of 6 children.

She was a graduate of Berlin High School. She worked at Schultz's Dime store, Ron's Diner as a waitress and cook and was a stitcher for many years at JP Luther.

Betty enjoyed spending time with her family, playing Flinch, cooking, baking, sewing, and watching game shows on tv. She liked to collect angels, cookbooks and Mary Moo Moo's.

Betty was a lifetime member of Immanuel Lutheran Church Auroraville, where she was baptized, confirmed and married.

On April 12th, 1953 she married Donald Leppin. They were blessed with 2 daughters, Cynthia and Peggy and 2 grandsons Adam and Eric Mortensen.

Betty is survived by her daughter, Peggy; grandsons, Adam and Eric; and son-in-law, James Clausen. She is further survived by sister-in-law, Joan Hardel; goddaughter, Cathy Herbst; and many other in-laws, nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband, daughter, son-in-law, Mark Mortensen; sisters, Lucille Hardel, Arlene Hardel, Ardene (Walter) Prien, Mildred (Noel) Smick; and brother, Clifford Hardel.

A special thank you to Pastor Ryan Willis for his many special visits and prayers.

In place of flowers a memorial will be established.

Family and friends may visit with the family and pay their respects to Betty on Friday, April 26, 2024, from 9-11:00 p.m. at Immanuel Lutheran Church of Auroraville.

A funeral service will follow visitation at 11:00 a.m. officiated by Pastor Ryan Willis.

Burial will follow services at the church at Pine Grove Cemetery of Auroraville.

# Cemetery Details

## Pine Grove Cemetery

Auroraville, WI

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 26. 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Immanuel Lutheran Church  
Auroraville, WI

## Funeral Service

APR 26. 11:00 AM (CT)

Immanuel Lutheran Church  
Auroraville, WI

# Tribute Wall

LJ

“ Remembering when in high school, Kathy and I stayed with Donny and Betty when our parents went to Florida for a month. Betty was the best dessert baker, we always had cookies, cake and bars to eat, they were delicious. Betty took care of us as if she were our Mom, I always appreciated this. Our prayers are with you Peggy, Adam and Eric. Linda Leppin Jahns.

Linda Leppin Jahns - April 23, 2024 at 12:26 PM

SH

“ I am so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers 🙏 are with all of you.



Shirley Moran Holtmeier - April 19, 2024 at 07:52 AM

KW

“ I worked with Betty and Ardene at Ron's Diner. I was a senior in high School at that time. 1970 They were so funny and always laughing. Ron teased them so much but they always had a comeback. I ENJOYED THEM BOTH. I lost track of your mom Betty. She had a long life and I'm sure a fun one. I'll always remember those days at the diner.

Karen Angle Wesner - April 18, 2024 at 10:57 PM

MS

“ I give Betty's family my deepest sympathies and condolences with her loss. Looks like she lived a good long life being 91 years young. She is now with her Lord and Savior Jesus Christ and all of his angels and all of her loved ones who have gone before her. I remember Betty through working at Juliette Manor from 1979 to 1996 as a nursing assistant. She was a sweetheart who diligently came to see her Mom Lona Hardel almost on a daily basis to help with her cares as well as her sisters. She was also very cheerful. She had some hard moments, as we all do, at times when there are disagreements with the cares her mom was getting. But we worked it out and mended it so all was okay. May her family find peace with her passing for she is in a great place with no more pain or suffering and is free to be with everyone she loves. May her family take care and you will be in my thoughts at this time. Best regards to a fine woman, Marianne Darnick Schultz

Marianne Darnick Schultz - April 18, 2024 at 03:38 PM

FK

*Sorry to hear about your mom's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.*

**Fred and Roberta Klawitter** - April 25, 2024 at 07:46 AM

DK

*Oh Peggy, I am so sorry to hear of the loss of your mother. Please accept my condolences. Dana Kittner*

**Dana Kittner** - June 13, 2024 at 09:36 PM