LaVerne L. Raustis of Palatine. Funeral services for LaVerne L. Raustis (nee Haldeman), 83, will be held at 10 a.m. Friday, at St. Paul United Church of Christ, 144 E. Palatine Road, Palatine, with the Rev. Michelle McNamara officiating. Born March 25, 1920, in Chicago, she died Monday, Dec. 1, 2003, at Bloomingdale Pavillion Nursing Home, Bloomingdale. Interment will be in Randhill Park Cemetery, Arlington Heights. LaVerne was a member of St. Paul United Church of Christ and the Women's Guild. She was a retiree of Union Oil. She is survived by her daughter, Mary Ann (Thomas) Parchim; her grandchildren, Lisa and Keith (Eva) Buenzow; her great-grandson, Ethan Buenzow; her stepgrandchildren, Susan, Rose (Scott), Ann (Mark) and Raymond (Erika); her stepgreat-grandchildren, Sarah, Matthew, Elisa, Christian, Micholas, Taylor, Kayla and Jeffrey. Visitation will be held from 2 to 9 p.m. today, at Ahlgrim & Sons Funeral Home, 201 N. Northwest Highway, Palatine, and from 9 a.m. until the time of services at 10 a.m. Friday, at the church. Memorials made to St. Paul United Church of Christ, 144 E. Palatine Road, Palatine, IL 60067. Friends may visit www.dailyherald.com/obits to express condolences and sign the guest book. For funeral information, (847)358-7411.

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