



Eleanor Sovey

December 29, 1918 - July 21, 2016

Eleanor L. Sovey, 97, of Iron Mountain, died Thursday, July 21, 2016 at Freeman Nursing and Rehabilitation Community in Kingsford. She was born on Dec. 29, 1918 in Iron Mountain, the daughter of the late Lawrence and Adeline (Stefanelli) Quadrani.

Eleanor was a lifelong resident of Iron Mountain. During the war, she worked at Security Sportswear. She also worked at General Controls and was a nurse's aide for many years. She was member of St. Mary and St. Joseph Catholic Church. Eleanor enjoyed playing the piano and organ, walking, gardening, knitting, crocheting, bowling, and fishing. She also enjoyed playing cards, especially Smear.

She married Roy "Chet" Sovey on May 3, 1941 at Immaculate Conception Catholic Church. He preceded her in death in 2003.

Eleanor is survived by her daughter Donna Sovey of Kingsford, one brother Anthony "Bud" Quadrani of Kingsford, one sister Marge Frankini of Maplewood, Mn, two grandchildren Trisha (Robert) Navaroli of Clinton Twp., MI and Brian (Christine) Chrisman of Oakland, CA, four great grandchildren Dean Navaroli, Mary Navaroli, Addison Chrisman, and Cypress Mars, and many cousins, nieces, and nephews.

She was preceded in death by four sisters Ann Petrus, Angela Muzzy, Jeanette Butsic, and Rosemary Quadrani.

Visitation will be Thurs. Aug. 18 from 10-11am at St. Mary and St. Joseph Catholic Church. Funeral services will follow at 11 am at the church. Father Janusz Romanek will celebrate the Mass of Christian Burial. Burial will be in Cemetery Park.

The family wishes to thank the past and present staff (office, housekeeping, laundry, maintenance, kitchen, etc.) at Freeman Nursing and Rehabilitation Community, and a special thanks to the nurses and CNAs who took care of mom's needs for the last six and a half years with love and consideration. You truly are angels.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Eleanor Sovey online at ernashfuneralhomes.com

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

Cemetery Details

Cemetery Park

101 Cedar Ave.
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 18. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

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

Funeral Mass

AUG 18. 11:00 AM (CT)

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414 Prospect Ave.
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

Tribute Wall

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“ *Eleanor and Chet were my neighbors growing up. She was a very friendly lady who spent hours in her garden. May God give the family strength and peace during this sad time.*

Bruce Aho - August 13, 2016 at 09:04 AM

RF

“ *Donna, My condolences on your Mom's passing. You were a great daughter and did a great job of visiting her daily.*

Ray Famiani 8-13-16

Ray Famiani - August 13, 2016 at 09:04 AM

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“ *DONNA SO SORRY TO HEAR THE PASSING OF YOUR MOM
MAY GOD BLESS YOUR FAMILY LORI AND GREG MAAS*

LORI MAAS - July 27, 2016 at 06:25 PM