



June M. Izzo

June 22, 1920 - October 27, 2022

June Maryann Izzo passed away peacefully surrounded by her children at the age of 102 at Evergreen Assisted Living in Kingsford, Michigan.

June was born in Iron Mountain, Michigan, on June 22, 1920, to Rudolph and Julia (Collins) Gayan. She graduated from Iron Mountain High School in 1938 and was the last living classmate. She also attended Dundon Business School and worked as a legal secretary.

On July 19, 1941, she married Ralph Izzo; they were married 74 years. Together they formed the St. Vincent DePaul Society in Iron Mountain in 1972. She volunteered there for 46 years, serving on the board and was bookkeeper and treasurer.

June started playing the organ for the children's choir at Old St. Mary's Church at the age of 14. She continued as organist at St. Mary and St. Joseph Church for 73 years. She also played at Tondin Funeral Home and nursing homes.

June spent her life in service to many organizations, including National Catholic Foresters, Knights of Columbus Auxiliary, Daughters of Isabella. and Dickinson Hospital Auxiliary. She also received the Catholic Services Award for the Diocese of Marquette.

June is survived by her children, Tony (Susy) Izzo, Kathy (Gary) Maynard and Michael (Jeanne) Izzo; her grandchildren, Marcus Izzo, Stacie (Todd) Poquette, Travis (Nicole) Maynard and Teddy (Sarah) Izzo; her great-grandchildren, Monica and Ellen Izzo, Cable and Gavin Poquette, Braden Maynard and Judah Izzo; a sister, Rosemary Kmiec and brother, Tom (Carol) Gayan; sisters-in-law, Dorothy Izzo, Diane Izzo and Beverly Gayan; a special friend, Janet Fiorazo; and numerous nieces and nephews.

She has joined in heaven her husband, Ralph; son, Patrick; daughter, Mary Rose; brothers, Gerald, Joe and Jack Gayan; and sister, Helen Swanberg.

The family would like to thank her devoted caregivers at Evergreen and also OSF Hospice for lovingly caring for June. Also special thanks goes to friend Kathleen Pollack.

Visitation will be from 9:30 am -10:45 am on Friday, November 4th at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home in Iron Mountain. Funeral mass will follow at 11:00 am at St. Mary and St. Joseph Catholic Church. Fr. Mark McQuesten will offer the Mass of Christian Burial. Burial will be in Cemetery Park in Iron Mountain.

In lieu of flowers, donations in June's memory may be made to the children's sports league/association of your choice or to OSF Hospice.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of June Maryann Izzo online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com

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

Cemetery Details

Cemetery Park

101 Cedar Ave.
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 4. 9:30 AM - 10:45 AM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home
901 Carpenter Avenue
Iron Mountain, MI 49801
(906) 774-7676
nashfuneralhome@gmail.com
<https://www.ernashfuneralhomes.com/>

Funeral Mass

NOV 4. 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Mary & St. Joseph Catholic Church
414 Prospect Ave.
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

Tribute Wall

DC

“ June will never be forgotten She was the personification of the Risen Christ and I believe she could be a co-worker with St Theresa She is a role model for those who knew her (So was Ralph) Deacon and Donna Christy

Deacon Donna Donna Christy - November 04, 2022 at 04:14 PM

DI

“ Izzo Family—
May all your great memories of a life well-lived; reside in your hearts forever
Diane Mck



Diane - November 03, 2022 at 11:37 PM

MS

“ June was always such a kind and loving person to be around. I loved listening to June playing the church organ when I was a young child living in Iron Mountain. I remember visiting with June and Ralph when in Iron Mountain. Always a lot of fun times. Much love to all the family. Mary Lou Izzo Savage

Mary Lou Izzo Savage - November 03, 2022 at 06:40 PM

KM

Thanks Mary Lou. God bless!

kathy izzo maynard - November 06, 2022 at 08:50 AM

DI

“ Aunt June was always kind, thoughtful and full of life! Great lady who gave back so much to her community!

David Izzo - November 02, 2022 at 04:09 PM



“ Medium Dish Garden was purchased for the family of June M. Izzo.



November 02, 2022 at 03:13 PM

DC

“ Dear June, R.I.P. dear friend. For many years I have been able to be with you at St. Vincent De Paul. You helped me learn how to help people when they were in need. I will cherish all the memories we made together. Prayers to her family at this difficult time. I will always love you!



Debra Cheney - November 01, 2022 at 04:18 PM

TL

“ Please accept my condolences. Many nice memories growing up of your mother playing organ in church.

Tim LaCourt - November 01, 2022 at 02:21 PM

TH

“ I’m going to miss seeing June so much! She loved bingo and pancake days. I enjoyed every day I got to spend with her. She will always hold a special place in my heart. She will be greatly missed. I love Junebug. ❤️❤️❤️ Tammy Houser

Tammy Houser - October 31, 2022 at 07:29 PM

KM

Your love was returned. You are a special caregiver Tammy

kathy izzo maynard - November 03, 2022 at 05:26 PM

RT

“ Deeply sorry for your loss! Take care. Randy T

Randy T. - October 31, 2022 at 05:04 PM

KM

Thank you Randy.

kathy izzo maynard - November 06, 2022 at 08:50 AM



“ Beautiful Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of June M. Izzo.



October 30, 2022 at 08:27 PM

OW

“ SYMPATHY AND PRAYERS FOR THE IZZO FAMILY IN THE LOSS OF THIS BEAUTIFULWOMAN



orice Walters - October 30, 2022 at 03:42 PM

BM

“ June was the organist at our wedding back in 1970. My wife and I knew how SWEET of a lady was way back then. Sending our deepest sympathy and now the Lord will have mother member to add to the CHOIR OF ANGELS IN HEAVEN. BLESSINGS ON THE FAMILY MEMBERS 🙏🙏🙏

Bob Mortel - October 30, 2022 at 07:57 AM

SK

“ Sorry for your loss. I enjoyed taking care of her at Evergreen. She had a fun disposition and always enjoyed talking about her family. She will be missed. Sharon Kazianka

Sharon Kazianka - October 29, 2022 at 12:30 PM

KM

Thanks Sharon. You really cared. We appreciate that

kathy izzo maynard - November 03, 2022 at 05:28 PM