



Irma Jones

January 5, 2008

KINGSFORD - Irma Gale Jones, 85, of Kingsford, passed away Saturday, Jan. 5, 2008, at ManorCare Health Services in Kingsford.

She was born Jan. 14, 1922, in Congress Park, Ill., daughter of the late Ore and Addie (Borden) Green. Irma has been a resident of the Iron Mountain-Kingsford area since August 1994, coming from Dickinson, Texas.

She married Eugene R. Jones on Sept. 1, 1951, and he preceded her in death on Nov. 14, 1998.

Irma had been a 20 year member of First Baptist Church in Dickinson and was a member of First Presbyterian Church in Kingsford. She worked for many years at the University of Texas Medical Branch in Galveston. Her love of the Lord was first and foremost in her life. She was a devoted grandmother and loved spending time with her three grandchildren.

She is survived by her son, John E. Jones of Yuicaipa, Calif.; her daughter, Kathy (John) Kelm of Spread Eagle, Wis.; three grandchildren, Jessica (Kevin) Keto of Grand Rapids, Mich., Audrey Kelm of Sacramento, Calif. and Christian Kelm of Milwaukee; siblings, Martha "Annette" (Al) Crabb of Hammond, Ind., Mary (Cass) Gonska of Huntsville, Ala., John (Jeanette) Green of Crown Point, Ind. and Margaret "Susie" (Al) Morningstar of Munster,

Ind.; and several nieces and nephews.

Private family funeral and graveside services are being held. Rev. Michael March and Rev. Stephen Cowen will officiate.

Burial will be in the Cauldwell Cemetery in Richmondale, Ohio.

In lieu of flowers, a memorial will be established in her memory at First Presbyterian Church, 395 Hamilton Ave., Kingsford, Mich., 49802 or Our Saviour's Lutheran Church, 1210 S. Kimberly Ave. in Iron Mountain, Mich., 49801

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Irma Jones online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com or to John and Kathy Kelm at 1959 N. Cosgrove Lake Rd., Florence, WI 54121. Their email address is kjkelm@sbcglobal.net.

The funeral arrangements have been entrusted to the Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain.

Tribute Wall

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“ We, the members of the Rebekah Sunday School Class, send our love, prayers, and sympathy to you. We remember Irma with fond memories and loving thoughts.
Numbers 6:24-26

First Baptist Church, Dickinson, Texas - January 09, 2008 at 12:00 AM

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“ Dear Kathy and John and family, I was deeply saddened to hear of your mother's passing. She did relate to me when I told her, whenever I saw her, about my knowing Christian, Jessica and Audrey. They obviously were very important to her. I know that this is a tough time for you all, but I wanted you all to know that I was thinking about you and praying for you to have peace and comfort knowing that she is now happy and healthy again! This past year has been a difficult one for your family.
Sincerely, Cheryl Wender-Menghini

Cheryl Wender - January 08, 2008 at 12:00 AM