



## Georgina Johns

October 20, 1919 - March 9, 2003

### "Georgina Johns"

KINGSFORD - Georgina "Jean" Johns, 83, of 217 Withworth Ave., Kingsford, died Sunday, March 9, 2003, at Dickinson County Memorial Hospital in Iron Mountain.

She was born Oct. 20, 1919, in Ironwood. She came to Iron Mountain with her family as a child and graduated from Kingsford High School, class of 1939.

Jean had worked in the sewing factory on Iron Mountain's Northside. She married Walter A. Johns in 1940, in Iron Mountain. He preceded her in death on Nov. 25, 1983. Jean was a member of American Martyrs Catholic Church in Kingsford and a former member of St. Theresa's Circle. She enjoyed her time at the Breen Senior Citizens Center.

She is survived by two sons, Peter L. Johns of Bloomington, Minn., and Walter A. (Diann) Johns of Tampa, Fla.; two daughters, Fran (James) Formolo of Iron Mountain and Mary Lou Clement of Kingsford; a brother, Charles (Myrtle) Raess of Fond du Lac, Wis.; brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, Dorothy (Eugene) Kempka, Al (Carol) Johns, Aileen (Dave) Machus and Carol (Leo) Pilon; nine grandchildren, Randy (Marianne) Johns, Mickey Johns, Becki Johns, Todd (Elisa) Dario, Tim (Jenny) Dario, Tracy (Craig) VanBeek, Jimbo Formolo, Joe and Jared Clement; stepgrandchildren, Wayne, Todd, Jesse and Lee Formolo; 15 great-grandchildren, a special friend and guardian angel, Barb Ponchaud of Breitung Township.

Jean was preceded in death by her parents, George and Katherine (Duquette)

Raess; a daughter, Joanne Johns, and granddaughter, Margret Johns. Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. today at the Kingsford Funeral Home. Parish prayers will be recited at 5 p.m. today at the funeral home. Funeral services will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at American Martyrs Catholic Church in Kingsford. Fr. Joseph Gouin will offer the Mass of Christian Burial. Burial will be in the Quinnesec Cemetery. Pallbearers will be her grandsons. Condolences may be expressed to the Johns family online at [www.ernashfuneralhomes.com](http://www.ernashfuneralhomes.com)

The family has entrusted the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Kingsford Funeral Home to handle the funeral arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Mary Lu and Fran,

*God bless your family. You will always be a part of my childhood memories, and I have never forgotten your sister.*

*Lois Mainville*

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**Lois Mainville (Hughes)** - April 18, 2003 at 12:00 AM

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“ Todd, Timmy & Family,

*I am sorry to read about your Grandmother's passing, may you find comfort in each other during this difficult time. I send you all prayers across the miles. God Bless*

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**Carrie Jo (Nelson) Mellinger** - March 17, 2003 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Gramma, we love you and miss you. We are so sad for you.  
from Anthony

*from Kaitlyn, Let your conduct be without covetousness; be content with such things as you have for He Himself has said, "I will never leave you nor forsake you. So we may boldly say: The Lord is my helper; I will not fear. What can man of sickness do to me?"  
Hebrews 13:5-6*

*I love you.*

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**Kaitlyn and Anthony Dario** - March 17, 2003 at 12:00 AM