



## Caroline Trapasso

September 14, 1924 - September 14, 2011

Caroline T. Trapasso, 87, of Iron Mountain, passed away on Wednesday, September 14, 2011 at Evergreen Assisted Living in Kingsford.

She was born September 15, 1923 in Caspian, daughter of the late Victor and Carmella (Mazza) Trapasso. Caroline graduated from Stambaugh High School in 1942 and was a lifelong resident of the area. She was employed by AT&T for many years as a telephone operator, retiring in 1989. Caroline was an active member of St. Mary & St. Joseph Catholic Church. She enjoyed helping the nuns and volunteering her time at the Carmelite Monastery. Caroline was an avid Packer fan. She loved animals and was always concerned for the welfare of those less fortunate.

Caroline is survived by several cousins and friends.

She was preceded in death by three brothers, Ralph, Peter and Tony Trapasso.

Visitation will be on Tuesday from 9:00 to 10:00am at St. Mary & St. Joseph Catholic Church in Iron Mountain. Funeral services will follow at 10:00am at the church. Fr. Daniel Zaloga will offer the Mass of Christian Burial. Burial will be in the Stambaugh Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the local food pantry.

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

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

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **20**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary & St. Joseph Catholic Church  
414 Prospect Ave.  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

## Mass of Christian Burial

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# Tribute Wall

JF

“*Caroline was my neighbor and friend when my family and I lived in Iron Mountain. She came over often to read to my children when they were young or to share a meal with us. She was always so gentle, kind, and considerate to everyone and will be missed.*”

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**Jennifer Fisher - Minneapolis, MN - Friend** - October 19, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CF

“*So sorry to hear of Caroline's passing. She was a friend of mine for many years, and her mother was my baptism godmother. May she rest in peace.*”

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**Carol Rousseau - Reno, NV - Good friend** - September 21, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JG

“*Caroline was my God-mother and she always remembered me on my special occasions throughout my life. She was a good role model. My Mom, Caroline Bellantonio, was her first cousin and kept in touch with her over the years. When Mom passed in 2006, my family continued to talk to her. My brother, Vince, was integral in helping her find a good home to care for her in her final years. May God Bless her soul and give her rest.*”

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**Julie (Bellantonio) Heffron - Weston, WI - God-daughter** - September 18, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MM

“*MY condolences out to Caroline's family. I never got to meet her in person but met her niece and nephew when I moved into the apt she moved out of and she was so generous to me, not even knowing me. God Bless you all. Marlene Mottes*”

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**Marlene Mottes - Kingsford, MI** - September 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KC

“ *My sincere condolences to Caroline's family. God is so good. Caroline requested prayers months prior to her going to Evergreen, and God reminded me daily to honor that request. By mere inspiration I purchased the newspaper, something I don't normally do, and there was Caroline's picture. She is a sister in Christ from a number of years ago, and I thank her for poking God in the side to ask Him to let me know when she entered heaven. I met Caroline's God-daughter once at Evergreen, and she was a dear person. God bless you.*

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**Kathleen P - Kingsford, MI - friend through church** - September 17, 2011 at 12:00 AM