



## Doris Evelyn Gruell

May 3, 1926 - August 8, 2023

Doris Evelyn Gruell, 97, of Kingsford passed away on Tuesday, Aug. 8, 2023, at Freeman Nursing & Rehab.

She was born on May 3, 1926, in Iron Mountain, daughter of the late Paul and Clara (Manke) Fayas. Doris graduated from Felch High School in 1944. Known for her strong work ethic, Doris worked during the day and split wood in the evening. She worked for Lake of Woods Garment Factory, Volta Corp and finally for Maracini Cabinets until retirement. In her free time Doris enjoyed tending her garden, canning, knitting and crocheting, attending auctions and, most of all, visiting with family.

Doris will be missed by her children, Sandra (James) Tasma, David (Heather) Gruell, and Janet Schaal; 7 grandchildren; 5 step-grandchildren; 12 great-grandchildren; 3 great-great-grandchildren; 2 siblings, Paul "Junior" Fayas and Carol (Henry) Gardiner; and many nieces and nephews.

In addition to her parents, Doris is preceded in death by a son-in-law, Richard Schaal and 5 siblings, Gerald (Sharon) Fayas, Gertrude (Norman) Lindblom, Evelyn (Orville) Larson (Robert Burkart), Joyce (Howard) Stenerson, and Lorraine (Eldred) Fayas.

Visitation will be at Erickson-Rochon & Nash, 901 Carpenter Ave., from 1:00

p.m. to 3:00 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 15, 2023, with Rev. Mike Maszka officiating the Funeral Service at 3:00 p.m. Burial will be in Quinnesec Cemetery.

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

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

# Cemetery Details

## Quinnesec Cemetery

Menominee Street  
Quinnesec, MI 49876

# Previous Events

## Visitation

AUG 15. 1:00 PM - 3:00 PM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home  
901 Carpenter Avenue  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801  
(906) 774-7676  
nashfuneralhome@gmail.com  
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## Funeral Service

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum was purchased for the family of Doris Evelyn Gruell.* ”



August 13, 2023 at 11:07 AM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Doris Evelyn Gruell.* ”



August 11, 2023 at 10:08 AM



“ *So very sad to hear of Doris' passing. She and my Grandma ( Ella McCoy)were best of friends and I have wonderful memories of going to visit her with Gramma and ice skating behind her house. She was a very kind soul and my deepest condolences to all.* ”

**Lauri Novak** - August 10, 2023 at 03:49 PM



*I am so sorry for your loss. She was a wonderful person*

**Sharon Weber** - August 12, 2023 at 02:52 PM