

Marian Ruth Skolos, age 96, passed away peacefully at her home Tuesday, May 13, 2014. She was born August 8, 1917, in the Town of Curran, in Jackson County, Wisconsin, to Henry and Ruth (Mortiboy) Beirne.

She graduated from Galesville High School and went on to the St. Francis School of Nursing in La Crosse, WI to become a Registered Nurse.

She honorably served as First Lieutenant in the Army Nurse Corps from 1941 to 1945 and was stationed at a hospital in the Fiji Islands during World War II. She later became School Nurse in the Town of Hixton and then worked at the Pine View Nursing home for many years.

She married Carlyle Skolos on June 28, 1958, in Black River Falls, Wisconsin.

Marian will be remembered by her family and friends as a compassionate, caring and loving mother, grandmother and great grandmother. Each and every one of her family brought great joy to her life and she to theirs.

Marian will be sadly missed by four children, William Gerald (Bonnie) Humphreys of Marshfield WI; Patricia Shannon of Black River Falls, WI; Mark (Kate) Skolos of Eau Claire, WI; and Paul Skolos of Black River Falls, WI. She is also survived by seven grandchildren; and three great grandchildren; also by numerous nieces, nephews, other relatives and friends.

She was preceded in death by her husband, her parents, her son, Michael in 1956, her brother, Richard in 1991, and a grandson, Michael in 2003.

Funeral services will be 1:00 PM, Friday at Jensen-Modjeski Funeral Home in Hixton. Burial will be in Sechlerville Cemetery.

Friends may call from 6-8 PM Thursday at the funeral home. Friends may also call from 12:00 PM until the time of services at the funeral home on Friday.

Online condolences are available at [www.jensenmodjeskifuneralhome.com](http://www.jensenmodjeskifuneralhome.com).

Jensen-Modjeski Funeral Home of Hixton is assisting the family with arrangements.