



Essie Lorena Presutti

August 25, 1929 - March 2, 2015

Essie Lorena Presutti, 85, of Murphysboro, passed away at 10:20 a.m. Monday, March 2, 2015, at Marshall Browning Hospital in DuQuoin, Illinois.

Essie was born on August 25, 1929, in Jackson, Mississippi, to Fred James and Dora (Bowers) James.

She worked as seamstress and retired from the former Brown Shoe Company in Murphysboro.

Mrs. Presutti was a very active member of the Immanuel Lutheran Church in Murphysboro. She used her talent of sewing to help at the church with quilting quilts and other items to give to residents of the nursing homes and V. A hospital. She was very devoted and faithful to her church, and would help pay the tuition for a child if a family could not afford the money, in order to send a child to Immanuel Lutheran School.

Lorena married August Presutti on September 15, 1946, in Murphysboro, and he preceded her in death on October 23, 1996.

Survivors include four children Jeffrey Presutti and his wife Berta Presutti of Christopher, David Presutti, Peter Presutti, and Patti Proctor and her husband Don (J. D.) Proctor of Murphysboro;

fourteen grandchildren and several great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by two children Stephen Presutti and Joycelynn Deming, two grandchildren, one brother, one sister, and her parents.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m. Friday, March 6, 2015, at Immanuel Lutheran Church with Rev. Josemon Hoem officiating, and burial at Murdale Gardens of Memory. Friends may call from 6 to 8 p.m. Thursday at Pettett Funeral Home and from 10 to 11 a.m. Friday at the church. In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to Immanuel Lutheran School or Immanuel Lutheran Church. For more information, please visit www.pettettfuneralhome.com.

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“ *Essie Lorena Presutti*

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