



Dorothy M. Roder

August 20, 1938 - July 29, 2022

Dorothy M. Roder, age 83, of Alta, Iowa died on July 29, 2022, in Accura Healthcare of Aurelia.

Private family services will be held. Burial will be in Woodlawn Cemetery. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Alta is in charge of arrangements.

Dorothy M. Roder was born on August 20, 1938 to Perry and Esther (Shipman) Clark. She was baptized on June 18, 1961 at Westchester Methodist Church. Dorothy graduated in 1956 from Hollywood High School and attended college.

Dorothy married the love of her life, Richard “Dick” Roder on March 21, 1959 at the Nylie Chapel in Hollywood, California. To this union, four children were born: Susan, Jon, Mike, and Mark.

Dick and Dorothy moved to Alta, Iowa where Dick started teaching and Dorothy worked in bookkeeping for Marriot Food Service, Safeway, and Buena Vista University. Dorothy enjoyed sewing, putting together puzzles, gardening, and quilting in her free time. She will be deeply missed by all who knew and loved her.

Dorothy is survived by her children: Susan Roder (Ed Haselhoff) of Schaller, Iowa; Jon (Karen) Roder of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; Mike Roder of Washington, Iowa; Mark Roder of Wellsburg, Iowa; grandchildren: Tyler (Jaime) Droegmiller; Josh (Jessica) Droegmiller; Brian (Lauren) Roder; Kyle Roder; Michaela Roder; Matthew Roder; Brody Roder; Bradley Roder; Carter Roder; sister-in-law: Beverly Clark; extended family and friends.

Dorothy is preceded in death by her parents, Perry and Esther (Shipman) Clark; husband: Dick Roder in 2008; daughter-in-law: Gail Roder; and brother: Larry Clark.

Cemetery Details

Woodlawn

Alta, IA

Tribute Wall

KK

“ I worked with Dorothy at Buena Vista College. We worked together at the Marriott food service. She was such a kind, loving person. I thank her family for sharing her with us. She will be so missed. RIP sweet friend!!! 🌹



Kris and Jim Konradi - August 25, 2022 at 09:20 PM

PF

“ Peg Harrington Flynn lit a candle in memory of Dorothy M. Roder



Peg Harrington Flynn - August 05, 2022 at 03:28 PM

MP

“ Susan I am so sorry for the loss of your mom. She was such a nice person! Thank you for sharing her with us! Love you.

MINDY PYLE - August 04, 2022 at 02:20 PM



“ [Memorial Trees](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was purchased for the family of Dorothy M. Roder.

August 02, 2022 at 12:59 PM

CG

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. Your parents were such kind people. My prayers are with you at this time.

Claudina Grienke

Claudina Grienke - August 01, 2022 at 06:41 PM



“ 2 files added to the album Memorial Folder



Jennifer Hustedt - August 01, 2022 at 05:39 PM

CT

“ Charlie and Tracy purchased the Florist Choice Bouquet for the family of Dorothy M. Roder.



Charlie and Tracy - August 01, 2022 at 12:22 PM

KM

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you! She was a great lady!
Kathy Wilbur/Movall

Kathy Movall - August 01, 2022 at 11:20 AM

PH

“ Pam Henderson lit a candle in memory of Dorothy M. Roder



Pam Henderson - July 31, 2022 at 10:22 PM

SP

I always enjoyed both of your parents. They were always kind and and fun to be around.

They are together again!

Our thoughts and prayers are with you all!

Kim and Susan Piercy

Susan Piercy - August 03, 2022 at 04:23 PM