



Helen Louise Betz

February 18, 1918 - June 9, 2016

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PRINCETON — Helen Louise Betz, 98, passed away Thursday, June 9, 2016, at Colonial HealthCare and Rehabilitation Centre in Princeton..

She was born Feb. 18, 1918, in Malden to John and Anna (Edlefson) Betz.

She graduated from Princeton High School in 1935 and from the Scoville School of Commerce in 1938. She worked for 18 years in Springfield for the state of Illinois and 14 years as deputy clerk of Bureau County Circuit Court. She also worked at the Russell Law Office in the 1940s.

She was a member of St. Matthews Lutheran Church in Princeton.

Surviving are one niece, Cecelia (Wm.) Graffis; one nephew, Dwight Hoffman; four great-nieces, Laurie (David Eserhut) Graffis, and Melanie, Leah and Elise Hoffman; and one great-great-niece, Hannah Eserhut.

She was preceded in death by her parents; one sister, Ella Hoffman; a brother-in-law, Harland Hoffman; and a great-niece, Cheryl Graffis.

Services will be at 1 p.m. Thursday, June 16, at the Norberg Memorial Home in Princeton with Pastor Norm Femrite officiating. Burial will be in Elm Lawn Memorial Park in Princeton.

Memorials may be directed to the First Lutheran Church in Princeton.

Cemetery Details

Elm Lawn Memorial Park

Knox St
Princeton, IL 61356