



## Joyce A. Posey

July 6, 1926 - November 10, 2016

Joyce A. Posey

90, of Kingsford, passed away on November 10, 2016 at Dickinson County Hospital System. Joyce was born July 6, 1926 in Kingsford, daughter of the late Roy and Oletta (Matthews) Brown. She was raised in Kingsford and was a graduate of Kingsford High School. She married her husband Basil in 1946 and they spent thirty years in Roseville, MI. During WWII, Joyce worked in Detroit or the Chrysler Corp. and later for Sanders Chocolates, which was her favorite job. She returned to Kingsford in 1975 and has resided here since. Joyce was a member of Our Saviours Lutheran Church. She also worked and volunteered at the Breen Senior Citizens Center in Kingsford. Volunteering and working at the Breen Center enriched and probably extended her life. Joyce enjoyed needlepoint, baking, and going on shopping trips.

She was preceded in death by her husband Basil in 1969; her daughter, Beverley VanHee in 1986; a brother, Edgar Brown and her sister, Ruth "Toots" Axberg.

She is survived by her son, David Posey of Kingsford; her sister, Beverly Rahoï of Fairbanks, Alaska; two grandchildren, Renee (John) Cirillo and Shannon (Chris) Voakes; two great grandchildren, Cade and Dylan.

Graveside services will be held on Wednesday, November 16, 2016 at 1:00pm at Iron Mountain Cemetery Park.

Rev. Robert Gordon will officiate.

Condolences to the family of Joyce Posey may be expressed online at [www.erickson-rochon-nash.com](http://www.erickson-rochon-nash.com)

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

# Cemetery Details

## Cemetery Park

101 Cedar Ave.  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

# Previous Events

## Graveside Service

NOV **16**. 1:00 PM (CT)

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Cedar Ave  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

# Tribute Wall

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“ *My most sincere condolences to the family of Joyce Brown-Posey. I've known the Brown family all my life, and especially Joyce who I was fortunate enough to have as my next door neighbor when I returned to Kingsford to begin my retirement. Joyce was a most ideal neighbor, always with a wave and a smile whenever we saw each other. She was a dedicated volunteer at the Breen Senior Center, devoting many hours weekly. I don't know of anyone who ever met Joyce that didn't take an immediate liking to her and her warm, outgoing personality. She will be missed in all of our tomorrows..*

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**Gene Cudnohufsky** - November 15, 2016 at 10:19 AM

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“ *So sorry to hear about mum beautiful Aunt Joyce. she was a kind and beautiful lady . We loved her and will miss her greatly. Valerie Downs Larche and family*

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**Valerie Larche** - November 14, 2016 at 10:07 PM