



## Cynthia Fugere

April 5, 1916 - April 5, 2011

Cynthia May Fugere, 95, of Iron Mountain, passed away on Tuesday, April 5, 2011, at Hyland Nursing Home in Iron Mountain.

She was born on March 4, 1916, in Iron Mountain, daughter of the late Edward and Anna (Dahlquist) Harvey. She attended school in Iron Mountain, graduating from Iron Mountain High School in 1934. Cynthia married Arvid W. Johnson on July 17, 1937, at the First Presbyterian Church on Brown Street, and he preceded her in death in September 1967.

She worked as a bookkeeper for Ball & Christy Furniture for many years.

She then married Phillip Fugere on Oct. 8, 1988, and he preceded her in death in July 1994.

Cynthia was a lifelong resident of the area, and was a member of the First Presbyterian Church. She was also a member of the Iron Mountain/Kingsford GFWC Women's Club, PEO Chapter AN, the Hospital League where she spent many hours volunteering, and the Bridge Club at Oak Crest Golf Course.

Cynthia is survived by her son, David (Jan) Johnson of Urbandale, Iowa; her daughter, Cynthia (Fred) Krill of Mendon, Mich.; a sister, Ione Harvey of

Kingsford; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by brothers, Bert, George, and Marvin Harvey and sisters, Iva Johnson and Dorothy Carlson.

Visitation will be Friday from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Kingsford.

The funeral service will follow Friday at 11 a.m. at the church. Rev. Michael March will officiate.

Burial will take place in Iron Mountain Cemetery Park.

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

Condolences may be expressed online to the family of Cynthia Fugere 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.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

APR 8. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

First Presbyterian Church  
395 Hamilton Avenue  
Kingsford, MI 49802

## Funeral Service

APR 8. 11:00 AM (CT)

First Presbyterian Church  
395 Hamilton Avenue  
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# Tribute Wall

DN

“ Dear David and Cynthia,

*I am very sorry to hear about the passing of your dear mother. I am the daughter of her brother George. We so enjoyed visiting with Aunt Cynthia as children. She was always gracious and welcoming, such an elegant woman.*

*I remember visiting one June in the 1970's and Iron Mountain was having a cold spell. She told us that she would turn on the furnace in the mornings, even in the summer to "chase the chill away". I still use her saying, she had such a nice way of putting things.*

*We visited with her five years ago, for my Dad's funeral and she was as kind and friendly as always. She had a way of being so pleasantly interested in everything people had to say. She was such a favorite sister of Dad's, he would always call her "persnickety" as a term of endearment.*

*That afternoon, she told me about the neighbor who I was named after, and had fun calling my brother "Charlie Brown" again, what a sweet woman. Our thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

*Cordially, Dawnine Hillman*

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**Dawnine Harvey Hillman - Las Vegas, NV - Niece - April 10, 2011 at 12:00 AM**

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“ My sisters, brother, and I have fond childhood memories of visiting Aunt Cynthia and all our relatives in Iron Mountain each summer. A special more recent memory of Aunt Cynthia was from the summer of 2007 when Mom, my sisters and I visited Iron Mountain and before leaving town she invited us for supper. We had a great visit, the table set with her best dishes, and enjoyed pasties, a Harvey family favorite, She was an elegant and lovely lady, always warm and welcoming.

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**Kathy Deeley - Hilbert, WI - Niece** - April 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

SN

“ Dear David and Cynthia Ann:

We were so saddened to hear about your Mother's passing. We really enjoyed our last visit with her a few years ago when Cindy and Kathy and I drove Mom to Iron Mountain to see her and Aunt lone. We all had our favorite meal, (pasties) with her at her dining room table. She was so proud of her beautiful home as she showed us all around again. I also have fond memories of our annual visits to see Grandma Harvey and the rest of our "Michigan relatives" in Iron Mountain when we were kids and spending time at your house on Brown St. I think Grandma's house overflowed when our family came so your Mom graciously took a couple of us kids in for the week. So many years ago, such fond memories. Wishing we could be with you today to celebrate your Mom's life. We need a Cousins reunion to get reacquainted again! God Bless....Sue & Keith Hein

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**Sue (Harvey) Hein - Niece** - April 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

TN

“ *David and Cynthia*  
*just a short note to offer my condolences for the loss of your mom.*

*it's been many years since i was up there. some of the last things i recall*

*were our moms helping grandma harvey make potatoe sausage in her*

*kitchen while us boys climbed the cherry tree in her back yard. and then*

*ther were the fun family picnics at lake antoine. i'm sure that you have*

*many happy memories of your mom and memories last forever. god bless*

*your family.*

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**tom harvey - janesville, WI - nephew** - April 08, 2011 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ *Cynthia was a great woman. She started working for my dad when I was very young. She was always very pleasant and was always nice to me. When I got older and started to work at the store , I remember that she was pretty tight with any spending saying that it was digging into the profit sharing. I guess being a book keeper, that she had her finger on the pulse of it all. I know that I'll always remember her and her saying "Your cutting into the profit sharing" If God needs a book keeper , he now has a great one!*

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**Gregg Ball - Mesa, AZ - she worked at my dad's store** - April 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Cynthia was always a gracious oppenent or partner. God Bless;  
JoAnn

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**JoAnn H. Poirier - Broken Arrow, Ok, OK - Duplicate Briidge** - April 07, 2011 at  
12:00 AM