



Lucille Klusken

April 15, 1916 - April 15, 2008

IRON MOUNTAIN - Lucille E. Klusken, 92, of Iron Mountain, formerly of Farmington, Wis., died on Tuesday, April 15, 2008, at Dickinson County Hospital in Iron Mountain.

She was born on May 29, 1915, in Norway, to Primo and Amelia (Bertoldi) Cardin.

She married Justin Klusken on July 22, 1932, in Norway. He preceded her in death on Nov. 5, 1980.

She was a member of St. Mary Help of Christians Catholic Church in Sullivan and the American Martyrs Catholic Church in Kingsford. Lucille and Justin owned and operated a dairy farm in Farmington for many years. She returned to Iron Mountain after the death of her husband.

She enjoyed traveling, reading, doing word puzzles and an occasional visit to the casino. But her main love in life was her family. She always looked forward to their visits. And, she always had a cup of strong coffee waiting, or a pasty, or a pot roast with polenta.

Lucille was a warm, loving lady who was deeply loved by all that knew her. She will be truly missed by all whose lives she has touched.

Surviving are three sons, Ronald (Kathleen) Klusken of Lake Mills, Wis., David (Terri) Klusken of Chicago and Thomas (Gayle) Klusken of Ixonia, Wis.; two daughters, Judith Dutko (friend, Jack Pawchak) of Monticello, Ind. and Delores Rohm of Silvis, Ill.; 18 grandchildren; 20 great-grandchildren; one sister, Mary Cardin of Kingsford; a sister-in-law, Alice Kluskens of Niagara, Wis.; and many nieces and nephews and her dear friends.

She was also preceded in death by her parents; one sister; and four brothers.

Friends may call at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home in Iron Mountain from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Friday; the Olsen Funeral Home in Jefferson from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday and at St. Mary Help of Christians Catholic Church in Sullivan on Monday after 10 a.m. until the time of services.

Funeral services will be held at the church at 11 a.m. on Monday, with the Rev. Tom Coyle officiating.

Burial will take place in the parish cemetery.

The Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain and the Olsen Funeral Home of Jefferson, Wis. is assisting the family with the funeral arrangements.