



## Christine Deelsma

May 18, 2014

Christine Deelsma, 94 of Pittsgrove, passed away on May 18, 2014. Born to Johann and Rosalie Vogel in Yugoslavia, Christine came to the U.S. as an immigrant in 1957. She was very grateful to be a citizen of the U.S.A. Christine, was strong in faith and continued to strengthen her relationship with the Lord by attending Union Grove UMC. She brought her praises and troubles to the Lord in prayer, and spent time daily studying the bible. She was dedicated, strong-willed, and hard-working. She began her life in the U.S. raising over 3,000 chickens for egg production, and later as a factory worker for EKCO products. Although she was very devoted to the Lord, her family came in a very close second. She loved spending time with her granddaughter, Tara, and her great grandchildren Emma Christine and Owen. Christine enjoyed spending time in her garden, cooking, baking, crocheting, reading her bible, and fellowship with friends and family.

Her granddaughter, Tara and her husband, Ryan Donelson, great-grandchildren, Emma Christine and Owen; daughter-in-law Helga and her husband Jake Golley; her cousin Josephine Harris and her niece Anni Schreiber survive her. In addition, her husband Jacob Otto, her son Paul, and three siblings, Johann, Katerina, and Lissi have predeceased her.

Services will be private. The family suggests donations can be sent to the Activities Fund at Eagleview Health & Rehab, 849 Big Oak Road, Pittsgrove,

NJ, 08318. The family expresses sincere gratitude to the staff at Eagleview, for the care, kindness, and compassion provided to Christine over the last year of her life. [www.adamsfuneralhome.org](http://www.adamsfuneralhome.org)