



Dorothy Elizabeth Gilchrist

October 31, 1925 - December 24, 2016

Dorothy Elizabeth Gilchrist, 91, of Indianapolis, passed away December 24, 2016. She was born October 31, 1925 in Indianapolis to the late Walter and Elizabeth Rothhaas. Dorothy graduated as valedictorian from Howe High School and was a devoted wife and homemaker. She was an active member of St. Peter's United Church of Christ. She especially enjoyed her family time at Lake Wawasee, cooking, bowling, and square dancing.

Dorothy is survived by her daughters, Karon Preston (Harry) and Kathy Hershberger (Roger); grandchildren, Lisa Mitchell (Chris), Doug Preston, Elizabeth Ratliff (Randy), Brian Hollingshead (Erin); great-grandchildren, Cody, Ashley, Bryce, Chase, Dory, Carter, Cole and Palmer. She was preceded in death by her loving husband, Walter Gilchrist and son, Kenneth Gilchrist.

Funeral arrangements are private and entrusted to Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel.

Tribute Wall



“ Dorothy was a true lady in every sense of the word.
It is an honor to have known her. My sympathies to the family. You
have lost two precious people in such a short time. May wonderful
memories fill those silent spaces.
Kitty Stewart

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