



## Jean Marie Spaur

February 21, 1930 - February 21, 2013

Jean Marie Spaur, age 83 of Pella, formerly of Bussey, died Thursday, February 21, 2013, at the Comfort House in Pella.

Jean was born February 21, 1930, to Rodney and Hazel (Lee) Phillips in Hamilton, IA. She married Bill Spaur on September 29, 1946 at the Bussey Methodist Church in Bussey. After 62 years of marriage, he preceded Jean in death on May 26, 2009.

Jean grew up and attended school in Hamilton and Lovilia. She was an assistant for Dr. Carlson in Bussey for 31 years. Family was everything to Jean, and she really enjoyed spending time with them.

Jean is survived by two children, Mary Jean Ferguson of Silvis, IL and Bill, Jr. (Audrey) Spaur of Pella; five grandchildren, Mike, Scott, Chad, Sarah, and Alaina; five great grandchildren; and three sisters, Marge Nucko of Albia, Carol Richmond of Lovilia, and Wilma Clubb of Cameron, MO.

She was preceded in death by her parents; husband, Bill; three brothers, Russell, Roy, and James Phillips; and two sisters, Helen Avon and Sue VanNess.

Funeral services will be 11 a.m., Monday, February 25, 2013, at Bussey

Methodist Church in Bussey, with Pastor Dale Schoening officiating. Burial will be in Liberty Cemetery north of Bussey.

Visitation will be 10-11 a.m., Monday, February 25, 2013, at Bussey Methodist Church in Bussey, with Jean's family present.

Memorials have been established to Bussey Methodist Church and Hospice of Pella (Comfort House).

# Tribute Wall



“ *Jean Marie Spaur*

January 30, 2023 at 05:06 AM



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January 30, 2023 at 02:53 AM



“ *Peace to you and your loved ones.*

*Pam*

**Pam - Silvis, IL - Friend of the Family** - April 15, 2013 at 12:00 AM



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JF

“ My prayers and love go out to Jean's family. Jean took such good care of my sister and I anytime we came into the office. She measured us, and took our temps; she cared for us from stitches to ear infections; Jean even pierced my ears for the first time when I was in 2nd grade. When I think of growing up in Bussey....I think of her.

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**Julie Watertor - Des Moines, IA - friend of family** - March 02, 2013 at 12:00 AM

JJ

“ I never personally met Jean, I worked with Mary Jean for years and we became good friends. I think everyone who knew Mary Jean is a friend of hers. But I know Jean showed her children by example how to be kind, thoughtful and respectful of everyone , a good friend to all. The world is a better place because Jean Spaur lived.

*God bless Mary Jean and family*

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**James and Carole Vrban - Colona, IL** - March 01, 2013 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Jean was always such a pleasant person. I remember her helping us in Dr Carlson's office and she was always in a wonderful mood and so helpful. She probably influenced my decision into the medical field. What a great lady. She and Bill were a super couple. I still have the bookcase Dad had Bill make me in junior high. Bussey was a good town to grow up in. Thanks for all the great memories, Jean. I know you'll be a great Angel.

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**Rena King Crawford - Ankeny, IA - friend** - February 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ To all of Jean's family~ My heartfelt sympathy to you. Caring for Jean at Comfort House was a great privilege. During her life she gave so much care and love and attention to others, mostly you her beloved family. She showed us her love to you as she would mention your names and relive some of her past times being your caring mom and grandma. As she mentioned your names in her conversations, it showed how important you all were to her till the end of her life. I will always remember her bits of humor she shared with us and her dear sweet smiles! Your devoted visits to her during her stay were so endearing to see, as your love for her showed so wonderfully too!. Your family circle has lost a great link, but as she now has joined her beloved husband, one day that circle will be complete again. Thinking of you today as I can't be present at her service, please, stop back by or send us one of her memorial service folders if you can.

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**Karen Vink - Pella, IA - Comfort House CNA** - February 25, 2013 at 12:00 AM

DF

“ Our family grew up with "Doc" and Jean. I will always remember her kind smile and reassuring ways to us as children. Even after many years and moving away, seeing Jean at Bussey 4th, she still had that lovely laugh and smile and remembered us. A true lovely lady.

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**Donna (Major) Flattery** - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ To MJ and LB: So sorry for your loss and I know how much you guys will miss her. Since loosing my Mom in 98 the memory of life in a nursing home is fresh, I know how difficult these last few months have been. Our thoughts are with you guys today, tomorrow and Monday etal.

*I probably would never got through football or even survived my teens is she hadn't put so many good casts on my ankles and bandages on my fingers caused by what ever stupidity I was up.*

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**Tom Clark - friend** - February 23, 2013 at 12:00 AM