



Helen Victoria Bahr

July 9, 1921 - April 21, 2015

Helen Victoria Bahr, aged 93 of Bass Lake, Pentwater went to be with her Lord on Tuesday, April 21, 2015. Helen was born on July 9, 1921 in Ludington, the youngest child of Karl and Lena Johnson, and graduated from Ludington High School. On August 12, 1944, she married Robert A. Bahr at the home of her sister in Ludington, and they have celebrated 70 blessed years by each other's side. Together they farmed in Eden Township and operated the Riverton Country Store for many years while raising their four children. Helen also served as a Realtor for Oceana Realty for a few years.

A very social person, Helen made many lifelong friends. She loved being a Mom and Grandma and enjoyed visiting with friends, catching up on old times, often from her front porch on Bass Lake. In her quiet time, she liked to paint or play the organ. She also had a soft spot in her heart for animals of all kinds. Helen was a Lifelong member of Emanuel Lutheran Church in Ludington.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her son Robert Bahr last year, her sisters Elnora Rasmussen, Anna French, and Nina Sanders, and her brothers Nels and Karl Johnson.

Helen will be greatly missed by her beloved husband Robert, her sons Wayne (Debbie) Bahr, and David (Judy) Bahr all of Custer, her daughter Judy (Mark) Nichols of Scottville, her daughter-in-law Barbara Bahr of Fountain, 13 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, 4 great, great-grandchildren, and many nieces, nephews, and friends.

Funeral Services will be held for Helen at 11:00 am on Saturday, April 25 at Emanuel Lutheran Church in Ludington with her pastor, Rev. Mick Shriver officiating. Burial will take place at Center Riverton Cemetery. Friends may meet with her family on Saturday morning from 10:00 am until time of services at the church. Those who wish to make contributions in Helen's memory are asked to consider Lakeshore Animal Friends.

Cemetery Details

Center Riverton Cemetery

2200 West Hawley Road
Ludington, MI 49431

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 25. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

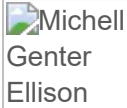
Emanuel Lutheran Church
501 East Danaher St.
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ I remember spending a lot of time at the farm with (great) Aunt Helen and (great) Uncle Robert. Cherished memories of milking cows, teasing a bull, climbing in a corn crib, and eating delicious meals. When they used to stay at Bass Lake, we had many bonfires. We would all beg Aunt Helen to sing a song in Swedish. She never believed she had a beautiful voice, but to this day, I've never heard anyone sing so lovely. When Aunt Helen and Uncle Robert moved to the lake permanently, I loved visiting them whenever we could. I'm so glad I was able to see Aunt Helen when I came back to Michigan for a visit in 2011. There are no words to comfort Uncle Robert and the rest of Aunt Helen's family, but I love all of you and wish I could've been home during this time. Love to all of you...Shellie Genter Ellison

Michell Genter Ellison - May 17, 2015 at 09:46 PM

RE

“ I remember working out on the farm once helping them put some hay away in the barn.very nice people I got to know them thru my step mom marcile Engelmann and Dad R.I.P.

Robert Engelmann - May 03, 2015 at 05:48 PM

BB

“ We are so sorry to hear of you loss our prayers and hugs are coming your way. This is from Mark and my self (Betty).

betty (miller) bauer - April 29, 2015 at 05:38 AM

PR

“ To my dear friend Helen, I will miss your smile, your laugh, and the stories we shared. Bass Lake will never be the same. The porch is emptier now. Rest in peace friend, until we meet again. Love,Patti

Patti Rockett - April 24, 2015 at 07:27 PM



“ Blooming Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Helen Victoria Bahr.



April 24, 2015 at 09:40 AM