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Rosemary was born on November 16, 1928, in Hammond, IL to Ralph W. and Gertrude F. (McClure) Traxler. She married James D. Garvey on August 11, 1951 in LaPlace, IL.

Rosemary was an active member of the LaPlace Church of the Brethren, where she was an organist and pianist. She was also a member of the Cerro Gordo Library Board, Cerro Gordo Womens Club, a past officer of the PTA, and a volunteer with Love Unlimited. A few of her favorite past times included league bowling, sewing, helping her husband farm and enjoying her family and friends. She also enjoyed teaching piano for many years.

Rosemary leaves, to cherish fond memories, her husband, of 52 years, James, four daughters; Dale Garvey and her friend Harold Pritchett of San Francisco, California, Sandy Primm and her husband George of Bolingbrook, Illinois, Tracy McRae of Cerro Gordo, Illinois, and Debbie Leibrock and her husband Martin of Aurora, Illinois. She also leaves, as part of her legacy, nine grandchildren; Joshua, Joel, Niki, and Danielle Primm, Justin, and Camille McRae, and Calvin, Evan and Owen Leibrock. She is also survived by two brothers; Ralph Traxler Jr. and his wife Evelyn of Cerro Gordo, Illinois, Billy Traxler of Lovington, Illinois, and sister-in-law, Ruth Traxler of Cerro Gordo, Illinois.

Rosemary was preceded in death by her parents, infant son, Mark, infant daughter Faye, and one brother Harold Traxler.

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