



Bernice Colantonio

November 9, 1916 - November 9, 2005

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IRON MOUNTAIN - Bernice V. Colantonio, 89, of 1820 Mary's Way, formerly of 504 Norway St. in Iron Mountain, died Wednesday, Nov. 9, 2005, at Dickinson County Memorial Hospital in Iron Mountain.

She was born on Dec. 19, 1915, in Aurora, Wis., daughter of the late Axel and Anna (Carlson) Olson. She has been a lifelong resident of this area.

She married Louis Colantonio on April 27, 1935, in Iron Mountain. They celebrated 70 years of marriage together.

She was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church and the United Methodist women's organizations. Bernice enjoyed reading, traveling, cooking and baking. She loved to knit and was known for her rose garden. Bernice was an avid sports fan and enjoyed watching bowling, golf and football.

She is survived by her husband, Louis; her son, Russell Colantonio of Iron Mountain; daughters, Jan (Gary) Pilon of Orlando, Fla. and Cheryl (Ben) Storey of Kirkland, Wash.; grandchildren, Scott, Kristie, Mark, Kelly, Stephen, Christopher and Matthew and eight great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by a daughter, Sharon in 1948 and by two brothers and two sisters.

Visitation will be held on Friday from 5 p.m. to 7 p.m. at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home in Iron Mountain.

The funeral service will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday at Trinity United Methodist Church. Rev. Dr. Meredith Rupe will officiate.

Burial will be in Cemetery Park.

Memorials may be made in her memory to Trinity United Methodist Church.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Bernice Colantonio online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com.

Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain is in charge of the funeral arrangements.

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Cheryl and family,

My deepest sympathies. God blessyou.

Peter

Peter Trembath - December 22, 2005 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Louis and family, We were sorry to read of Bernice's death recently. Please accept our sincere sympathy and we pray you will find comfort in your happy memories of your lives together. Bob remembers delivering papers with Russ when they were younger. I remember my parents enjoying your company at church and school functions,Louis. Martha(Nicholls)Schinderle

Bob and Martha Schinderle - November 14, 2005 at 12:00 AM