



## Mildred Ramsey

March 10, 1916 - December 17, 2023

Mildred Ramsey, 107 of Carroll, died Sunday, December 17, 2023, at Regency Park Nursing Home in Carroll.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m., Thursday, December 21, 2023, at Holy Spirit Church – St. John Paul II Parish in Carroll. The Celebrant will be Fr. Patrick Behm. Music will be by Kathy Halbur. Lector and Eucharistic Minister will be Jane Boes. Gift Bearers will be Teresa Miller and JoAnn Gresso. Casket Bearers will be Dave Gresso, Tom Gresso, P.J. Bruegger, Mark Ramsey, Paul Ramsey, Mike Franey, and Tom Underberg. Burial will be in Mt. Olivet Cemetery in Manilla at 1 p.m. Thursday.

Visitation will be from 5-6 p.m. on Wednesday at the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll. A rosary will be prayed at 6 p.m. Additional visitation will be from 9:30-10:15 a.m. on Thursday at the church.

Funeral arrangements are under the guidance of the Sharp Funeral Home in Carroll and online condolences may be left for Mildred's family at [www.sharpfuneral.com](http://www.sharpfuneral.com).

The daughter of Stephen and Emma (Schmitt) Reiff, Mildred was born on March 10, 1916, in Buck Grove, Iowa. She attended elementary school in Buck Grove and high school in Manilla. In 1934, Mildred was united in marriage to Ralph (Jake) Ramsey. They lived in Manilla until their retirement in 1976.

During World War II, Mildred worked at the telephone office in Manilla and would notify family members of the United States Military of their service. She later clerked at the Manilla Post Office for 15 years.

Upon their retirement, Mildred and Jake moved to Carroll. While living in Carroll, Mildred volunteered with Holy Spirit Quilters, St. Anthony Hospital Auxiliary, New Hope Village Bargain Shoppe, and RSVP. Through her volunteer work, Mildred made many wonderful friends.

Mildred is survived by her children: JoAnn Gresso of St. Charles, MO, Mark (Carole) Ramsey of Iowa City, and Teresa (George) Miller of Macungie, PA; her daughter-in-law, Jayme Ramsey of Des Moines; 10 grandchildren; 16 great-grandchildren; other extended relatives and many friends.

Mildred was preceded in death by her parents; her husband Jake Ramsey; her son Tom Ramsey; her brothers, Werner Reiff and Walter Reiff; and her sister, Celina Negathon.

# Tribute Wall

RL

“ Our sincere condolences to Mildreds entire family and especially JoAnn, Mark and Teresa. So many wonderful memories of your mom, family reunions and special visits. Bob & Mary Laverty

Robert Laverty - December 24, 2023 at 11:39 AM

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“ Susan Teter-Lord lit a candle in memory of Mildred Ramsey



Susan Teter-Lord - December 21, 2023 at 06:46 AM

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I worked at congregate meals and talked to Mildred quite often. Such a sweet soul.

Susan Teter-Lord - December 21, 2023 at 06:49 AM

JE

“ We delivered Congregate Meals to Mildred when she was 100 to 102 years old. Our grandchildren helped us deliver to Mildred a couple of times and always enjoyed visiting with her and were amazed at someone being 100 and 101 years old. So in 2016 the Chicago Cubs were going to be in the World Series after not being there for 100 years, and my son asked his kids if they had any idea how long 100 years would be and they replied that they knew Mildred was 100. My son said "Whose Mildred?" My son never had the privilege of meeting Mildred but she was a kind soul and I think she enjoyed my grandkids and laughing with them. Rest in peace, Mildred!!

Jim & Darlene Eich - December 20, 2023 at 09:47 PM

GM

“ *Mildred was longtime neighbor of ours in Manilla. I was lucky to be able to visit with her in Carroll when her daughter, Teri, would come from PA. And then when she was at Regency. She will be missed!*  
*Glen and Chris*

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**Glen and Chris Macumber** - December 19, 2023 at 08:16 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Mildred Ramsey.*



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December 19, 2023 at 04:47 PM

JL

“ *John Langer planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mildred Ramsey.*

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**John Langer** - December 19, 2023 at 04:47 PM