



## Ethel Ann Konz

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Mass of Christian burial will be 11:00 a.m., Thursday, March 31, 2011 at Holy Cross Catholic Church in Marty (Pearl Lake) for Ethel A. Konz, age 80, of Cold Spring who died peacefully at the St. Cloud Hospital surrounded by her loving family. Fr. Dick Gross will officiate. Friends may call on Wednesday from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m. at Wenner Funeral Home in Cold Spring. Parish prayers will be at 7:00 p.m. Visitation will continue from 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Thursday morning at the Funeral Home.

Ethel was born on May 3, 1930 in Foreston, MN to George and Blanche Beaver. She was orphaned at a young age and was raised through her adolescent years at the St. Cloud Children's Home. She married Ebert A. Konz on May 5, 1949 at Holy Cross Church in Marty. She worked for Bell Telephone shortly before her marriage. She was a homemaker for many years before working as a nurse's aid. As an active member of Overeaters Anonymous herself, she also sponsored many others in the program. Her history with the MN TEC program involved many of her family members and friends.

Survivors include her husband Ebert; children, Patty of St. Joseph, Charlie (Bev), Dave (Sue), Donna Hoeschen and Vivian (Randy) Krueger all of Cold

Spring, Joe (Lori) of Babbit, Paul of St. Cloud, Jeanette (Russ) Thompson of Little Falls, Laurie of Bloomington and Ted (Mary) of Ham Lake; 20 grandchildren and 13 great grandchildren; sister, Fran Sommo.

She was preceded in death by two infants, grand daughters Jenny and Nadine and her parents.

The family would especially like to thank the wonderful staff at Hilltop Care Center in Watkins, MN for the outstanding care Mom received as a resident for the past 3 ½ years. Also, they wish to thank the entire staff at the St. Cloud Hospital for their caring and compassion given to her prior to her death.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Ethel Ann Konz*

January 29, 2023 at 09:26 AM



“ *My Dad (Arnie) called and told me of Aunt Ethel's death. My deepest sympathies to you all. I have fond memories of Ethel. I have always had deep admiration for her and thought she was very wise. She and I would often visit in the Crossroads Mall on one of the benches when I worked at the Woolworths Restaurant. Thinking of you all.*

**Amy Konz Anderson** - April 07, 2011 at 01:26 PM



“ *Paul, you have our sympathy in this difficult time.*

**Keith & Jill Jennissen** - March 31, 2011 at 09:58 PM



“ *Dear Family,*

*My sincerest sympathy on the loss of your mom, I will always remember her as a very special person who never stopped giving. I have many fond memories of the Ethel and am blessed for having the privilege of knowing her. I know right now she is looking down on you all and watching over you. All her pain is gone and she is at peace.*

**Jack Hoeschen** - March 30, 2011 at 02:42 PM

CC

“ I am very sorry for your loss. My prayers are with you.

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**Carolyn Colson** - March 29, 2011 at 07:42 PM

BB

“ Laurie, I am so sorry and pray God will comfort you during this difficult time. Thinking of you, Bert.

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**Bert Battishill** - March 29, 2011 at 06:58 PM

SS

“ Laurie and Family,  
You are all in my prayers as you deal with this painful loss. I hope that you all find comfort in one another as well as all the wonderful memories I know you have of Ethel.  
I'm thinking of you.

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**Shirley Smith** - March 29, 2011 at 02:09 PM

BM

“ Laurie: Keeping you and your family in my thoughts and hoping that happy family memories are bringing comfort to you all.

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**Barbara-Ann March** - March 29, 2011 at 12:05 PM

SS

“ Thinking of you and your family, Laurie. May you always have fond memories.

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**Shannon Sass** - March 29, 2011 at 09:01 AM

MS

“ Please accept our most heartfelt sympathies for your loss. Our thoughts are with you and your family during this difficult time.

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**Mike & Linda Schmitt** - March 28, 2011 at 09:29 PM

KH

“ *Our deepest condolences to your family. We know the difficult time you are experiencing now and are lifting you up in prayer. What a wonderful woman.*

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**Kathy Harter** - March 28, 2011 at 09:21 PM

KN

“ *To the Konz family,*

*I am so sorry to hear about the loss of Ethel. While I never met her in person, from the stories I heard from her daughter Laurie, she sounded like an amazing woman. I lost my father a few short months ago, and he also was one of those amazing, wonderful people. You all are in my thoughts & prayers during this difficult time.*

*Much love always,*

*Kristen (Nathe)*

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**Kristen Nathe** - March 28, 2011 at 05:34 PM