



## Winnifred "Winnie" Lucille Weitzel

April 28, 1922 - September 18, 2015

Winnifred "Winnie" Lucille Weitzel, age 93, formerly of Bear Valley, died Friday, September 18, 2015 at her son's home in North Freedom. She was born on April 28, 1922 the daughter of Orville and Sylvia (Martin) Bailey. She married Harold Lewis and they were married a short time before he preceded her in death in a truck accident. She later married Lawrence "Larry" Weitzel on April, 22, 1950.

Winnie worked at the Ithaca school for many years as a librarian and teacher's aide as well as taking the census every year. She worked until her mid-seventies because she enjoyed all of the children who touched her heart throughout the years there. This turned into many generations of families that she was able to watch grow. Winnie was an avid Packer and Badger fan and enjoyed going to the local softball and baseball games at Kaul Park. She bowled for many years at the Richland Center Lanes and won many trophies and plaques and always cherished the time spent with her teammates.

Larry preceded her in death in October, 1999 and she spend the next fifteen years on the farm with her faithful companion "Penny" her jack russell terrier. She loved working out in her lawn and keeping up her flower gardens and watching the deer in the fields as well as counting the cattle that came down into the lower pasture. She looked forward to deer hunting season every year as the DeLapp family came every year to hunt and she looked upon them as

an extension of her own family. She also spent time doting on her granddaughter Ashlee who was her one and only grandchild and the sunshine of her life.

Survivors include her sons, Tony (Renee) Weitzel of North Freedom, WI and Jim Lewis of LaCrosse, WI; a granddaughter Ashlee Weitzel of North Freedom, WI; 2 sisters-in-law, Rachel Bailey of Muscoda, WI and Betty Burt of Green Bay, WI as well as several nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

Winnifred was preceded in death by her parents; husbands Harold Lewis and Larry Weitzel, 2 sisters, Muriel and Pauline; 2 brothers, Gurvase and Gordon.

Celebration of Life Services will be held on Wednesday, September 23, 2015 at 11:00 a.m. at the Clary Memorial Funeral Home in Richland Center.

Visitation will be held on Tuesday, September 22, 2015 from 4:00-7:00 p.m. and also on Wednesday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of services. On line condolences can be made at [www.clarymemorialfuneralhome.com](http://www.clarymemorialfuneralhome.com)

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **22**. 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM (CT)

Clary Memorial Funeral & Cremation Service, LLC  
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## Visitation

SEP **23**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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## Celebration of Life

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# Tribute Wall



“ A sympathy card was purchased for the family of Winnifred "Winnie" Lucille Weitzel.



September 23, 2015 at 10:03 AM



“ 119 files added to the album LifeTributes



Let me rest and know you're with me.  
Kiss my cheek and hold my hand.  
I'm confused beyond your concept.  
I am sad and sick and lost.  
All I know is that I need you  
To be with me at all cost.  
Do not lose you patience with me.  
Do not scold or curse or cry.  
I can't help the way I'm acting.  
Can't be different 'though I try.



Clary Memorial Funeral Home - September 22, 2015 at 09:55 AM



“ Mike, Brian, and Chris DeLapp purchased the Strength & Solace Spray for the family of Winnifred "Winnie" Lucille Weitzel.



Mike, Brian, and Chris DeLapp - September 21, 2015 at 07:33 PM



“ 119 files added to the album Winnie



Clary Memorial Funeral Home - September 21, 2015 at 02:07 PM



“ I always remember her greeting everyone with a smile & a friendly voice all through school when you entered the library. She was a wonderful lady. She touched many lives.

Stacy Pletzer - September 21, 2015 at 11:06 AM



“ I remember Winnie from my school days. She was such a wonderful and compassionate person.



Lisa Trush - September 21, 2015 at 10:56 AM

SB

“ I loved Aunt Winnie and Uncle Larry and the time my sister and I were able to spend during many summers on the farm. They were some of the best memories I have growing up; having fun, working hard, getting dirty, picking black caps, baking pies, playing with Tony and Jim, swimming in the creek, playing with calves, and feeling loved.



Sue Bolle' - September 20, 2015 at 05:15 PM

SA

“ Sylvia Fowler Winnie Is My Aunt! lit a candle in memory of Winnifred "Winnie" Lucille Weitzel



Sylvia Fowler Winnie is my Aunt! - September 20, 2015 at 12:29 AM

RW

Aunt Winnie was a beautiful lady. Love and hugs. Roxanne

roxanne williamson - September 20, 2015 at 12:44 AM

SF

I remember staying with my grandparents and going over to Aunt Winnie and Uncle Larrys I was very young I loved her very much and was glad I was able to see her when I was able to get up there, Sylvia Fowler

sylvia Fowler - September 20, 2015 at 07:35 PM

MC

We send our sympathy to Winnie's family.  
Richard and Mary (Weitzel) Carver

Mary Carver - September 21, 2015 at 08:18 AM

RW

*I remember playing house in the little play house down in the yard. And helping uncle Larry with the cows in the barn when I was little . Much love . Roxanne*

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**roxanne williamson** - September 21, 2015 at 06:48 PM



“ 1 file added to the album Ashlee



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**Clary Memorial Funeral Home** - September 19, 2015 at 11:18 AM