

# Nina Chesebro

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NORMAL — Nina K. Chesebro, 95, Normal, formerly of Saunemin and Springfield, died Sunday (Nov. 7, 2010) at Advocate BroMenn Medical Center, Normal.

Her memorial service will be at 11 a.m. Friday at Saunemin United Methodist Church, with the Rev. David Phillips officiating. Cremation rites have been accorded. Inurnment will be at Sunnyslope Cemetery, Saunemin. There will be no visitation. Memorials in Nina's name may be made to Saunemin United Methodist Church. Martin Funeral home, Pontiac, is handling the arrangements.

Nina was born July 21, 1915, in Saunemin, a daughter of Ralph and Katharine Kyser Chesebro. Nina was preceded in death by her parents; two sisters, Patricia and Ruth; and one brother in infancy.

Nina was educated in Saunemin schools. She received her bachelor of science degree in education from Illinois State Normal University and her master of science degree in education from the University of Illinois. Nina taught school for 2½ years in a rural one-room school in Livingston County. She then taught for 6½ years at Saunemin Grade School and then for 31 years in Butler, Lawrence and Franklin schools in Springfield.

She was a 50-year member of Saunemin United Methodist Church. She was a member of the Gamma Theta Upsilon at ISNU and Kappa Delta Pi at University of Illinois. She was also a member of the Sigma Delta Pi sorority. Nina also was a member of the Springfield Education Association, the Illinois Education Association and National Education Association; Lincoln Land Retired Teachers and Illinois Retired Teachers Association. Nina was a member of the Pontiac Elks Ladies Golf Association for many years and the ISU Women's Golf Association. She participated for many years in South East Iowa Golf Tournament and the Illinois State Amateur Tournament.

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