



Ann E. Markell

July 30, 1943 - September 30, 2021

Ann Elizabeth Markell, 78, of Iron Mountain, passed away Thursday, September 30, 2021, at the Iron County Medical Care Facility in Crystal Falls.

Ann was born July 30, 1943, in Escanaba, MI, daughter of the late Gustave and Alba (Calvino) Klien. She graduated from Gladstone High School in 1961 and went on to earn a Bachelor of Arts Degree from Northern Michigan University, graduating in 1965. Ann married Robert Markell on June 19, 1965 at St. Mary & St. Joseph Catholic Church in Iron Mountain. She had a passion for teaching and was employed in the Iron Mountain School System for several years. Ann also taught for Bay de Noc College and was extremely proud of the ceremony honoring her achievements over a 25 year career. She loved golfing and was a member of Pine Grove Country Club and Apache Wells in Mesa, AZ, where she and Bob enjoyed 24 years of wintering. Ann enjoyed many trips to the Island Casino where she was an avid poker slots player and was also the Queen of Gab as she loved socializing any chance she had. Ann was a loving wife, mother, grandmother, cousin, aunt and friend and will be sadly missed.

She is survived by her husband of 56 years, Bob; a son, Jim (Kristie) Markell of Iron Mountain, MI; a daughter, Bobbi Ann (Jeff) Carroll of West Bloomfield, MI; sister-in-law, Sandra Markell of Galt, CA; grandchildren, Eddie (Ashley) Sundquist, Nick Markell, Nate Markell, Noah Markell (Laura Jacobson), Cory

Marcouiller, Ethan and Mason Carroll; two great grandchildren, Kailey and Mathew Sundquist; many nieces and nephews; a special cousin, Jeanne (David) Williams; and many, many friends.

Along with her parents, Ann was preceded in death by her sister, Laurie Walstrom, her grandson, Mathew Marcouiller, and her in-laws, Gail & Fern Markell, Lona & Phil Crispigna, LaVaughn & Ward Alquist & Leighton Markell.

Visitation will be held on Sunday, October 10 from 12:00 noon to 3:00 pm at the Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home in Iron Mountain. A Memorial Service will follow at 3:00 pm at the funeral home. Fr. Joseph Gouin will officiate. Burial will be at Iron Mountain Cemetery Park.

A memorial will be established in Ann's memory and gifted to the English department at Bay de Noc Community College.

Condolences to the family of Ann Elizabeth Markell may be expressed online at www.ernnashfuneralhomes.com

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home with the arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Cemetery Park

Cedar Ave
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **10**. 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home
901 Carpenter Ave.
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

Memorial Service

OCT **10**. 3:00 PM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home
901 Carpenter Avenue
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Tribute Wall



“ Erickson-Rochon-Nash Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Ann E. Markell



Erickson-Rochon-Nash Funeral Home - October 14, 2021 at 12:37 PM

RA

“ Uncle Robert, Jim, Kristie, Bobbi Ann, Jeff, Families,

Our heartfelt sympathy to all. We grieve with you.

Just viewed the photo video, and read obituary. VERY, VERY nice.

Aunt Ann was the GREATEST! Faithful wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother. And, the list goes on! SO MANY people to care for during her life time. Including students. Very gifted, and giving. Reminds me of Alba.

Special holiday family gatherings at your house are most memorable for me. Aunt Ann, and Uncle Robert were most gracious hosts. Wonderful cusine! Lots of laughter. Part of what made it special was our "shirt tail kin" (Aunt Ann's side) we got to know, and love.

Where has the time gone!

We have been blessed, haven't we!

*Aunt Ann (and Uncle Robert), you helped to make life LIFE for us.
THANK YOU!*

LOVE, AND PRAYERS,

Rand, Lori, and Children

Rand Alquist - November 02, 2021 at 03:22 AM

DM

“ *My heartfelt condolences—
May you find comfort and peace in treasured
memories that live in your hearts forever*



Diane McKinnon - October 10, 2021 at 04:49 PM



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of
Ann E. Markell.*



October 08, 2021 at 02:44 PM

WZ

“ *Dear Jim, Marty, Bobbie and family,
When I first started working at IMHS, Ann was a frequent sub. I will
never forget how proud she was of her kids. She told us in detail so
many stories of you when you were young. Later on? I would see
her at the golf course frequently, or in the grocery store, around
town, etc. and strike up a conversation. She was a great lover of
other people, enjoyed conversation and connections. I am sad to
hear of her passing, but know that she was incredibly challenged
these last months. Please know you have our heartfelt sympathy.
Wendy and Keith Zambon*

Wendy Zambon - October 07, 2021 at 11:49 AM

YF

“ *Your SiriusXM Family purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Ann E. Markell.*



Your SiriusXM Family - October 05, 2021 at 09:26 AM

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“ *I worked with Ann at Bay College for many years...what a spitfire! She was so proud of our students and always went out of her way to help others. You will be missed Ann.*

Stella Hansen - October 04, 2021 at 03:06 PM