Katharine A. Thorman October 22, 2002

Sarah Gipson writes that "Katie was quiet and unassuming but had a wonderful sense of humor and a very caring manner. She was gentle and sensitive of others, always eager to listen, help or join in. She was active in the Outing Club and encouraged me to join in activities I may not otherwise have tried." After graduation, Katie returned to Illinois, where she continued to encourage others to learn through her work as a fourth grader teacher for 39 years. She was an active member of the Winnetka Congregational Church, her educational sorority Delta Kappa Gamma and several book clubs. Sarah reported talking with Katie during our 40th reunion and rediscovering her gentle nature and dedication as a teacher.