



Ethel Tiefenthaler

October 28, 1924 - September 28, 2020

Ethel Tiefenthaler, age 95 of Breda, died Monday, September 28, 2020 at Sunnybrook of Carroll.

Mass of the Christian Burial will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. Saturday October 3, 2020 at St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Breda. The Celebrant will be Fr. Timothy Friedrichsen. Music will be by Marilyn Hundling and Robert Tiefenthaler. Lectors will be Austin Tiefenthaler and Chloe Allman. Casket bearers will be Robert Tiefenthaler, Brent Tiefenthaler, Sherri Allman, Ryan Tiefenthaler, Laura Sigmon, Sarah Riesberg, and Austin Tiefenthaler. Burial will be in the parish cemetery.

There will be no public visitation prior to the mass on Saturday morning. Those in attendance will be required to wear a face covering and abide by COVID-19 restrictions.

A livestream of the funeral mass will be available at the time of the service on the Christ The King Catholic Community-St. Bernard's Catholic Church Facebook Page at <https://www.facebook.com/ChristTheKingCatholicCommunityBredalowa/>.

Funeral arrangements are under the guidance of the Sharp Funeral Home in Breda, and online condolences may be left at www.sharpfuneral.com. Those

wishing to mail a card can direct it to: Ethel Tiefenthaler Family C/O Sharp Funeral Home, 226 W. 8th Street. Carroll, Iowa 51401.

Ethel, the daughter of Joseph and Clara (Wegmann) Heinrichs was born on October 28, 1924 in Carroll County Iowa. She grew up near Breda and attended country school.

On May 28, 1941 she was united in marriage to Cyril Tiefenthaler at St. Bernard's Catholic Church in Breda. The couple made their home near Breda where they engaged in farming. In addition to the farming operation, Ethel was a devoted homemaker. She enjoyed baking and sewing, making many of the dresses she wore. Her and Cyril enjoyed playing cards and attending dances at the Lakewood Ballroom on Saturday Nights. Most of all Ethel enjoyed the time spent with her grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Left to celebrate Ethel's life are her sons: Dean Tiefenthaler and his wife Deb of Lake View, Dale Tiefenthaler and his wife Jean of Breda, and Dan Tiefenthaler and his wife Theresa of Breda. Her grandchildren: Robert (Brenda) Tiefenthaler of Sioux City, Sherri (Chris) Allman of Breda, Kenzie (Mike) Harder of Norwalk, Jesse (Shalyn) Woerdehoff of Adel, Ryan (Molly) Woerdehoff of Breda, Alison (Brad) Schmitz of Spirit Lake, Chris (Christina) Woerdehoff of Lake View, Lori (Robbie) Tiefenthaler of Trophy Club, TX, Brent (Cindy) Tiefenthaler of Breda, Ryan (Tarin) Tiefenthaler of Carroll, Laura (Cody) Sigmon of Auburn, Sarah (Jeff) Riesberg of Breda, and Austin (Katelynn) Tiefenthaler of Breda; 25 great-grandchildren, 6 great-great-grandchildren, as well as many nieces, nephews, and other extended relatives.

Ethel was preceded in death by her husband Cyril, a son, Daryl Tiefenthaler, a daughter-in-law Bonnie Tiefenthaler; her parents, Joseph and Clara Heinrichs; her sister Irene (Irwin) Galloway; her sisters-in-law: Mayme Meyer, Christina

Pittman; and her brothers-in-law: Louis, John, Alfred, William, Frank, Arthur, and Ray Tiefenthaler.

Previous Events

Mass of the Christian Burial

OCT **3**. 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM (CT)

St. Bernard Catholic Church
304 N. 2nd Street
Breda, IA 51436

Tribute Wall

CB

“ I have very fond memories of Ethel when she was at Swan House. She was such a strong and busy lady, always on the go! She was extremely proud of all of her family! It was a pleasure to get to care for her. God bless you all. Connie Blum, RN

Connie Blum - October 19, 2020 at 06:21 PM

MT

“ So sorry to hear of Ethel passing our deepest sympathy 🙏🙏



Merlin Tiefenthaler - October 07, 2020 at 10:44 AM

RW

“ So sorry to hear about the loss of your Grandmother, Sherri. My thoughts and prayers are with you and all of your family.



Retta Williams - October 01, 2020 at 12:12 AM

SC

“ Saint Bernard Choir purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Ethel Tiefenthaler.



Saint Bernard Choir - September 30, 2020 at 03:57 PM

KG

“ We were saddened to hear Ethel passed away. Our thoughts and prayers are with at this difficult time and may your memories bring you peace and may God give you strength in the coming days.

Bob & Kathi Galloway

Kathi Galloway - September 29, 2020 at 07:31 PM



“ Southern Magnolia Tree was purchased for the family of Ethel Tiefenthaler.

September 29, 2020 at 02:30 PM



DE

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with everyone in the Tiefenthaler clan. Lucia & Dean Riesberg

Dean - September 28, 2020 at 07:08 PM



SR

“ We always enjoyed visiting with Ethel when we were at Sunnybrook. She was such a kind and friendly lady. Our sympathies to you and your family.
Sheet and Tom Reiter

Shery Reiter - September 28, 2020 at 05:02 PM