



Janet Olsen

December 15, 1911 - December 15, 2006

NORWAY - Janet Fraser Olsen, 95, of Norwood Apartments in Norway, died on Friday, Dec. 15, 2006.

Mrs Olsen was born on Oct. 1, 1911, in Edinburgh, Scotland. She was the daughter of the late Thomas and Wilhelmina Murgatroyd and was educated at Edinburgh Ladies College.

The former Janet Fraser Murgatroyd married Martin L. Olsen in Blackpool, England during World War II and was one of three war brides to come to the Norway area to make her home.

She is survived by her daughter, Hannah (Roger) Treves of Norway; her son, Robert M. Olsen of Sturgis, lower Michigan; seven grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Mrs. Olsen was preceded in death by her husband, her parents and two brothers.

Mrs. Olsen will be missed by her family and her many friends.

Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday at Bethany Lutheran Church in Norway.

A service of remembrance will follow at 6 p.m. at the church. Rev. John Voelker will officiate. A luncheon will take place following the memorial service in the Bethany Lutheran Church Hall.

Burial will be in the Norway Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers donations may be made to one of the following organizations in her memory: the Norway-Vulcan Women's Club Scholarship Fund, Office of the Superintendent, Norway-Vulcan Schools, 300 Section St. Norway, MI 49870 or the Disabled American Veterans Women's Auxiliary, VA Medical Center, H Street, Iron Mountain, MI 49801.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Janet Olsen online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com

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

Tribute Wall

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“ Dear Family of Janet,
Janet was a lady in more ways than one, and one you hoped would live forever. Beautiful, friendly, classy and such a positive loving attitude. She lived her love for the Lord and her church. I was blessed to have known her for many years, through Lutheran Church Women and WELCA and my family and friends at Bethany in Norway. We will miss her beautiful accent in the many readings she did through the years at so many events..and as she faithfully represented her church so many times.
My sympathy to her family and all her friends who loved her. With fond Memories of this gracious lady.
Orice Walters
First Lutheran Iron Mountain, MI

Orice Walters - January 01, 2007 at 12:00 AM

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“ Janet was the classiest lady I have had the honor to know. She was an added bonus to the lives of me and my family the last few years and for that I will be eternally grateful.

She will live on in many arenas; bridge, dominos, church, weekly lunches with her friends, and the lives of her entire family! Her legacy will continue, as did her Scottish brogue!
To know her was to love her!
Prayers to you all....

Cheryl Wender-Menghini - December 20, 2006 at 12:00 AM

JS

“ With loving memories of shared times - it is our pleasure to have known Janet. Our thoughts and prayer are with you and your family.

Jean @ Ray Styrk - December 19, 2006 at 12:00 AM

NL

“ Again, I'm so sorry to hear of Aunt Janet's passing. She was always really good to me and I will always remember her for that.

Nicole Lowe - December 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM

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“ I was so sorry to hear of Aunt Janet's death. I have fond memories of visiting her with my brother, Kurtis Nordbeck, when I was little. I last saw her when I came home to the UP for my grandfather's funeral (Axel Nordbeck) in 1988.

Her family is in my prayers.

Nicole "Nikki" Nordbeck Lowe

Nicole Lowe - December 18, 2006 at 12:00 AM