



Virginia Mae "Gini" Leadholm

OSSEO -- Virginia Mae "Gini" Leadholm, 70, of Osseo, entered into eternal life with the Lord, following her death on Wednesday, May 22, 2002 at Luther Hospital in Eau Claire.



Gini was born Jan. 29, 1932 in Chippewa Falls to Ingwald and Lillian (Goettling) Thompson. She graduated from Chippewa Falls Senior High in 1949 and Wisconsin State University-River Falls in 1955 with a degree in education.

She married John A. Leadholm on Aug. 4, 1956 in Chippewa Falls.

She taught in Colfax, Shawano, Eau Claire, Osseo and at Chippewa Valley Technical College where she taught English as a Second Language for 20 years. She retired in 1993.

Gini was a member of Osseo Evangelical Lutheran Church serving on the church council and the women's fellowship. She was the secretary of the Hauge Memorial Library and treasurer of the Osseo Hospital Auxiliary.

She was a devoted wife, mother, mother in law, grandmother, sister, friend and aunt to many nieces and nephews. She enjoyed her women's and couples bridge club, traveling in Europe, Hawaii, Las Vegas and much of the United States, crafting, shopping and reading. Her greatest pride was spending time with her family and especially her six grandchildren.

She is survived by her husband, John; her children, John T. and Lisa of Cambridge, Tom and Sue of Black River Falls, Tim and Janis of Eau Claire, and Ann of Osseo; one brother, Bob (Bert) Thompson of Rice Lake; one sister in law, Nancy Thompson of Eden Prairie, Minn.; and her grandchildren, Shane, Cole, Joe, Tyler, Kim and Kate.

She was preceded in death by her parents and a brother, Jim.

Services will be 11 a.m., Saturday, May 25, 2002 at Osseo Evangelical Lutheran Church with Rev. Lewis Thompson officiating. Burial will be in Osseo Cemetery.

Friends may call from 4-7 p.m. Friday at Schiefelbein Funeral Home, Osseo, and one hour prior to services at the church on Saturday.

