



Evelyn "Evie" Kelnhofer

March 5, 1930 - November 15, 2021

Evelyn "Evie" Kelnhofer

age 91, of Park Falls passed away Monday November 15, 2021 at Park Manor Nursing Home in Park Falls, WI.

She was born on March 5, 1930 in Park Falls, WI, and was the daughter of Joseph and Mercedes (Kotke) Pritzl. She was a lifelong resident of Park Falls. She worked at many retail stores in Park Falls. Evie was a co-owner of Paul's Radio and TV for many years.

Evie was active in Price County Homemakers group, Canasta Club and the hospital Thrift Shop. She did a lot of volunteer work in her church, Peace Lutheran, through the years. She belonged to the Peace Women LWML. As a volunteer, she worked with a quilting group, made many baby layettes for World Relief, served at funerals and helped with Park Manor church services. Her greatest joy was spending time with her family and friends. She was an avid Green Bay Packer fan, loved polka music and enjoyed family time at the lake.

She is survived by (4) children: William (Jean) of Park Falls, Julie (Bruce) Cadwell of Fort Wayne, IN, David (Cheryl) of Appleton and Michael (Andrea) of Washburn, (14) grandchildren: Sherrie, Melissa, Jon, Krista, Lindsey, Joseph, Jessica, Emily, Amanda, Joshua, Travis, Candace, Cady and Alyssa, (14) great grandchildren, many nieces, nephews, relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her parents, her husband Paul, two sons: James "Chemo", Dennis "Fonz" and one grandson Danny. Also preceding her

in death were her brother Ed Pritzl and sister Caroline Bortz.

A memorial service will be held at Peace Lutheran Church in Park Falls on Saturday November 20, 2021 with Pastor Samuel Morching officiating.

Visitation will be held at the church one hour prior to the service.

Burial will follow the service at Nola Cemetery.

Birch Street Funeral Service is assisting the family.

www.birchstreetfuneralservice.com

Cemetery Details

Nola Cemetery

Park Falls, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **20**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

Peace Lutheran Church
600 Second Ave North
Park Falls, WI 54552
peace2you@pctcnet.net
<http://peace2you.pctcnet.net/resources.html>

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Tribute Wall

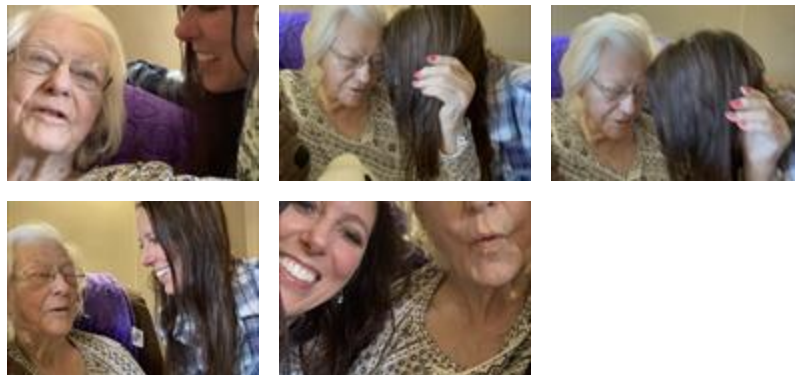


“ Evelyn "Evie" Kelhofer

October 05, 2023 at 02:07 PM

MJ

“ So thankful for all the wonderful years of memories with my Grandma... she was the BEST GRANDMA EVER playing cards, baking, making Christmas candy, the famous dice game at Christmas, all the days out to the lake making fires and picking rocks. Oh and the funnest part out to the lake was swimming she swam like a fish and making root beer kicking our legs off the dock in the water and Swinging on the swing , watching all the parades from her house , stopping by after school in my walk home to visit. Stopping at her house for hot chocolate after freezing from ice skating on the walk home. Just enjoying a cup of coffee. Lunch was noon dinner at 5 no if's ands or buts. Dancing she loved dancing... so much fun dancing with her. She danced everyone out at my wedding! All the walks we went on.... Omg I could go on and on. She even taught my daughter how to make flower frosting roses. Oh and dad even got her to my house to spend the night 🥰. For the past couple years I am so thankful for FaceTime because my dad would FaceTime with me when he would be with grandma while in the nursing. One of the BEST LAST MEMORIES with her was when my dad was at my house and we FaceTimed her and played the guitars for her She was going crazy she loved it dancing in her chair and didn't want us to stop playing she kept saying play some more play some more clapping and dancing in her chair. I love you Grandma you will be missed very much. Oh she hates her picture taken but I still got some 🥰



Melissa Jaeger - November 18, 2021 at 08:10 PM

SM

“ Celebrating a beautiful full life . . .



Sherrie Michalski - November 18, 2021 at 08:56 AM

SS

“ My heartfelt sympathy to Evie's family. I feel like I've known Evie most of my life. The names of Evie, Merc, Vi and others were like second family to my mom Lois Seidl. I can still hear their contagious laughter. Thank you for the lovely memories all these years.

Sue Seidl - November 17, 2021 at 06:13 PM



“ Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Evelyn "Evie" Kelnhofer.



November 17, 2021 at 05:33 PM

CK

“ I feel so fortunate to have had Evie as my mother-in-law. The memories I most cherish are the family gatherings during the holidays and the summers we spent together at the lake. Evie was the heart of those times with her joyous spirit and giving ways. I fondly remember her love of polka music and how she had to dance whenever and wherever a polka was being played. I remember the gorgeous cakes she decorated, those beautiful doilies she crocheted, and the gourmet chocolates that she would toil at for weeks so that she could pass out tins to family and friends. She surrounded her family with love. Evie gave the best hugs (and love taps)! She was as special as it gets. Although the loss of Evie is so painful, I know she will live on in my heart and in the hearts of many others. Rest in peace, Evie.

Cheryl Kelnhofer - November 17, 2021 at 04:20 PM



“ Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Evelyn "Evie" Kelnhofer.



November 17, 2021 at 01:11 PM

JC

“ I miss you already. I wish it hadn't been so long that I've been able to visit you. I love how you and my wife instantly became coffee and crochet buddies the day you met. I love knowing the happy coincidence that your birthday is always on our anniversary. I know I'll cry soon, but soon after I'll celebrate your life and my memories of you. And I'll be sure to get a pumpkin pie this thanksgiving to remember you by.

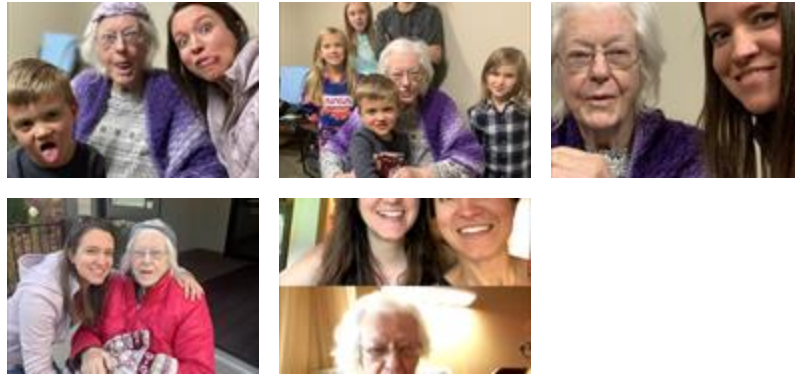
I may no longer be able to color pictures in your kitchen, but please come color some in mine. I love you, Grandma.



Joseph Cadwell - November 17, 2021 at 12:05 PM

KS

“ Grandma Evie will be missed. She’s always held a special place in my (our) heart. She always made everything fun whether it be dancing out back with the band, making root beer floats, cutting into her famous brownies that were always ready for us when we got to her house after a long 9 hour drive... fun lake days, or just visiting. She was the best. In recent days, we’ve been able to video chat, and she’s really enjoyed getting to know my youngest son, Joshy (4). He had so much fun showing her his cars. I think she may have had even more fun ❤️ She’ll be missed but never forgotten. It’s hard to say goodbye, but I’ve got alot of her that will live on in my heart and in my family - and that will last a lifetime. Much love, Krista and family



Krista Schaffer - November 16, 2021 at 03:37 PM