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Sr. Jacinta Stein, age 84 of the Srs. of St. Francis in Oldenburg, died Sunday, April 5, 2015 at the convent. Born April 10, 1930 in Cincinnati, Ohio, she is the daughter of Isabella (Nee: Boller) and William Stein.

Sr. Jacinta entered the convent October 3, 1947 and made her final vows August 12, 1953. An elementary teacher for over 50 years, schools included Little Flower, St. Monica's, St. Lawrence and Our Lady of Lourdes in Indianapolis, St. Mary's in Greensburg, Indiana, St. Vincent de Paul in Bedford, Indiana, St. Mary's in Aurora, Indiana, Holy Trinity in St. Louis, Missouri, Immaculate Conception in Old Monroe, Missouri, St. Ann's in Hamilton, Ohio, St. Anthony's in Dayton, Ohio, St. Francis Seraph and St. Joseph's in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Sr. Jacinta grew up in a family of eleven during the depression. She would attend Woodward High School where she and her sisters were part of a co-op program providing both education and employment opportunities which helped support the family while three of their brothers were serving in World War II. Her family often visited an aunt who was a member of the Srs. of Notre Dame leading to a desire to seek a religious vocation. Through the Franciscans at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish, she decided to join the convent. She would earn a BS in Education from Marian University and an MS in Education from the University of Dayton. She would also serve as a CCD instructor, Director of Liturgy, Eucharistic Minister, Lector and Cantor for several parishes. She designed and presented workshops for parishes and deaneries about liturgical ministers and established audio/visual libraries for various schools. Sr. Jacinta once commented "I thank God that He has called me to be an Oldenburg Franciscan, from where all my ministry and life flows." Declining health in recent years kept her from living the vibrant life she was used too. Sr. Jacinta is survived by sisters Sr. Rita Stein S.N.D., Joan Brassfield and Betty Seay, all of Cincinnati, Marianna Hungler of Fairfield, Ohio and brother William Stein of



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Cincinnati. In addition to her parents, she is also preceded in death by sister Ruth Conroy and brothers Richard, Robert Carl and James Stein.

Visitation is Wednesday, April 8th, from 1 - 3 p.m. at the convent chapel. Funeral services follow at 3 p.m. with Rev. Bob Weakley O.F.M. officiating. Burial will be in the convent cemetery. Memorials may be made to the Srs. of St. Francis, P.O. Box 100, Oldenburg, IN, 47036 (www.OldenburgFranciscans.org).



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CS

C Smith posted:

I was a student of Sr. Jacinta at Lady of Lourdes when I was in second grade. There are few teachers that made as much of an impression on me. I've only just learned that she passed some years ago as I wanted to reach out to her to give my thanks. My hope is that she knows of her enduring presence in my life and that her warm and loving kindness during that period of my life was the greatest gift I could have been given. I am eternally grateful to you.

September 12 at 7:56 PM

NO

Nancy Stein Of Cleves, Ohio posted:

May she rest in the bosom of our Creator God. Oh what fond memories we all hold. I will always remember those many Sundays spent visiting Aunt Delores at Oldenburg with the extended Stein Family. Great fun was had by all. "Christ is Risen !" "Truly He is Risen !" And so too is Aunt Delores - Halleluia !

April 7 at 8:00 PM

CO

Cindy Conroy Hibbard Of Cincinnati, Ohio posted:

I remember talking with Sr. Jacinta over the years about her love of her faith and the liturgy. We shared an interest in the history of the Stein family and I loved to hear what information she had discovered. She was dedicated to her faith and her family. Once we were talking about when she was teaching the younger children about God and how do we know He is here if we can't see Him... she held an inflated balloon and told them "Just like air, God is there." It is comforting to know that she died on Easter to be reborn into her new life. God bless you Aunt Delores

April 6 at 8:00 PM

SH

Susan & Ralph Hamberg Of Villa Hills, Ky posted:

Will always have fond memories of Aunt Delores!

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Tabiatha M. Of Houston, Tx posted:

I offer my sincere condolences for the loss of Sr. Jacinta. It is very tragic when we lose someone. Be strong and have hope. Her caring service to others will forever be remembered and appreciated. She is well-loved and will be missed. Please reflect on the promises that are made at Revelation 21:4, "And he will wipe out every tear from their eyes, and death will be no more, neither will mourning nor outcry nor pain be anymore. The former things have passed away.". Rest assured that Sr. Jacinta is in Jehovah God's memory.

April 5 at 8:00 PM



Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Sr. by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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