



## Dolores C. Habig

February 4, 1921 - February 9, 2019

Dateline Jasper, IN

Dolores C. Habig, age 98, of Jasper, Indiana, passed away at 12:00 p.m. on Saturday, February 9, 2019, in the Northwood Retirement Community in Jasper, Indiana.

Dolores was born in St. Henry, Indiana, on February 4, 1921, to William and Therese (Fritch) Kuper. She married Jerome F. Habig on June 24, 1947, in St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Jasper, Indiana. He preceded her in death on February 6, 2013.

Dolores was a 1939 graduate of Jasper High School and a graduate of Lockyear Business college. She worked in Evansville and Jasper before becoming a "stay-at-home Mom" for their five children. She did volunteer work for Scouting, especially for the Girl Scout Day Camp. She served on the Jasper Public Library Board for many years.

Her interests included spending time with her grandchildren and great grandchildren, reading, flower gardening, and playing cards, especially bridge, and mahjong. Through the years, she also belonged to many social clubs.

She was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Jasper, the D of I, St. Ann's Society, American Legion Auxiliary Post #147, Dubois County Museum, ROJAC, and Friends of the Library.

Surviving are two daughters and three sons, Cindy (Steve) Roberts, Greenwood, IN, Sarah (Keith) Faller, Carmel, IN, Steve (Susan) Habig, Jasper, IN, Dr. Mark (Carol) Habig, Indianapolis, IN, and Luke (Beth) Habig, Indianapolis, IN, seven grandchildren, seven great grandchildren, four step grandchildren, 11 step great grandchildren.

Preceding her in death besides her husband are two grandsons, Phillip and Andrew Faller, one brother, Maurice Kuper, and one sister, Sr. Bernice Kuper, Sister of Providence.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Thursday, February 14, 2019, at St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Jasper, Indiana, with burial to follow in Fairview Cemetery in Jasper, Indiana.

A visitation will be held from 9:00 a.m. until the 11:00 a.m. service time at the church on Thursday.

Memorial contributions may be made to St. Joseph's Catholic Church or the Jerome and Dolores Habig Family Endowment at the Dubois County Community Foundation.

Online condolences may be made at <http://www.becherkluesner.com>

# Cemetery

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## Fairview Cemetery

1020 Kundek Street  
Jasper, IN, 47546

# Events

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**FEB** **Visitation** 09:00AM - 11:00AM

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St. Joseph Catholic Church  
1029 Kundek Street, Jasper, IN, US

**FEB** **Mass of Christian Burial** 11:00AM

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St. Joseph Catholic Church  
1029 Kundek Street, Jasper, IN, US

# Comments

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“ We were Dolores and Jerry's neighbors for many years. We all have fondest memories of them. They were both so very kind to us. Jerry would always put my Son to work while Dolores, my Daughter and I would sit and talk. They would always take the time to ask us how our day went as they offered us to come inside or to sit by their beautiful garden. Now their souls are together once again. Prayers to the family for their loss. With deepest sympathy,  
Ken&Lisa Nelson, David&Laura Merkley and Derek Neukam

Lisa Nelson - February 22, 2019 at 06:11 PM

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“ Patty Brinson lit a candle in memory of Dolores C. Habig



Patty Brinson - February 16, 2019 at 11:42 PM

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“ Dolores was a special woman. She became a role model for many of us, as she aged. Our family (Mary Ann & Jim Alles) grew up together. We spent several vacation trips together, as well as many hours playing at their house & yard. Fond memories!  
Jerry & our dad Jim were best friends.  
Wish I could be with you in Jasper at this time. However, with the polar vortex last week (from 50 degrees below to 50 degrees above a few days later), we have been struggling with ice & many snow days. I don't need to jump in my car & drive 7 hours to Jasper.

Please know that I am thinking of you all. It would be a great reunion to see you all again, as it's been many years. I wish you many fond memories of her life well lived.

Love,  
Debby (Alles) Dunstone Kalamazoo MI

Deb Dunstone - February 13, 2019 at 03:43 PM

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“ Dolores was a woman of such gentle wit and home spun wisdom. How she loved her family and friends. Dolores visits with Sr. Bernice Kuper, SP at St. Mary-of -the Woods was a treat for all of us who loved them both. Blessings to her family at this time. Sr. Kathleen Desautels, SP

**Kathleen Desautels, SP** - February 13, 2019 at 10:05 AM

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“ Many of us Sisters of Providence knew Dolores through her sister, Sister Bernice, SP.  
I'm happy to be one of those SPs. I loved Dolores' smile, sparkling eyes and what seemed to me a wise take on life. My promise of prayer to all who love her.

**S. Denise Wilkinson** - February 12, 2019 at 03:57 PM

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“ Our deepest and sincere sympathy goes out to your family at the passing of your dear mother and grandmother. May your memories and the love you shared bring you peace and comfort in the days ahead.  
Your friends at the Vincennes University Alumni and Foundation Office

**VU Alumni and Foundation Office** - February 12, 2019 at 11:30 AM

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“ Daughters of Isabella Jasper Circle #140 mourn the loss of Dolores, an honest and faithful member. Our members will remember her in a rosary at an upcoming meeting. Our sympathy on the loss of Dolores.  
Kathy Bachman, Scribe for #140

**Kathy Bachman** - February 12, 2019 at 10:36 AM

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“ Jerry was my Godfather and I always enjoyed visiting Delores and Jerry up the street on Newton Street from my grandparents (Anita and Louis Kuper). They were truly wonderful people and always generous with the time they spent with my family. From my interactions, Delores certainly had a wonderful impact on many people's lives over the years. I am sorry for the loss and your family will be in our thoughts and prayers.

- Nick Kuper and family

**Nick Kuper** - February 11, 2019 at 10:15 PM

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“ Dolores was my grandmother's niece and my first cousin, once removed. I always enjoyed visiting her in Jasper in the summers as a kid. A wonderful person. Love and condolences to the whole family!

**Les Reker** - February 11, 2019 at 07:17 PM

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“ What a remarkable lady; she had so many friends of all ages. So pleasant and a subtle sense of humor; I hope I am able to live as gracefully as Dolores did. Thinking of her and her family.  
Sincerely,  
Carrie Houchin

**Carrie Houchin** - February 11, 2019 at 06:10 PM

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“ Aunt Delores was a beautiful and caring woman. She will be missed, sympathy to everyone.

**Joan Holt** - February 11, 2019 at 10:51 AM

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“ To all the family, you are in my thoughts and prayers ... RIP with Tony

**Delphine Neukam** - February 11, 2019 at 08:39 AM

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“ Certainly a life well-lived. What a wonderful aunt. We will miss you, Dolores. Our sympathies to the entire family,

Paul, Sue, Thomas & Olivia Habig

**Paul Habig** - February 11, 2019 at 08:23 AM