



Helen Ozzello

June 3, 1919 - June 3, 2011

Helen M. Ozzello, 92, of Iron Mountain, passed away on Friday, June 3, 2011, at Freeman's Nursing and Rehabilitation Community in Kingsford with her family by her side.

She was born on Nov. 20, 1918, in Iron Mountain, daughter of the late Sisto and Margaret (Ozzello) Remondini. She attended the Iron Mountain Schools, graduating from Iron Mountain High School in 1938. She was a lifelong resident of the area.

Helen married Domenic Ozzello on Oct. 4, 1947, at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, and he preceded her in death on Sept. 25, 1974.

Helen provided the love and guidance for her children that allowed them to have memorable and happy childhoods and productive adult lives. She was a very loving grandmother and great-grandmother.

Helen is survived by her children, Deena (Patrick) Verrette of Iron Mountain and Stephen (Sandra) Ozzello of Jacksonville, Fla.;

grandchildren, Andrea (Jason) Holman, Brenda (Kevin) Brown, Colleen (Keith) Hoffman and Katelyn and Stephen Ozzello; great-grandchildren, Emily, Andrew and Owen Holman; and Josh and Makenzie Brown; special

siste-in-law, Delores Remondini of Escanaba; very special nieces, Donna Remondini and Kathy (Randy) Johnson both of Escanaba and Betty (Bud) Miller of Kingsford; a nephew, William (Marlene) Ozzello of Iron Mountain; and many other nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her brothers, Frank and John Remondini.

In addition, the family would also like to thank Dr. Doug Villa for the genuine care he consistently provided for Helen, and the staff at Freeman's Rehabilitation and Nursing Center for their outstanding care and compassion.

Visitation will be Tuesday from 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home in Iron Mountain.

Funeral services will follow Tuesday at 5 p.m. at the funeral home. Rev. David Anderson will officiate.

Burial will be in Iron Mountain Cemetery Park.

Condolences to the family of Helen Ozzello may be expressed online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com

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

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 7. 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home
901 Carpenter Ave.
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

Funeral Service

JUN 7. 5:00 PM (CT)

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Tribute Wall

AN

“ Deena and Steve,

I am so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. She is part of the happy childhood memories I have. Our mom's all did the wash on the same day and opened the door and yelled our names to call us home for supper every day. Your mom could look out the window and see us playing in the vacant lot by Remondini's. Those were happy times and Helen is part of the happy memories. She was the last parent from our block on 5th. St. who was still alive. I hope your memories of those days and other happy times help ease your sadness. With sympathy and prayers.....

Alice

Alice (Brosio) Reed - Iron Mountain, MI - former neighbor - June 13, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ Deena, Pat, Steve and Family

My sincere condolences. “Grandma Helen” was a wonderful, caring person. I am thankful for the many laughs we shared. She comes to mind with every mention of Italian food, and her Italian cooking remains my benchmark. My thoughts and prayers are with your family.

Ben Feldhausen - Family friend - June 07, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RF

“ Dear Steve & Family:

So sorry to hear of your mother's passing. Thoughts & prayers during this difficult time.

Renee (Badish) Swanson - College Friend - June 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM

KS

“ Dear Steve, Sandy & Family,

We were so sorry to hear about the loss of your beloved mother. Our hearts and prayers are with you and yours during this time ... always know that!

With His love and ours,

Alan, Kathy, AJ & Miah

Kathy Cooke - Friends of Steve & Sandy - June 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MF

“ Deena - its been a long time....remember many of the good times we shared (mothers included) as well as all the times our kids spent together while living by one another on the west side....my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family and I know the sorrow you are feeling is hard...you were a great daughter,,,,,,God Bless

Mary Ann Hill - Waddell, AZ - Friend - June 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM

BF

“ *The Ozzello Family: our prayers go out to you while you morn the loss of Helen. I can remember her a long time going coming to camp once during deer season. She was certainly was a strong willed person for putting up with Steve! Helen was sure great cook and I remember breaking bread with her each time we come up to camp – along time ago.*
The last time I saw her I think Steve and I rearranged her apartment a couple of different ways until she was happy. I think we left it the way it initially started out, LOL.

We are so sorry for your loss and its now time to remember all the good memories she's left impressed on all the people she met in her long life.

God Speed to Helen Ozzello!

Bill & Michelle Sammons

Bill & Michelle Sammons - Friend of the Family - June 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *Deena & Family, Steve & Family,*

We are so sorry to hear about your Mom's passing. She was a wonderful person! You have our deepest sympathy!

Jon & Kathy Thekan - WI - June 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PF

“ Deena & Steve,
I am so sorry to hear about your Mother.
I remember her been so kind to all of us kids
when we were growing up.
My thoughts and prayers are with you and your families.
God Bless.
Patti Amicangelo-Campbell

Patti Amicangelo-Campbell - Chesterton, IN - Friend - June 06, 2011 at 12:00 AM