



Helen Margaret Adella Kreiger-Ziegler

November 27, 1919 - March 3, 2012

Helen Margaret Adella (Brown) Kreiger-Ziegler, age 92, of Huntington, passed at 6:47 p.m. Saturday (March 3, 2012) at Parkview Huntington Hospital.

Helen was born on November 27, 1919, in Huntington County, the daughter of J. Clayton and Esther Luella (Ziegler) Brown. She was a 1937 graduate of Huntington Township High School. She continued her education at Huntington College earning an A. B. Degree, a Masters Degree from Ball State University, and also attended Indiana University, Purdue University and Princeton University.

Helen married Earl Kreiger on May 15, 1941 in Huntington and he preceded her in death May 13, 1990. Her second marriage was to Wilbur "Bill" Ziegler on September 23, 1995. He also preceded her in death on September 7, 2006.

Helen taught for 17 years at Huntington Township High School and went on to be a Counselor and Dean of Girls for 15 years at Huntington High School, which became Huntington North High School. She was one of four people who started Purdue Extension in Fort Wayne in 1941. After retiring from the school corporation, Helen continued working for Larry Wells Real Estate, Job Developer for Pathfinder Services, Counselor for Samaritan Center, owned and operated Retail Wallpaper Store, bookkeeper for Elliott Insurance, Pre-

Need Counselor for Bailey-Love Mortuary and a bookkeeper and events coordinator for La Fontaine Golf Club.

Helen was an active member of Trinity United Methodist Church in Huntington where she held several offices at the church as well as United Methodist Women. Other memberships included Eastern Star, Child Welfare Club, Sigma Eta Fine Arts Sorority, Huntington Retired Teachers Association, Indiana State Retired Teachers, and Delta Kappa Gamma. She served on the Mt. Hope Cemetery Board and Council on Aging, and member of Huntington University Alumni Board, Huntington College Centennial Committee, and Community Strings Board. In 1995, Helen was chosen Outstanding Alumni at Huntington College for volunteer work with mailings, etc. She was an avid supporter of Huntington North Boys and Girls Basketball, Columbia City Girls Basketball and Canterbury Girls Basketball.

Survivors include one son - Wayne (wife-Debbie) Kreiger of Columbia City; one daughter - Jayne (husband-Jim) Jagger of South Whitley; two sisters - Garnett Williams of Michigan City and Carol Lauterbach of Arizona; five grandchildren - Scott (Stacie) Kreiger, Steven (Jeanne) Kreiger, Sally (Terry) Wherry, Jason (Amy) Jagger and Jarred (Daidra) Jagger; two step grandchildren - Angela (Steve) Miller and Andrew (Trisha) Bills and several great-grandchildren. Her parents, husbands and brother - Max C. Brown preceded her in death.

Visitation will be from 3 - 7 p.m. Wednesday (March 7, 2012) at Bailey-Love Mortuary. Funeral services will be at 10 a.m. Thursday (March 8, 2012) at Bailey-Love Mortuary with one hour of visitation prior to service. Rev. Joseph Haney will officiate. Burial will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery in Huntington.

Memorial contributions may be made to Huntington University and Parkview Home and Hospice in care of Bailey-Love Mortuary, 35 West Park Drive,

Huntington, IN 46750.

Cemetery Details

Mt. Hope Cemetery

1700 West Park Drive
Huntington, IN 46750

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 7. 3:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary
35 West Park Drive
Huntington, IN 46750
(260) 356-1710
wecare@baileylove.com
<https://www.baileylove.com>

Visitation

MAR 8. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

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Service

MAR 8. 10:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall

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“ Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary created a Tribute Video in memory of Helen Margaret Adella Kreiger-Ziegler



Adkins Bailey-Love Mortuary - March 03, 2012 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ I so loved playing euchre with her every month at the hospital and thankfully never had to go to her "office" in high school. We were looking forward seeing her next month also at our 40th class reunion next month. She had expressed an interest in going. She was a wonderful woman!!!



Karen (Hendry) Wall - March 09, 2012 at 12:17 AM

JF

“ Helen was always a very special person with so many talents, and good things to say and she will be missed dearly at Richards Restaurant.



June Frederick - March 07, 2012 at 06:26 PM

JF

“ June Frederick lit a candle in memory of Helen Margaret Adella Kreiger-Ziegler



June Frederick - March 07, 2012 at 06:23 PM

EB

“ Ed Barker lit a candle in memory of Helen Margaret Adella Kreiger-Ziegler



Ed Barker - March 07, 2012 at 04:35 PM

BR

“ Brenda lit a candle in memory of Helen Margaret Adella Kreiger-Ziegler



Brenda - March 06, 2012 at 10:57 PM

JM

“ We offer our sympathy to the Kreiger family. We have such fond memories of Helen at all the ballgames, she will still be cheering from heaven.

Bob and Jan Morsches

Janice Morsches - March 06, 2012 at 04:55 PM

JD

“ *Jim & Mary Etta Sands Daniels lit a candle in memory of Helen Margaret Adella Kreiger-Ziegler*



Jim & Mary Etta Sands Daniels - March 06, 2012 at 04:07 PM

JH

“ *SALLY AND FAMILY,
CAMMI E MAILED ME ABOUT YOUR GRANDMA. MY
THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH YOU AND YOUR FAMILY
JANET HURD {AUNT JANET TO YOU}*

JANET HURD - March 06, 2012 at 10:44 AM



“ *1 file added to the album Family*



Daidra Jagger - March 05, 2012 at 06:00 PM

IC

“ *A dear fiend whom I shall miss. So sorry not to be there for calling and funeral.*

Iris Clark - March 05, 2012 at 03:44 PM

TW

“ 1 file added to the tribute wall



Terry Wherry - March 05, 2012 at 02:52 PM

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“ 2 files added to the tribute wall



Terry Wherry - March 05, 2012 at 02:49 PM