



Kathryn F. Scheuer

October 4, 1930 - December 10, 2025

Kathryn “Katie” F. Scheuer, 95, of Huntley, formerly of Wood Dale, passed away peacefully on December 10, 2025, at Highland Oaks in Elgin, surrounded by the love of her children. She was born on October 4, 1930, in Chicago to Andrew and Kathryn (Kavanaugh) Brisch.

Katie was the beloved wife of Oswald “Ozzie” Scheuer; loving mother of Bob (Sandy) Scheuer and Kathy Okrzesik; cherished grandmother of Jason (Nicole), Sean (Nikki), Michael (Amy), Danny (Kathryn), and Evan; and devoted great-grandmother of Beckam, Camden, Madison, Aubrey, and Kennedy. She was a dear sister to Pat Helm and Carole (Dave) Krochalk, a fond aunt to many nieces and nephews, and a treasured friend to all who knew her.

She was preceded in death by her siblings Jeanne Kelly, Andrew Brisch, and Barbara Brisch, as well as her son-in-law, Randy Okrzesik.

Katie graduated from Mundelein College in Chicago with a teaching degree and taught middle school in Chicago following her graduation. She met the love of her life—who was the cousin of her best friend, Marge—and they were

married at Immaculate Conception Church in Elmhurst before settling in River Grove. Katie devoted herself to being a stay-at-home mother while also serving as a substitute teacher. Later, she worked in the ENT Department at Loyola Medical Center, a role she truly loved.

After retiring, Katie and Ozzie moved to Del Webb in Huntley, where they enjoyed traveling, making new friends, and embracing their community. Katie was an active parishioner at St. Mary's Church, where she delivered Communion to homebound parishioners. An avid reader and crossword enthusiast, she was a woman of deep faith whose kindness and compassion knew no bounds. She had a remarkable gift for seeing the good in everyone she met, lighting up every room with her warm smile and gentle spirit.

Katie delighted in the simple pleasures of life and embraced travel with enthusiasm and wonder. Known among her friends as the dependable designated driver, she was always willing to go the extra mile so others could enjoy shopping and lunch together. Above all, Katie's greatest joy was her family—especially her grandchildren and great-grandchildren. They were the heart of her life, and she poured her love into every hug, every story, and every cherished memory. Her legacy of love will continue to inspire all who were blessed to know her. She will be deeply missed.

Visitation will be held on Monday, January 12th, 2026, at St. Mary Catholic Church, 10307 Dundee Road in Huntley from 9:00 until the 10:00 Memorial Mass of Christian Burial. Burial will follow in the St. Mary Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, memorials in Kathryn's name may be directed to Highland Oaks at highlandoakselgin.org and the Alzheimer's Foundation at www.alz.org

Cemetery Details

St. Mary Cemetery

Dean Street
Huntley, IL

Previous Events

Visitation

JAN 12. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary Catholic Church
10307 Dundee Road
Huntley, IL 60142

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Tribute Wall

JM

“Katie was a sweet, kind person with a wonderful smile. I will remember you fondly especially all the fun times we shared with you, Kathy and my mom. You were one of a kind Katie and will be greatly missed.

Julie Morrone - January 12 at 09:29 AM

JK

“Katie was such a dear, sweet person who we were blessed to meet, and grow to love, when Jason married our daughter Nicole. We loved reading about all the things Katie did in her life - she was quite an extra-ordinary woman! We wish we could have spent more time with Katie, but we enjoyed each moment that we did have with her - she was such a joy! Katie has left a wonderful legacy through her family and we love having them in our lives. We send our deepest sympathy and love to you Kathy, Bob and Sandy, and to your families and all who will miss this lovely woman. Love and prayers, Joyce and Steve Kalb

Joyce Kalb - January 11 at 06:40 AM

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“Katie was one of a kind! She always had a smile for everyone and I have fond memories of her, especially celebrating her 95th birthday! Love and condolences to Kathy, Bob and families.
Nancy Rojek

Nancy Rojek - January 10 at 11:47 PM

JW

“ I have been good friends with Katie’s youngest sister Carole since we were 10 years old. I first met Katie when she was a new mother. Along with Carole, I looked up to Katie as a role model. She was smart, beautiful, and gracious. I always enjoyed talking with her when we met from time to time over the years. A lovely lady. My deepest sympathy to Pat, Carole, Bob, Kathy, and all the grandchildren.

JoEllen Wilbur

JoEllen Wilbur - January 09 at 07:21 PM

LC

“ Katie was one of the kindest people we know and she quickly became a favorite friend of my mom, Elizabeth Carlson. For about 10 straight years, Kathy and I brought our moms to the annual dietetic meetings and traveled all over country. The first time they met they were dressed almost the same - black pants, red vests, and they immediately liked each. My mom looked forward to the yearly event because of Katie. They both loved going to the nutrition lectures and trying samples in the exhibit areas. We ended up assigning them to sessions we couldn’t attend because they paid attention and took good notes. Katie and my mom became honorary dietitians. We also love that Katie enjoyed a cold beer when we went out. Cheers to a kind and lovely lady!

Lisa Carlson - December 18, 2025 at 01:24 PM