



## IRENE V. KLENKE

April 28, 1920 - February 14, 2014

### OBITUARY FOR IRENE V. KLENKE

KLENKE, Irene V., age 93, of Middletown, Ohio, passed away February 14, 2014 at Hawthorn Glen Senior Living Campus. She was born April 28, 1920 in Lincoln, Nebraska, and graduated in 1938 from Bay View High School in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. She was a member of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church in Franklin, Wisconsin. After being a long-time resident of Greendale, Wisconsin, she moved to Middletown in 2007. Irene was a mother and homemaker. Preceding her in death were her parents, Friedrich and Amalia (Borger) Barthuli; her husband, Harold Klenke in 2004; and eight siblings. She is survived by one daughter, Judith Scolah-Florence, husband Dale; one son, Robert Klenke, wife Shirley; six grandchildren, Elizabeth Rettig, husband Paul, Jill Cobb, husband Jason, Susan Rodriguez, husband Brad, Scott Klenke, wife Crystal, Allison Klenke and Ellen Florence; seven great grandchildren, Luke Rettig, Natalie and Ryan Cobb, Cole, Tyler and Macy Rodriguez, and Kinsley Klenke; and many nieces, nephews, extended family and friends. Visitation will be Sunday, February 16, 2014 from 3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown, Ohio. There will also be a visitation on Thursday, February 20, 2014 from 10:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. at the Prasser-Kleczka Funeral Home, South Suburban Chapel, 6080 South 27th Street, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, followed by services there at 11:00 a.m. with Pastor Peter Sternberg officiating. Interment will be at the Arlington Park

Cemetery, Greenfield, Wisconsin. Memorial contributions may be made to the American Historical Society of Germans from Russia, 631 D Street, Lincoln, Nebraska 68502-1199. Local arrangements by Herr-Riggs Funeral Home, 210 S. Main St., Middletown. Condolences may be sent to the family at [www.herr-riggs.com](http://www.herr-riggs.com)

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“ *Sorry I won't be able to join you in Milwaukee fo honor Aunt Irene. She will be missed dearly. I was always glad to share genealogy information with her.*

*Love*

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