

Obituary

Mrs. Roy (Joan M.) Clingman, 79, of Galena

Mrs. Roy (Joan M.) Clingman, 79, of Galena, Ill., died peacefully in her sleep at 9:55 p.m. Saturday, May 30, 2009 at the Finley Hospital, Dubuque, Iowa, after a long struggle with chronic illness.

Services were Friday, June 5 at St. Matthew's Lutheran Church in Galena. Burial in Greenwood Cemetery.

Joan was born on Sept. 26, 1929 at State Center, the daughter of Harley and Cordelia (Voigt) Smith. She was united in marriage to Roy H. Clingman on Aug. 30, 1953 at State Center.

She graduated from the University of Iowa College of Nursing in 1950. Joan worked at the University of Iowa Hospitals and Stanford Hospital in San Francisco, Calif. Joan and her husband Roy

ran Clingman Pharmacy in Galena from 1958-1994.

Joan's greatest joy came from raising her three children. Her favorite activities included playing bridge, family gatherings and traveling. She was a devoted member of St. Matthew's Lutheran Church.

Surviving are her husband Roy of Galena, three children, Connie (Dan) Consedine of Galena, Jon (Julie) Clingman of Vinton, and Doug (Lea) Clingman of Phoenix, Ariz. Six grandchildren, Chadd Budde, Eileen Consedine, Megan Mitchell, Madison Clingman, Emma Clingman and Abigail Clingman.

Two sisters, Delores Meadows of Superior, Wis., and Marian Kormanik of Bloomington, Minn.

She was preceded in death by her parents.