



Jean Hemmingsen

November 3, 1926 - June 15, 2020

Jean Hemmingsen, age 93, of Storm Lake, Iowa died on Monday, June 15, 2020 at the Methodist Manor Retirement Community in Storm Lake.

Private family graveside services will be held on Sunday, June 21, 2020 in the Newell Cemetery in Newell, Iowa. A recording of her service is available to watch on the website. The Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home in Storm Lake is in charge of the arrangements.

Erma Jean Hemmingsen, the daughter of Franz Merten and Ethel (Hoppock) Fazel, was born on November 3, 1926 in Iowa.

Growing up, Jean attended grade school and high school in Perry, Iowa. After earning her high school diploma, she went on to attend Iowa State University.

Jean was united in marriage to James Hemmingsen in Perry. The couple was blessed with two children, Sharon and Tom.

In her free time, Jean liked to play Bridge, put puzzles together, and read. She also enjoyed living on the farm and served as a board member for the Methodist church.

Those left to cherish her memory include her children, Sharon (John) Simpson

of Hastings, Minnesota and Tom Hemmingsen of Newell, Iowa; grandchildren: Jennifer, Brian, David, Christy, Josh, Tom, Tiffany, and Anthony; great-grandchildren: Carter, Grace, Cole, Adeline, Jaden, and Josey; extended family and friends.

Jean was preceded in death by her husband, Jim Hemmingsen.

Cemetery Details

Newell Cemetery

Events

Details are pending.

Tribute Wall

SW

“ We shared the same birthday. I will miss hearing from her and sending a card to her.



Suana Wessendorf - July 18, 2020 at 04:16 PM

CF

“ We watched your service, Sharon, and want you to know how lovely it was! It was "so Jean" (read also, "Jim and Jean"). Moving, fun, touching and tear-invoking, as well as amusing and laugh-provoking at all the best times! Thank you for letting us be part of it in the reading of the tribute to Jean. She was, and will always be, a "favorite aunt" for both of us. Many blessings to you and your ever-widening family of children and grandchildren -- all of whom Jean (and Jim) embraced so lovingly and proudly. We send virtual hugs to you and Tom especially; and look forward to a time when we see you in person. Much love, Christopher and Sharon Fazel (two ministers who could not have done a better job with that service for Jean).

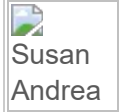
Christopher Fazel - June 23, 2020 at 08:13 AM



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Fratzke & Jensen Funeral Home - June 21, 2020 at 02:18 PM



Susan
Andrea

Very lovely service.

Susan Andrea - June 22, 2020 at 07:47 PM



SW

What a beautiful service. I have so many fond and fun memories of your Mom and Dad . Sending you love, hugs and God's blessings.

Suana Wessendorf - July 18, 2020 at 04:14 PM



“ *Dish Garden with Fresh Cut Flowers was purchased for the family of Jean Hemmingsen.*



June 21, 2020 at 10:18 AM



JM

“ *Before she moved from Newell, Jean played Bridge with my mom, Tootie Wernimont, and she made my mom's transition to Assisted Living easier. I liked seeing her go for walks at Otsego Place and visiting with her while eating dinner at her table with Mom. She was a sweet lady with a gentle spirit. She never failed to tell me to have my brothers Jim and Dan come over to play Bridge! God bless her soul. Sympathy to her family...she will be missed and remembered.*

Joan Mohr - June 17, 2020 at 10:59 AM

PS

“ Jean was very special to both myself and my grandson, and will be deeply missed! it was such a pleasure to know her, and i will cherish all of our special memories together.

Jean will forever hold a place in my heart!

My thoughts and prayers are with all of Jeans family during this very difficult time.



Pam Green and Gabriel Smit - June 16, 2020 at 12:19 PM

SB

“ Scott & Kristin Bodholdt lit a candle in memory of Jean Hemmingsen



Scott & Kristin Bodholdt - June 16, 2020 at 08:37 AM

BS

“ I had the privilege of knowing Mrs. Hemmingsen. She was a very special lady who will certainly be missed. To the family... Please accept my sincere condolences.

Brad Strader

Brad Strader - June 15, 2020 at 08:15 PM



“ We always enjoyed seeing Jean when Tom brought her along to exhibitions and when we danced at Ostego. You are in our thoughts and prayers. Country Cruisers Dance Club

Pam Cronin - June 15, 2020 at 07:46 PM



“ *Terra Sheehan-Sievers sent a virtual gift in memory of Jean Hemmingsen* ”



Terra Sheehan-Sievers - June 15, 2020 at 01:02 PM