

Marie Anna Scharlau Drennon

Memorial services for Marie Anna Scharlau Drennon, 90, of Rantoul, Ill., will be held at a later date. Born May 14, 1916, in Norwood Park, Ill., the daughter of Paul and Minnie Pomplun, she died Sunday, August 6, 2006, at the Champaign County Nursing Home. Mrs. Drennon attended St. Paul Lutheran School and was a school bus driver for the Salt Creek School district in Oak Brook Terrace for many years. She was a member of St. Paul Evangelical United Church of Christ in Bloomingdale, where she served on the altar committee. She also volunteered for the Bensenville Home, which is now LifeLink, and delivered meals for Meals-on-Wheels in the summer. She later worked at a thrift shop in Villa Park, which was affiliated with the Bensenville Home. Survivors include her sons, Donald Richard Scharlau of Utica, Ill. and Harold Erwin Scharlau of Urbana, Ill.; daughter, Dolores "Lori" Erl of Elk Grove Village; five grandchildren; two great Step-grandchildren; sister, Lorraine Tegetmeier of Fox Lake; and brother, Richard Pomplun of Mesa, Ariz. She was preceded in death by her husbands, Erwin Scharlau in 1950, whom she married in 1936, Frank Benhart in 1987, and Cletus Drennon in 1994. Memorials may be made to St. Paul Evangelical United Church of Christ, 118 S. First St., Bloomingdale, IL. 60108, Provena Hospice Care Program, 1400 S. Park St., Urbana, IL 61801 or a charity of the donor's choice. Arrangements were made by the Renner-Wikoff Chapel, Urbana, 217-367-1122.

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