



Elfriede Taube

February 16, 1929 - March 16, 2018

Elfriede Taube, 89, loving wife, mother, sister, grandmother, and dear friend passed away in her Minocqua home surrounded by family on March 16th, 2018.

She was born in Kulm, Romania on February 16th, 1929 and grew up in Germany. In 1952, she immigrated to America with her husband and daughter to begin a new life in Chicago. She was employed by Durkee Foods as a bookkeeper for many years. Through all her family's celebrations and hardships, Elfriede was both the pillar of strength and a constant caregiver for those she loved. Her home was a place of family gatherings, perfectly-decorated cookies, delicious meals, and freshly-picked garden vegetables. She was an active and busy member of her church in Chicago, and she was inclusive and welcoming to all.

After her daughter moved to Minocqua in 1976, Elfriede and her husband visited regularly, always enjoying everything the Northwoods had to offer. They moved to Minocqua permanently in 2010. She spent her last years with family, was often entertained by the birds and squirrels, and proudly spoiled the family dogs.

Elfriede is preceded in death by her husband of 63 years, Heinrich Taube. She is survived by one daughter, Heike Taube; one grandson, Jonathan Pace; one granddaughter, Joanna Pace; one brother, Rudi Hirschmann; one sister, Engeline Koepper; and one nephew, Mark Koepper.

A private family memorial service will be held at a later date. Memorials are suggested to a charity of your choice.

Bolger Cremation and Funeral Services of Minocqua is handling the arrangements.