



Margaret A. Rabe

July 14, 1920 - February 18, 2018

Margaret A. Rabe, 97, of Hardwood, MI. Formaly of Chicago, IL. died Sunday, February 18, 2018 at Pinecrest Medical Facility in Powers, MI. Margaret was born in Chicago on July 14, 1920, daughter of the late Robert and Ann (Rhonda) Murphy. Margaret spent most of her life in Chicago where she worked as an Elevator Operator at Wiebolt's Department Store. She was a no-nonsense woman who always had a smile on her face. Margaret met Edward Rabe while in Chicago. They married and had six children. She was very firm about all of her children and grandchildren attending church on Sundays, and she loved to sneak them gum during the service to help them keep quiet. Margaret moved to the Upper Peninsula in 2008 to be close to her daughter, Margaret, who took wonderful care of her. Margaret had a great love for her family. She also enjoyed Bingo, visiting casinos, spending time in the outdoors walking, and being involved in her Catholic Church's, St. Agnes & St. Joseph & St. Anne. She also enjoyed shopping and elephants.

Margaret is survived by two sons, William L. (Mildred) Rabe of Channahon, IL and Robert (Joan) Rabe of Palos, IL; two daughters, Margaret (Jim) Brogan of Hardwood, MI and Patricia (Robert) Pecher of Portage, IN; sister, Shirley Russ; 16 grandchildren; 35 great- grandchildren; 16 great-great-grandchildren; and many nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Edward Rabe; son, Edward R.

Rabe; and daughter, Dolores Renich; sister's Elizabeth Gallo and Violet Markovich; grandchild, Michael Renich.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Margaret Rabe online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com.

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

Tribute Wall

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“ *What I don't remember about Aunt Marge, my godmother, is ever hearing an unkind word come out of her mouth. In reading about the many great, great great, and grandchildren she had, I thought, what a lot of lucky kids that were influenced by this wonderful lady. Kathy (Rabe) O'Gorman*

Kathy (Rabe) O'Gorman - February 20, 2018 at 03:16 PM

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“ *Love, Bob and Pat purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Margaret A. Rabe.*



Love, Bob and Pat - February 20, 2018 at 09:49 AM

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“ *We are very sorry to hear of your moms death. A loss of a monther isn't an easy thing to handle. Day by day is all you can do but remember she is in heaven with her family. We are praying for all of you*

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