



## Eunice Zenz

December 1, 1936 - June 16, 2011

Eunice Zenz, 74 of Parks, Arkansas passed from this life Thursday morning, June 16, 2011 at her home.

Eunice was born December 1, 1936 in Hazel Green, WI to Joseph and Helen (Cullen) Timmerman. Eunice was educated at St Clara Academy in Sinsinawa, WI. She met Larry Zenz, the love of her life, and husband of 54 years, during a dance at The Palace in Galena, IL. Larry and Eunice married on October 15, 1955 at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Sinsinawa. They farmed for a few years before buying a gas station on the corner of Highways 61 and 35. Eunice maintained the bookkeeping, kept the coffee hot and the conversations lively for many years as a partner in Zenz Welding and Manufacturing, in Lancaster, WI. She was an active member of St. Clements Catholic Church in Lancaster where she held offices in Catholic Daughters and the parish council. She taught high school religious education there for many years. In 1983, after retiring from their business, she and Larry returned to farming in Parks, AR, raising cattle and lumber. Her involvement in church continued at St. Jude Catholic Church in Waldron, AR where she again taught religious education, served on parish council, and led Bible studies. In her local community, she served as an officer of the Scott County Extension Homemakers Association. Eunice enjoyed playing bridge, traveling with Larry, and most of all, spending time with her family. She was fun-loving and entertaining with many personal insights. Her kindness, thoughtfulness, and

compassion left an indelible mark on both her family and many friends.

Eunice is survived by her husband Larry of the home; seven children, Julie Zenz of Lancaster, WI, Jane Karleskint and husband Dr. Michael of Sherman, TX, Jim Zenz and wife Linda of De Kalb, IL, Joyce Link and husband Matt of Black Earth, WI, Jean Ackerman and husband Jonathan of North Granby, CT, Joe Zenz and wife Shari of Lancaster, WI, Jennifer Bellinder and husband Bryce of Prairie du Sac, WI; sixteen grandchildren: Sarah Loveland, Michael Loveland, Gavin Karleskint, Tony Karleskint, Ryan Zenz, Madeline Zenz, Jessie Zenz, Jacob Zenz, Sophie Ackerman, Ella Ackerman, Katelyn Zenz, Cole Zenz, Adam Bellinder, Sara Bellinder, Sam Bellinder, Luke Bellinder, and Anne Bellinder; five brothers and a sister, Bob Timmerman, Jim Timmerman and wife Alice, Dick Timmerman and wife Judy, Ellen Westimeier and husband Herb, Dan Timmerman and wife Karen, one sister-in-law Ann Zeigle and husband Warren, and brother-in-law Ben Koeller, as well as many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents and two sister-in-laws, Rosemary Koeller and Ann Timmerman.

Eunice's Mass of Christian Burial service will be held Saturday, June 18, 2011 at 10:00 a.m. at St. Jude Catholic Church in Waldron, AR with Father Neil Pazzulo officiating.

A memorial mass and burial will be held at St. Clements Catholic Church in Lancaster, WI with Father Bill Seipp and Father Bart Timmerman officiating.

Eunice's visitation will be 11:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. Friday, June 17, 2011 at the Heritage Memorial Funeral Home & Crematory in Waldron, Arkansas. Rosary service will be held at 7:00 p.m. Friday at the Heritage Memorial Funeral Home Chapel.



# Tribute Wall

AS

“ *Jean and Family,  
So sorry to hear of the loss of your mother.  
Annette,David,Lauren,Evan Smith*

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**Annette Smith** - July 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TF

“ *Jean, Jon, Sophie and Ella --  
We are so very sorry for your tremendous loss. It was obvious how  
special a lady she was. You are in our thoughts.*

*Love,  
Tom, Patsy, Erin, Angela & Olivia*

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**The D'Agata Family** - June 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *Eunice Zenz*

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**Jim and Barb Mccaughey** - June 23, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ *To the family,  
Please accept my deepest condolences for your loss of such an  
inspiring and beautiful woman. We know a few of the Zenz children  
and have come to find them to be warm, loving people and  
appreciate them all very much.  
My deepest condolences to Julie, Joe and Shari and all the family.*

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**Cari Schaffer** - June 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ Your family has my sympathy and prayers during this time. We will miss her smile and loving heart. Eunice was there for my family in our time of need and I will always remember how I felt she was an angel sent to help my family at our time of need. Now she can all of us at any time.

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**Karla Waldbillig** - June 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Dear Family Members of Eunice,

You all have our sympathy in the loss of Eunice. She was a wonderful, caring person and even though we did not get to see her much, do always remember her friendliness and graciousness towards all.

May your fond memories of her carry you through this difficult time.

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**Mike and Sue Hollenbeck** - June 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PK

“ Our thoughts are with you all. We love you.

-Patti, Jay, Daniel, Natalie, Rachael, Andrew

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**Patti King** - June 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ We will miss you so much at the family get-togethers, you were always so interested in what was going on with my family - you were such a sweet, caring person!

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**joan clements** - June 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KA

“ *The Zenz Family,  
Your entire family has our sympathy. She will be in our prayers. She was a wonderful and fun loving lady. I still remember all the great memories of Bagley, the houseboat, the huge slide and so many other great memories from there with your family.*

*Take Care*

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**Keith Abing** - June 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM

AT

“ *May you rest in peace. I love you. I am ever thankful to be your sister-in-law.*

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**Alice Timmerman** - June 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

EM

“ *Sorry for your lost.*

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**Ed and Mary Mathis** - June 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PB

“ *Eunice was a wonderful friend and a great listener. I am sorry I missed the viewing, but I am in the throes of chemo right now. God grant you peace and grace in the knowledge she is with Jesus right now. Blessings, pat brooks*

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**Pat Brooks** - June 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JC

“ *Dear Mr. Zenz  
Sorry to hear of your loss, my thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Take care.  
Judy (Dr. Wolfe's nurse)*

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**Judy Cormack** - June 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

NH

“ With deepest sympathy to the family, I fondly remember her as a tower of strength and determination for everything she set her mind to.

Nancy Helbing - June 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TS

“ I carry each and every one of you in my thoughts and prayers. I was blessed to have met such a wonderful woman. The love and warmth of her family was truly amazing. May God give you comfort and peace at this time.

Teresa Shackelferd - June 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DK

“ Dear Larry and Family,  
We are very sorry for your loss. Eunice had a special way of making everyone feel loved and we will miss her dearly. Our prayers are with you.

Dan and Karen - June 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PV

“ To the family of Eunice,  
We are so saddened to hear about your loss. We are all certainly going to miss her and her sweet way & lovely smile. May the days ahead be a little easier for all of you since there are so many wonderful memories that you will cherish.  
Larry, Jenny & family may you know that you are in our thoughts & prayers.  
Love, Patsy & Charlie & Savanna & family

patsy & charlie vaughan - June 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TB

“ Dear Zenz Family,

*Know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. Difficult to imagine that we won't ever receive one of Aunt Eunice's comforting hugs again...she always greeted us with open arms and wide smile. She is so loved and will be greatly missed. I added her to the Sinsinawa Dominican Sisters Rest in Peace list here at the Mound, so be assured of the Sisters prayers for her, as well.*

*Love,  
Tricia, Ron, Bree, Cade, and Brice*

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**Tricia Buxton** - June 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LR

“ Dear Uncle Larry, Julie, Jane, Jim, Joyce, Jean, Joe, Jenny and families;

*You have our sympathy. Eunice was a very special Aunt to all of us. We share in your loss.*

*Much Love and Many Prayers,  
Laura, Blair, Fr. Bart, Tricia, Ron, Brett, and Brian and the kids*

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**Laura Rogacki** - June 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BL

“ Larry and family. I am so sorry for your loss. Eunice was a very special lady and I cared for her so much. She will be missed by everyone who knew her. I will keep your family in my prayers.

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**Betty Jo Lee** - June 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

DL

“ *Larry & Family,  
I am so sorry for your loss. Eunice was a very sweet person and  
such a pleasure to be around. She will be missed by all that knew  
her. My prayers and thoughts are with you.*  
Diana

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**Diana Lee** - June 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM

LF

“ *Larry and family we are so sorry for your loss. Eunice was a very  
special lady that I enjoyed seeing at church ever since I was a little  
girl. She will always hold a special place in our hearts. We will keep  
your family in our prayers.*

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**Leann King & family** - June 16, 2011 at 12:00 AM