



Esther Gertrude Hoerth

July 11, 1919 - July 9, 2015

Esther Gertrude (nee Wiegert) Hoerth of Hartford passed away on Thursday, July 9, 2015 at the age of 95 years. She was born on July 11, 1919 in Oakfield, WI, the daughter of Otto and Mattie (nee Wittlief) Wiegert. Esther married Benjamin J. Hoerth in Illinois on October 27, 1934, and celebrated nearly 54 years together until Benj's death on August 9, 1988.

After their marriage, Esther and Benj farmed for many years at various locations; when they ceased farming, they moved to Hartford in 1956. Esther lived in the same family home in Hartford until she entered an assisted living facility.

Esther was employed as a sales person at Unser Shoe Store in Hartford for many years. She loved gardening and always found room for tomato plants, beans, and flowers – lots and lots of flowers. Esther loved old-time music and was always looking for a dance partner. She was a long-time member of St. John's United Church of Christ where she served on church council and was church delegate to the Synod on several occasions. Esther also served as an usher and a Sunshine chair person.

She is preceded in death by her husband, Benjamin, her parents, and by two sisters and seven brothers. Esther is survived by her loving children, Jeanette "Sue" (Gerald) Grunewald of Green Bay, Gene (Pat) Hoerth of Hartford, and Syl (Erla) Hoerth of Neosho. She is further survived by her 6 grandchildren Randy(Tammy) Hoerth, Todd (Kris) Hoerth, Gregg (Amy) Grunewald, Mark (Janel) Grunewald, Kristine Malueg, and Barb (Randy) Wilcox, and by 12

great-grandchildren, 2 great-great-grandchildren, nieces, nephews, and other relatives and friends.

Visitation is Monday, July 13 from 11 a.m. – 1 p.m. at the Berndt-Ledesma Funeral Home, with a service to follow at 1 p.m. The Rev. Michael Bausch will officiate. Interment is at Pleasant Hill Cemetery. The Berndt-Ledesma Funeral Home – Hartford is serving the family.

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Cemetery Details

Pleasant Hill Cemetery

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Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **13**. 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM (CT)

Berndt Ledesma Hartford Funeral Home
226 S Main Street
Hartford, WI 53027
(262) 673-4700

Funeral Service

JUL **13**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Interment

JUL **13**. 1:45 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *With Heartfelt Sympathy to your family
Aunt Esther was always nice too me and my family
Ron and Barb(Wiegert)Langacker*

Barb Langacker - July 13, 2015 at 11:27 AM

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*Gene & Pat, Our Deepest Sympathy to you and your entire family.
What a wonderful lady Esther was, always had a big smile whenever
you saw her, knowing how to life to the fullest. She lived a wonderful
long life and was a great example to all who knew her. Sorry we were
unable to attend the service on Monday but our thoughts and prayers
were with you all.*

Mike, Connie and Lynn Thull

Mike, Connie and Lynn Thull - July 14, 2015 at 12:27 PM