

Obituary

Mary Kathryn York, the daughter of Lee Joseph and Blanche Gertrude Shunick Roscoe was born on a farm near Farragut, Fremont County, Iowa and passed away at Council Bluffs, Iowa on Thursday, July 19, 2001 at the age of 75.

Kay spent most of her life in Fremont County, Iowa. She attended country school until the eighth grade then attended Shenandoah High School, graduating from Farragut High School Class of 1943. On March 5, 1944 she was united in marriage to Richard O. York in San Diego, California, and after their marriage they made their home in Fremont County, Iowa. Kay was active in 4-H, Band and Choir Mothers, Clarinda Hospital Auxiliary, and St. Clare's Catholic Church. She enjoyed reading, was an avid sports fan and was devoted to her children and grandchildren.

Preceding her in death were her parents; husband, Richard "Dick" York; grandson, Andrew Jay York; a niece Blanche Laughlin, and nephews, Edward L. Laughlin, and Larry Lee "Short" Greedy.

Survivors include her children, Mike York and his wife JoAnn of Clarinda, Iowa, Pat Beggs and her husband Gary of Clarinda, Iowa, Perry York and wife Danna of Waverly, Nebraska, and Rex York of Shenandoah, Iowa; sisters, Helen Laughlin of Imogene, Iowa, Mildred Greedy and husband Richard of Wenatachee, Washington, Harriette Latimer and her husband Lyle of Farragut, Iowa; four granddaughters, Laurie Stogdill and husband Mickey of Council Bluffs, Iowa, Carrie York of Whittier, California, Amy McDonald and husband Brent of Cairo, Nebraska and Megan York of Waverly, Nebraska; four grandsons, Ted York of Clarinda, Iowa, David York and wife Kris of Carroll, Iowa, John York and wife Teri of Cherokee, Iowa; three great grandchildren, Ellie, Grace and Katie and a host of other nieces, nephews, their families and a host of friends.