



## Yvonne C. Hanson

November 30, 1935 - March 24, 2019

Yvonne C. Hanson, 83, of Kingsford, passed away on Sunday, March 24, 2019 at Dickinson County Memorial Hospital in Iron Mountain.

She was born November 30, 1935 in Iron Mountain, daughter of the late Chester and Agnes (LeGreve) Carl. Yvonne graduated from Kingsford High School in 1953 and was a lifelong resident of the area. She married Kleo Hanson on September 28, 1957 at American Martyrs Church in Kingsford and they were blessed with 57 years of marriage. Yvonne was secretary to the Superintendent of the Breitung Township School District for over 20 years. She was a lifelong member of American Martyrs Catholic Church in Kingsford.

Family was very important to Yvonne. Her children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren meant the world to her and she never missed an opportunity to attend their sporting events, concerts, parties and celebrations. She loved every holiday and her family gathered together for all of them. Her dining room table kept expanding as her children and grandchildren started families of their own. She loved decorating her house with the seasons and each holiday had its own collection of knick knacks, window clings, dishes and accessories. Her favorite holiday was Christmas when she brought out the "Angel Collection"! Over 700 angels occupied every room in her home with more added every year.

Yvonne enjoyed painting ceramics and her yard was filled with her creations. She made Nativity sets for all her children and grandchildren and they have become treasured heirlooms. She was most proud of the picture scrapbooks she created for every grandchild's high school graduation. She added tens of thousands of pictures depicting their lives and spent years assembling them. Grandma's book became the most anticipated graduation gift and she was putting the final touches on her last book. It will be gifted in May and will hold special meaning.

Yvonne had a very full social calendar. She gathered every Monday morning with her sisters for coffee. Tuesday dessert, Wednesday dinner, Thursday ceramics, Friday football games, Saturday morning coffee & church on Sunday kept her busy and she treasured

the friendships she shared with each group. Her faith was foremost in her life and her family witnessed that in a most powerful way these last days. The greatest gift we left her with was all her children, several grandchildren and great grandchildren gathered for Mass on Sunday morning.

Yvonne is survived by five children, Christine Paoletti of Green Bay, Jeff (Lynn) Hanson of Hartford, WI, Melanie (Chris) Maki of Iron Mountain, Tim (Diane) Hanson of Madison, WI and Terry Hanson of Iron Mountain; daughter's-in-law, Darla Hautamaki and Maggie Danielson; grandchildren, Angela (Geoff) Freeman, Valri Hanson, Dr. Brandon (Alyssa) Maki, Alison (Scott) PaolettiKromer, Stefni (Fiancé' Kyle Flodin) Hanson, Korey (Amy) Maki, Jaymin Hanson, Andy Rahm, Elina Maki, Christian Gemignani, Kianna Hanson, Chase Hanson, Katarina Hanson, Brialle Hanson, Natania Hanson and Cailee Hanson; step-grandchildren, Adam and Ashley Nelson; great grandchildren, Halle, Holland & Ada Maki, Cecilia, Remington & Kinsley Freeman and Luke and Matthew Kromer; sisters, Geraldine Shampo, Mary Lee Melelli and Pat (Tom) Wickman and brother Tom (Sally) Carl; many nieces and nephews and very dear friends.

She was preceded in death by her husband Kleo in 2015; a son-in-law, Michael Paoletti; brother Charles Carl and infant sister Barbara Carl.

Visitation will be from 4:00 to 7:00 pm on Wednesday, March 27 and from 9:30 to 10:30 am on Thursday, March 28 at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home in Iron Mountain. The Funeral Mass will be held at 11:00am on Thursday at American Martyrs Catholic Church in Kingsford. Father Joseph Gouin will officiate. Burial will be in the Quinnesec Cemetery.

Yvonne's grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

Yvonne's family would like to express our sincere gratitude to her nephew Jim Carl for everything he has done for Mom over the years.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Yvonne Hanson online at [www.ernashfuneralhomes.com](http://www.ernashfuneralhomes.com).

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain with the funeral arrangements.

# Cemetery

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## Quinnesec Cemetery

Menominee Street  
Quinnesec, MI, 49876

# Events

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**MAR 27 Visitation 04:00PM - 07:00PM**  
Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home  
901 Carpenter Ave., Iron Mountain, MI, US, 49801

**MAR 28 Visitation 09:30AM - 10:30AM**  
Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home  
901 Carpenter Ave., Iron Mountain, MI, US, 49801

**MAR 28 Funeral Mass 11:00AM**  
American Martyrs Catholic Church  
908 W. Sagola Ave., Kingsford, MI, US, 49802

# Comments

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“ sending our thoughts and sympathy , to Yvonne's family , siblings and friends, although I will not be able to be there, We will be praying for you all. peace and love  
Ken and Yvonne LeGreve

ken LeGreve - March 27, 2019 at 10:10 PM

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“ Fairest of All was purchased for the family of Yvonne C. Hanson.



March 27, 2019 at 02:02 PM

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“ Country Basket Blooms was purchased for the family of Yvonne C. Hanson.



March 27, 2019 at 09:45 AM

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“ Basket Full of Wishes was purchased for the family of Yvonne C. Hanson.



March 26, 2019 at 03:35 PM

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“ So sorry to hear about Yvonne’s passing. I have fond memories of many years ago when she and her sisters and sometimes her mother would visit or stay overnight at the home of my grandmother, Irene LeGreve Conard, in Brussels, WI. That must have been in the 1960s. As a young child I spent a lot of time at my grandma’s house.

May wonderful memories ease your pain.

Monica Stauber Holtz

Monica Holtz - March 26, 2019 at 03:12 PM

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“ Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Yvonne C. Hanson.



March 26, 2019 at 11:29 AM