



Margaret Galbraith

December 15, 1922 - December 15, 2009

AURORA, Wis. - Margaret L. Galbraith, 87, of Aurora, passed away on Tuesday, Dec. 15, 2009, at Freeman Health and Rehabilitation Community in Kingsford.

Margaret was born Nov. 24, 1922, in Iron Mountain, and was the daughter of the late Alexander and Mary (Carlson) Peterson. She was a 1941 graduate of Iron Mountain High School.

Margaret married Ray Dean Galbraith on March 24, 1943 in Jackson, Miss., as he was preparing to begin his military service during World War II.

Margaret was a member of First Covenant Church. She was a 50-year member of the church choir and was active in the Ladies Aid-Covenant Women and church prayer group. Margaret's life was her family and church. She was a devoted wife and mother and was a first rate homemaker. She was an excellent seamstress and cook who also enjoyed knitting, baking and canning. After Dean retired, they enjoyed traveling together.

She is survived by four sons, David (Kathy) Galbraith of Dewey, Ariz., Alan Galbraith of Merriman, Jeffrey (Ann) Galbraith of Stevens Point, Wis. and Peter (Shelby) Galbraith of EauClaire, Wis.; 13 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

In addition to her husband, Dean, she was preceded in death by her grandson, Raymond Galbraith, a brother, Norman Peterson and her sister, Arlene Keating.

Visitation will be held from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturday at the First Covenant Church in Iron Mountain.

Funeral services will follow at 1 p.m. at the church. Rev. Peter Erickson will officiate. Burial will be in Cemetery Park.

A memorial will be established in her memory.

Margaret's grandsons will serve as pallbearers.

Meg's family would like to thank the entire staff at Freeman Health and Rehabilitation Community for their love, concern and excellent care over the past 3 1/2 years.

Condolences to the family of Margaret Galbraith can be expressed 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

AJ

“ My heart goes out to all of you. I feel like my childhood (a happy one) is slipping away with all these deaths. You were all terrific sons to her. But, as I felt with my Mom, she led a strong long life loving the Lord. My thoughts are with all of you.
Anne Eslinger Johnson

Anne Eslinger Johnson - January 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

SB

“ My Mom, Clara Mae Wheeler and I are so sorry to hear about your Mom. We loved her so. It has been a long time since we've seen her, but the Covenant Church and all our friends there, are in our thoughts and prayers often. I'll never forget her smile!! :) God Bless

Sally Jo (Wheeler) Bailey - December 24, 2009 at 12:00 AM

PW

“ We would all like to express our heartfelt sympathies to the Gailbrath Family. We will miss Grandma G dearly.

Pam, Trever, Tiffani, and Tyler Wittock - December 18, 2009 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ So sorry to hear of "grandma g"'s passing. She has been a long time neighbor of my family and I remember spending a lot of time over there growing up with my friend Tiffani. She will be sadly missed by all.

jenni lindstrom - December 17, 2009 at 12:00 AM