



## Janice Girard

October 6, 1932 - October 6, 2006

KINGSFORD - Janice Jane Girard, 74, of Kingsford died Friday, Oct. 6, 2006, at Hyland Nursing Home.

She was born on Nov. 9, 1931, in Kingsford, daughter of Harold and Elizabeth (Grathen) Cory. Janice was a lifelong resident of the area.

She enjoyed doing crossword puzzles and watching old movies and game shows. She was a fabulous cook and crafter.

Janice was a very dedicated mother, grandmother, and great-grandmother. She cherished the time she spent with her family playing games, doing craftwork and working in the kitchen.

She married Meriel Girard at St. Stephens Catholic Church in Loretto. He preceded her in death on Oct. 17, 1994.

Janice is survived by her daughters, Lynn (Kennith) Girard Edwards of Pipe Creek, Texas, Rhea Menza of Kingsford and Loni Pietrantonio of Iron Mountain; her mother, Elizabeth Cory of Kingsford; a brother, Glenn (Anna) Cory of Spread Eagle, Wis.; sisters, Janet Beauchamp of Hardwood and Sandra (William) Johnson Kingsford; grandchildren, Morgen (Luke) Ritchie, Whitney Menza, Alyse Menza, Chase Pietrantonio and Kate Edwards; two

great-grandchildren, Gavin Jon and Reece Jean; sisters-in-law; a brother-in-law, and nieces and nephews.

In addition to her husband, she was also preceded in death by her infant son, Peter David Girard; her father, Harold Cory, and an infant grandson, Sam Edwards.

Visitation will be Tuesday from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. at St. Mary Queen of Peace Catholic Church in Kingsford.

Funeral services will be at 6 p.m. at the church. Fr. Michael Woempner will officiate the Mass of Christian Burial.

Burial will be in the Norway Township Cemetery.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Janice J. Girard at [www.ernashfuneralhomes.com](http://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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“ *I never knew Mrs. Girard but I did go to high school with Chase and would like to send my deepest sympathy to all of your family. I know it is very hard to loose someone so close to you.*

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**Candice Mitchell** - October 09, 2006 at 12:00 AM