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Rose Stephens, 91, of Centerville, Iowa, passed away on April 27, 2015 at Centerville Nursing and Rehab. Rose was born to Owen and Margaret (White) McConville on January 7, 1924 in Centerville, Iowa. She was raised with her six siblings. Rose received her education from Centerville High School. She went on to complete two years of college and worked at St. Joseph's Hospital/Mercy Medical Center, doing payroll and accounting. Rose retired in 1990. Rose was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church. She belonged to the Ladies of St. Mary's and the Hospital Auxiliary. She enjoyed crafting, travel and spending time with her family, especially her grandchildren. Survivors include two children: Michael Stephens (Vicky) of Centerville, Patrick Stephens (Connie) of Centerville, five grandchildren: Lt. Col. Michael Stephens Jr. (Colleen) of Leavenworth, Kansas, Suzanne Hillyard (Don) of Newton, Joe Stephens (Lila) of Underwood, Iowa, Dan Stephens (Amy) of Ankeny, Ryan Stephens (Amy) of Centerville and 13 great grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, Norman Stephens, six siblings: Kay Cortesio, Owen McConville Jr., Don McConville, Mary Ellen McConville-Cox, Betty Hiatt and Margaret "Muggs" Brunk. Funeral Mass will be held on Friday, May 1, 2015 at 11:00 am at St. Mary's Catholic Church with Fr. Bill Hubmann officiating. Interment will immediately follow at Oakland Cemetery. Visitation will be held from 6:00-8:00 pm on Thursday, April 30 at Thomas Funeral Home with a vigil service at 7:00 p.m., led by Fr. Bill Hubmann. Memorials may be given to St. Mary's Catholic Church. Condolences and memories may be shared at www.thomasfh.com. To send flowers or a memorial gift to the family of Rose Stephens please visit our Sympathy Store. Cemetery Details Oakland Cemetery E. State St. & N. 21st St. Centerville, IA 52544 Visitation APR 30. 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CDT) Thomas Funeral Home - Centerville 501 North 18th StreetCenterville, IA 52544[(mailto:)]



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Funeral Service MAY 1. 11:00 AM (CDT) St. Mary's Catholic Church 301 St. Peter
StAssumption, IL 62510



Tribute Wall

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Thomas Funeral Home posted:

October 21 at 2:39 PM



Thomas Funeral Home shared an album called **Obituary Wall**.



April 27 at 7:00 PM



Kathy Browns posted:

Mike, Vicky & families Pat, Connie & families; so sorry to hear of your loss. Rose was a very positive influence @ S.J. M.H. (St Joseph Mercy Hospital, Centerville). Rose was also a very faithful & compassionate friend to my neighbor Liz Buban, when those two Ladies met- 'fun' times and ornery pranks prevailed. Liz & Rose were Great Ladies and I miss their contagious laughter but thankful for their legacy of compassion for folks in Appanoose County.

May 30 at 7:00 PM



Arrive In Style posted:

Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Rose Stephens.

April 29 at 7:00 PM



Janet Mcconville posted:

I am so sorry for your loss. Rose was a wonderful lady with a beautiful laugh. She will be missed.

April 29 at 7:00 PM



Tom Reynolds posted:

Jayne and I always had a good time with Rose and Norm we haven't been in touch with her Like I should have been but life is a struggle at times and I will always have fond memories of her and Norm as well and they always had my deepest respect. Peace be with you guys and God Bless You. Tom Reynolds

April 29 at 7:00 PM



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JH

Janet & Alan Hansen posted:

Pat, Connie, and family.....sorry to hear of Rose's passing but what memories you have. She was a lovely lady and so much fun to visit with. Know that we are feeling your loss. It is always hard to let go. Much love sent your way. Alan & Janet Hansen

April 29 at 7:00 PM

RB

Roberta Buban posted:

so sorry too hear the passing of rose. a very special lady and enjoyed talking too her so many times.

April 29 at 7:00 PM

LB

Lavender Love Bouquet posted:

Lavender Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Rose Stephens.

April 28 at 7:00 PM

JJ

Jeanne Jacobson posted:

Dear Aunt Rosie, I'm sad. You have shared a deep love of family and traditions with your amazing faith, courage, an trust. You have encouraged my dreams and have stood behind me. And you taught us all to have a positive response to any negative. Your laugh expresses your 'fullness of life'. I know that you're in heaven and will be continually happy. To you Mike and Pat, and to your families; I extend my heartfelt sympathy and love to all of you.

April 28 at 7:00 PM

MS

Mark And Thelma Smothers posted:

May happy memories carry you through this sorrowful time. You are in our hearts, our thoughts and our prayers. She was a wonderful neighbor, missed her when we moved.

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Dennis & Beverly Sisul Laurson posted:

Just wanted to let you know how deeply saddened we are to hear about your loss. We know that this leaves a deep hole in your lives that can never be filled, but we pray that your wonderful memories and loving family will help ease the pain as time passes.

April 27 at 7:00 PM



Media

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Thomas Funeral Home shared 4 photos to the **Obituary Wall** album.

October 13 at 3:24 PM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Rose by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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