



# Caroline Clizbe

FEB 3, 1928 - NOV 13, 2017



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**C**aroline Clizbe, 89, of Clinton, passed away, Monday, November 13, 2017 at Bickford Cottage.

Visitation will be Monday, November 20, 2017, from 11:00am to 1:00pm at the Clinton Chapel Snell-Zornig Funeral Homes & Crematory. A graveside service will be Monday at 1:00pm at Oakland Cemetery. Serving as pallbearers will be Stephen, Keith and Scott Clizbe, Jim Patti, Eric Patti, Scott Harrison, and Mike Dietrick. Serving as an honorary pallbearer will be Bob Boegel. Online condolences may be expressed by visiting her obituary at [www.snellzornig.com](http://www.snellzornig.com).

Caroline Rich was born on February 3, 1928 in Sterling, Illinois, the daughter of Maurice and Virginia (Sublett) Rich. She was a 1946 graduate of Clinton High School. She married David E. Clizbe on June 6, 1947 in Clinton; he passed away on March 16, 2016.

Caroline was a homemaker who, with her husband Dave, raised five children in a loving home in Hockessin, Delaware before returning to Clinton to live where she grew up. She enjoyed playing cards and was especially active with bridge clubs in Wilmington and Clinton, and also always kept an ongoing gin rummy game at home with her husband.

Caroline enjoyed song birds, with a consistent eye and ear lent to her favorite wrens while arranging her flower gardens - this always made her happy. Her family and friends looked forward to her apple pies and special potato salad. She also enjoyed traveling, playing golf, crossword puzzles, and spending time at the family cabin. She was an avid reader, always reading good books and sharing her favorites with the family.

Caroline is survived by her children: Stephen (Mireya) Clizbe of Cobb, California, Debra (Mike Dietrick) Delaney of Clermont, Florida, Nancy (James) Patti of Clinton, Iowa, Keith (Barbara) Clizbe of Phoenixville, Pennsylvania, and Scott Clizbe of



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Davenport, Iowa; 6 grandchildren and 3 great-grandchildren. In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by her parents, one sister, and four brothers. Memorials can be made to the Clizbe Charitable Foundation.



# Events


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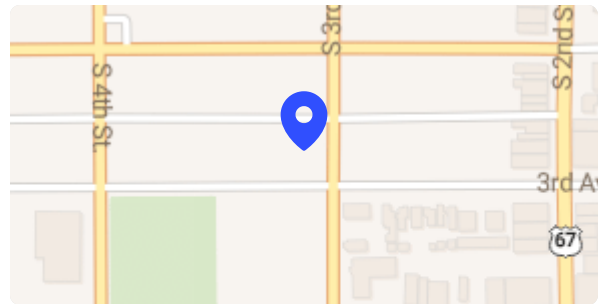
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## Visitation

 **Monday**, November 20, 2017

 11:00 AM - 1:00 PM CT


 **Snell-Zornig Funeral Home & Crematory, Clinton**  
302 Third Avenue South, Clinton IA 52732



## Graveside Service


 **Monday**, November 20, 2017

 1:00 PM - 1:30 PM CT

 **Oakland Cemetery**  
360 North Stockwell Lane, Clinton IA 52732



## Cemetery Details

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## Tribute Wall

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**Anonymous** sent an Enchanted Cottage to the Clizbe family.

November 18 at 11:32 AM



**Anonymous** sent a Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum to the Clizbe family.

November 17 at 1:20 PM



**Michael Workman** lit a candle in honor of Caroline.

Michael Workman Scottsdale, AZ

November 17 at 4:36 AM



**Keith Clizbe** June 15 at 7:48 AM

Mom, You will always be in my heart and my life as it moves along. I miss you. Your love, patience and support helped all of us "kids" grow and prosper; helped us all through our problems and issues. With both you and Dad gone from this Earth, there is a matching pair of holes in my heart. But I am very glad that you and Dad are together again with the Lord. Love you.



## **Memories only last if you share them**

Join us in honoring Caroline by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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