

## Mary K Sporrer

April 10, 1939 - July 31, 2021

Mary K Sporrer, age 82 of Dedham, died on Saturday, July 31, 2021 at MercyOne Medical Center in Des Moines.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. on Thursday, August 5 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Dedham. The Celebrant will be Fr. Kevin Richter, with assistance by Deacon Louis Meiners. Music will be Cindy Bauer and the St. Joseph's Choir. Lectors will be Emma Hulse and Karla Vogel. Gift Bearers will be Mary K's grandchildren. Eucharistic Minister will be Dale Sporrer. Casket Bearers will be Mike Bohling, Gary Sporrer, Dave Sporrer, Brad Irlbeck, Kevin Lubischer, and Todd Bohling. Burial will follow in St. Joseph's Cemetery in Dedham.

A visitation will be held at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll on Wednesday from 4:30 to 7:00 p.m. There will be a Rosary prayed at 6:30 p.m. Visitation will resume at St. Joseph's Church in Dedham from 9:30 to 10:15 a.m. Thursday morning.

Memorial contributions may be directed to Mary K's family for a designation that will be decided at a later date.

Arrangements are under the guidance of Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll, and online condolences may be left at [www.sharpfuneral.com](http://www.sharpfuneral.com).

Born on April 10, 1939 in Carroll, Mary K was the daughter of John and Bernie (Hausmann) Bohling. She grew up in Maple River, but at a young age, her family moved to Carroll. Mary K attended Carroll schools and graduated from Kuemper Catholic High School in 1957. Following high school, she went to business school in Omaha. For a short time, Mary K worked at a bank. On June 23, 1962, Mary K married Joseph R. Sporrer at St. Lawrence Church with Rev. Hausmann, Mary K's uncle, officiating. This union was blessed with eight children. Mary K stopped working once she got married to stay at home to care for her children and assist with the farm. In her retirement years she returned to work, working at Pac 'n' save, Dollar General, and Frohlich's Grocery, where she loved visiting with all the customers.

Mary K was a member of St. Joseph's Church and the Ladies Guild at church. In the late 1970s, she and Joseph were also members of the Carroll County Pork Producers. Mary K enjoyed her crafts, cross stitching, embroidering, reading, playing cards, and especially her flower beds. She was a busy lady. She did a lot of canning from her garden and orchard. Raising eight children and helping on the farm when needed was Mary K's life, but a life she loved because family was her most important love. She enjoyed time with her grandchildren and watching them grow.

Those left to cherish her memory include her husband Joseph of Dedham; her children: Carol Sporrer of Urbandale, Pat (Janel) Sporrer of Dedham, Art (Dianne) Sporrer of Ft. Dodge, Glen Sporrer of Dedham, Connie (Barry) Hulse of Grimes, Ann Sporrer of Dedham, and Kris (Chad) Campbell of Grimes; 10 grandchildren: Elizabeth (Tom) Hofmeister, Isaiah Sporrer, and Samantha Sporrer all of Wisconsin, Lindsey Sporrer and Rachel Sporrer both of Ft. Dodge, Emma Hulse, Macie Hulse, Kelson Campbell, and Jacob Campbell all of Grimes, and Garret Sporrer of Dedham; 1 great grandchild: Harper Hofmeister of Wisconsin; sister: Ruth (Pat) Lubischer of Kansas; nieces,

nephews, other family members, and friends.

Mary K was preceded in death by her parents, her son Joseph in 2007, and her brothers and their spouses: Fred (Char) Bohling, and Bill (Joyce) Bohling.

# Tribute Wall

DB

“ I worked with Mary at the dollar general store. She was such a great coworker and lady. May she Rest In Peace..



deb beyerink - August 06, 2021 at 11:55 AM

KR

“ To all of Mary's family we send our sincere condolences and sympathy. Connie especially we have such good memories of your mom and her smiley face and sweet ways. Always ready for a little visit to chat about you and Nanci and the fun you two had together. She will be so missed. May God bless you and your family as you get thru this hard time. Kathy and Bill Rupiper

Kathy Rupiper - August 04, 2021 at 08:36 PM



“ Lovely One Spathiphyllum Plant was purchased for the family of Mary K Sporrer.



August 04, 2021 at 10:53 AM

SJ

“ My deepest sympathies to the entire Sporrer family. Connie, Barry & girls know I am thinking of all of you & praying that God's love & guidance will help you thru this sad time. Also, Kris, Chad & boys know you are in my heart. May God watch over the entire family during very sad time. Your mother was always so kind, friendly & giving to everyone. She will be dearly missed. My love to all.

*Sally Jamison*

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**sally jamison** - August 03, 2021 at 04:26 PM

CH

*Sally-thank you for the kind words! We can feel your love!*

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**Connie Hulse** - August 03, 2021 at 09:20 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary K Sporrer.*



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August 03, 2021 at 01:07 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Mary K Sporrer.*



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August 02, 2021 at 07:47 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary K Sporrer.*



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August 02, 2021 at 07:15 PM



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary K Sporrer.*



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August 02, 2021 at 05:01 PM



“ *Mary was a person you loves to have wait on them. I loved to visit with her. Her kindness made everyone feel welcome. I have not seen her since she left Dollar General but I sure missed her. RIP Mary, will pray for you and your family.*

*Darlene Wiederin*

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**Darlene Wiederin** - August 02, 2021 at 01:57 PM



“ *JoAnn Bauer lit a candle in memory of Mary K Sporrer*



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**JoAnn Bauer** - August 02, 2021 at 01:39 PM

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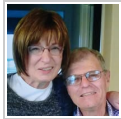
Carol Sporrer - August 02, 2021 at 01:28 PM

KJ

“ Kristi Jorgensen lit a candle in memory of Mary K Sporrer



Kristi Jorgensen - August 02, 2021 at 12:20 PM



Mary Kay was a special Aunt and neighbor! She was a very caring and sharing kind of person. Rest in peace, Mary Kay. You have earned your place in heaven!

Sharon Sporrer - August 02, 2021 at 12:36 PM



“ Divine Peace Bouquet was purchased for the family of Mary K Sporrer.



August 02, 2021 at 11:49 AM

YF

“ your Honkamp Krueger family purchased the Divine Peace Bouquet for the family of Mary K Sporrer.



your Honkamp Krueger family - August 02, 2021 at 11:44 AM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Mary K Sporrer.



August 02, 2021 at 09:19 AM

RM

“ Our deepest sympathy to your family. Mary was a beautiful person, always friendly. I got to visit with her many times when she worked at Dollar General.  
You are in our thoughts & prayers.  
Darrell & Renee(Wiskus)Mueggenberg

renee mueggenberg - August 02, 2021 at 08:30 AM

TM

“ Tracy Sturm ( Meiners) lit a candle in memory of Mary K Sporrer

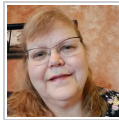


Tracy Sturm ( Meiners) - August 02, 2021 at 12:13 AM

SR

“ *RIP -- Dear aunt, friend, soulmate! Oh ,the secrets we shared--a rapport few others would understand. It was as if we each possessed ESP. We could read each others mind. Through it all, we could still share a good laugh. I didn't realize the last chat we had would be our last. Miss you dearly already. Love, Sue*

Sue Romey - August 01, 2021 at 08:32 PM



*She loved your chats Sue. She would tell me you had talked but wouldn't always say about what.*

Carol Sporrer - August 02, 2021 at 06:53 PM

KT

“ *Kim Tiefenthaler lit a candle in memory of Mary K Sporrer*



Kim Tiefenthaler - August 01, 2021 at 07:31 PM

KT

“ *I worked with Mary a short time at PAC n Save. I then saw her a lot at dollar general and enjoyed our conversations. I worked with Ann some. Such a great lady. My thoughts and prayers are with the family.*

Kim Tiefenthaler - August 01, 2021 at 07:31 PM