



Betty Basile

January 27, 1924 - March 27, 2011

Elizabeth "Betty" Basile passed away March 27, 2011. She was born on Jan. 27, 1924, in Sturgeon Bay, Wis., daughter of the late Alfonse and Vivian (Hanson) LeFevre. She graduated from Iron Mountain High School in 1941.

She married Steve Basile in Glendale, Calif. and later moved to Kansas City, Mo. where they raised their family. In 1989, they moved back to Iron Mountain.

She was a member of First Presbyterian Church in Iron Mountain. She loved reading, birds, the beauty of the outdoors, painting, and drawing and did many beautiful watercolors. She met with her friends at Joy Crafters each week and the Martha Rachel Circle at First Presbyterian Church. Her visits with friends and family brought her great joy.

She is survived by her daughter, Renee Warden of Kansas City; her sons, Steve (Angie) Basile of Kansas City and Ron (Nancy) Basile of Foster City; grandchildren, Michelle (Pete) Porzio and Chuck Warden of Tinley Park, Ill., Andrea (Joe) Redding, Shawn (Carrie) Basile, and Chante Basile of Kansas City, Maggie (Darren) Noah of Kansas City, and Taylor Basile of Foster City; great-grandchildren, Jimmy, Jerrod, Sophie, Trevor, Blake, Brent, Caleb, Tanner, and Brianna; brother-in-law, Merrill Anderson of Hot Springs, Ark. and her extended family, the Milligan's.

She was preceded in death by her husband Steve; sister, Rosemary Anderson; and her brother, Don LeFevre.

Visitation will be Friday from 5 p.m. to 6 p.m. at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home in Iron Mountain.

The funeral service will follow at 6 p.m. at the funeral home. Rev. David Anderson will officiate.

Burial will be in Iron Mountain Cemetery Park.

In lieu of flowers, a memorial will be established in her memory.

Condolences to the family of Elizabeth "Betty" Basile may be made online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com

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

Previous Events

Visitation

APR 1. 5:00 PM - 6:00 PM (CT)

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

Funeral Service

APR 1. 6:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

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“ *She was one of the most beautiful Ladies I have ever met, the way she opened her heart and taught me about the beauty around me, I will always remember her with love.*

Nancy Estes - Saint Joseph, MO - April 01, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Betty was a sweet wonderful woman with a beautiful soul. She passed those same qualities to her daughter, Renee, my best friend for 34 years. My thoughts and prayers are with the family during this difficult time.*

Beverly Pape - Merriam, KS - Friend of the family - April 01, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *I knew Betty from my Mom and Dad, Ernest and Evelyn Thunell. She was one of the most gentle, loving souls I have ever met. She will be missed.*

*My sympathies;
Roger Thunell*

Roger Thunell - Reisterstown, MD - March 31, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KJ

“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with your family.
Mike & Kris Jones, Brittany, Jacob, Zac, Caleb*

Kris Jones - March 30, 2011 at 12:00 AM