



Mary Mlinar

March 14, 1932 - September 11, 2005

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IRON MOUNTAIN - Mary Louise Mlinar, 73 of 1234 Kimberly Ave., Iron Mountain, died Sunday, Sept. 11, 2005 at St. Mary's Hospital in Duluth, Minn. She was born in Marquette, on March 14, 1932, daughter of the late Albert and Emma (Clement) Bastien. She has been a resident of Iron Mountain for over 40-years.

She married Paul Mlinar on Sept. 5, 1953, and he preceded her in death on July 3, 1998.

Mary was the loving mother of seven children and the proud grandmother of eighteen grandchildren. She did custom sewing and alterations from her home business for many years. She was a member of St. Mary and St. Joseph Catholic Church. She actively lived her faith through adoration to the Blessed Sacrament, volunteering for St. Vincent de Paul and her involvement in the Third Order of Carmel. Also Mary used her sewing gift to fabricate baptismal robes and priest vestments for her parish. In addition, Mary made hundreds of handmade string rosaries that she gladly gave to everyone she could.

Mary is survived by six children, Michael (Diane) Mlinar of Marquette, Kathy (Michael) Ellingson of Duluth, Minn., Sandy (Ronald) Petrelius of South Range, lower Michigan, Joseph (Brenda) Mlinar of Appleton, Wis., Carol (James) Bittinger of Duluth, Minn., and Betty (Robert) Lindholm of Iron Mountain; a sister, Dorothy Inch of Marquette; two brothers, Clement "Bud" Bastien of Green Bay, Wis. and Paul (Verge) Bastien of Milwaukee, Wis.; a

sister-in-law, Sr. Kathleen Mlinar of Appleton, Wis.; a brother-in-law, John Mlinar, of Channel View, Texas and she was further blessed with many close, dear friends.

A son, Patrick Mlinar, a brother-in-law, Jack Inch and two sisters-in-law, Margaret Bastien and Verna Mlinar preceded her in death.

Visitation will be on held on Thursday from 10 a.m. to 12 noon at the St. Mary and St. Joseph Catholic Church in Iron Mountain. Fr. Daniel Zaloga will offer the Mass of Christian Burial at 12 Noon at the Church.

Burial will be in Cemetery Park.

Pallbearers will be Michael Ellingson, James Bittinger, Ronald Petrelius, Robert

Lindholm, Mark Ellingson, Brandon Lunde, and Matthew Williams.

In lieu of flowers, donations may be made to the Carmelite Sisters.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Mary Mlinar online at www.erickson-rochon-nash.com.

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

Tribute Wall

MH

“ I offer my deepest condolences to all of you! Mary was such and amazing and compassionate woman. I know my mother absolutely adored her, she was a great friend to her! My family will be forever grateful for the many wonderful things that she did for us. She made many beautiful things for us that we will always cherish. You are all in our thoughts and prayers.

Maria (Cahill) Hoisington - April 12, 2006 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ To the Mlinar family- I was very sorry to hear of your loss. Betty-I know from experience it's hard to lose a parent, but, it does get better. To all- keep your memories at the forefront of your minds and she will live on forever. My sincerest sympathy- Kristen (Lindholm) Benedict- Betty's classmate and Bob's cousin

Kristen (Lindholm) Benedict - September 23, 2005 at 12:00 AM

RG

“ TO THE FAMILY OF MARY MILNAR: VERY SORRY TO HEAR OF YOUR MOTHERS DEATH. SHE WAS ONE OF MY CLASSMATES AT BISHOP BARAGA HIGH SCHOOL & WE GRADUATED IN 1951. I HAD THE PLEASURE OF SEEING HER ABOUT 2 YEARS AGO FOR A LUNCH MEETING IN MARQUETTE AT THE NORTHWOODS WITH SOME OF OUR CLASSMATES. SHE GAVE EACH OF US ONE OF HER HAND MADE ROSARIES. MAY SHE REST IN PEACE AND GOD BLESS YOU ALL. ROSE E. MOHAR GENTZ

Rose Mohar Gentz - September 19, 2005 at 12:00 AM

SV

“ I was very saddened to hear of Mary's illness and death. She was so kind to me and to my family. My deepest sympathy to the Mlinar and Bastien families. While I will be out of state and unable to attend the funeral, Mary and her family will be in my thoughts and prayers.

Sandy Villa-Mogush - September 15, 2005 at 12:00 AM

AD

“ I would like to offer my condolences on the passing of your loved one. Losing someone in death is very difficult to deal with. I have been able to cope with such losses by turning to Almighty God's word the bible for help. We are are to throw our burdens and anxieties on Him (Psalms 55:22) and he will sustain us. The words of Isaiah 33:24 has also helped me greatly because I know now that a time will soon come when sickness and death will be no more. Daniel 2:44 tells of God's kingdom government which will last eternally. It is by means of this government that we will be able to enjoy life the way God purposed (Psalms 37:29). And we will be able to be reunited with our lost loved ones by means of the resurrection for both the righteous and unrighteous mentioned at Act 24:15. I urge to open your own bible and be strengthened by its words during this distressing time.

Ada - September 15, 2005 at 12:00 AM