



Marian Olson

September 7, 2007

KINGSFORD - Marian Lorraine Olson, 79, of 213 E. Breen Ave., Kingsford, went to be with the Lord on Friday, Sept. 7, 2007.

She was born Oct. 14, 1927, in Iron Mountain, daughter of the late Leo and Cecilia (Micheau) Despins. She was a lifelong resident of the area and graduated from Iron Mountain High School in 1945.

She married Floyd Olson on Feb. 7, 1948, in Iron Mountain.

Marian worked at the Dickinson-Iron Health Department for many years, retiring in 1988. She was an active member of American Martyrs Church. She was a devoted wife, mother, grandmother and great-grandmother.

Marian leaves her husband, Floyd, of 59 years; two sons, Ronald (Rita) and Dennis (Sally) of Kingsford; three grandchildren, Hope (Scott) Atwater of Appleton, Wis., Jeff (Jenny) Olson of Appleton and Brian (Kristi) Olson of Norway; one sister, Carol Ryan (Howard Skogman) of Beaver Dam, Wis.; two brothers, Leo "Joe" (Luella) Despins of Iron Mountain and Thomas (Lona) Despins of Superior, Wis.; three great-grandchildren, Emma Leigh and Erica Atwater, and Isaac Olson; and many special nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her parents and three brothers, James, Robert,

and Kenneth Despins.

Visitation will be held from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Tuesday at the Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home of Iron Mountain.

Parish prayers will be recited at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday at the funeral home.

Funeral services will be held at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday at the funeral home, followed by a Mass of Christian Burial at 10 a.m. at American Martyrs Catholic Church in Kingsford. Fr. Joseph Gouin will officiate.

Burial will be in Cemetery Park in Iron Mountain.

Her grandchildren and their spouses will serve as pallbearers.

Condolences may be expressed to the Marian Olson family online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com.

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

Tribute Wall

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“ *Ronnie, I am so deeply sorry to hear about your mom's death. I wish I could be there to express my thoughts to you all personally, but that is not possible. My condolences to you, your brother, dad, and your entire family. I want you to know that your mother touched my life in a wonderful way; I was truly blessed by just knowing her.*

God's blessings to you all!

Joy Erickson Brewer - September 10, 2007 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Sincere prayers from 1945 classmate.*

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“ *Our condolences to you and your family, Floyd.*

Dan Hinch - September 09, 2007 at 12:00 AM