



Kathleen J. Schlapp

WOODSTOCK – Kathleen J. Schlapp, 71, of Woodstock, died Thursday, June 17, 2010 at Centegra Hospital – McHenry.

She was born Jan. 8, 1939, in Woodstock, to Edward M. and Mildred K. (Madsen) Schmarje.

She was a graduate of Woodstock High School with the class of 1957. She was a legal secretary and worked at Hamer, Schuh & Cuda, Caldwell, Berner and Caldwell and also Hugh Deneen law offices in Woodstock. For many years she was the clerk at Dorr Township office. She volunteered at McHenry County Historical Society and was a member of the Seneca Ladies Literary Society and the Woodstock Business and Professional Women's Club.

She was a member of St. John's Lutheran Church in Woodstock and served on the Altar Guild. She also taught Sunday School at Grace Lutheran Church in Woodstock.

She enjoyed researching history for McHenry County, planning her class reunions, and collected post cards of McHenry County.

She is survived by a nephew, James (Karen) Schmarje; a brother, Alfred Schmarje; four aunts, Lillian Schmarje, Pauline Young, Eleanor Mungle and Sylvia Schmarje; a grandniece and grandnephew, Joseph and Gemma; and many cousins.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

The visitation will be from 1 to 5 p.m. Sunday, June 20, at Schneider-Leucht-Merwin & Cooney Funeral Home, 1211 N. Seminary Ave., Woodstock. The funeral will be at 10 a.m. Monday, June 21, at St. John's Lutheran Church, Woodstock. Burial will be in McHenry County Memorial Park in Woodstock.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. John's Lutheran Church or McHenry County Historical Society.

For information, call the funeral home at 815-338-1710.