



Mary G. Raketich

December 12, 1946 - May 3, 2026

Mary G. Raketich, 79, of Kingsford, passed away on Sunday, May 3, 2026 at her home.

Mary was born December 12, 1946 in Iron Mountain, daughter of the late George and Deloris (Pozza) Weber. She graduated from Kingsford High School and was a lifelong resident of the area. Mary was the head cook for the Breitung Township School District for 25 years. She was a member of St. Mary Queen of Peace Catholic Church. Mary enjoyed gardening and keeping her house in pristine condition inside and out. She loved taking rides with Dave and they frequently spent time at his camp. Mary's family was her pride and joy and she enjoyed nothing more than spending time with them.

She is survived by a daughter, Bobbie (Steve) Povolo; a son, Kevin (Karen) Raketich; a daughter, Toni (Joe) Scarpignato; and a son, Mike (Amy) Raketich; a significant other, David B. Johnson; two sisters, Kay (Jack) Wedin of Iron Mountain and Rose Schneider (Gary Vandeville) of Kingsford; grandchildren, Nik Povolo (Jamie Kaad), Tyler (Cassie) Povolo, Chelsea (Terry) Rogers, Charlotte Raketich, Rocko & Cash Scarpignato, and Cade, Maddy (Dylan) and Brandon; 5 great-grandchildren.

In addition to her parents, she was also preceded in death by her former husband, Milton Raketich and a son-in-law, Scott Tappy.

Visitation will be held on Friday, May 29, from 11:00 am until 1:00 pm at the Erickson-Rochon & Nash Funeral Home in Iron Mountain. A memorial service will follow at 1:00 pm at the funeral home. Fr. Michael Woempner will officiate. Burial will take place at the Homestead-Aurora Cemetery.

The family would like to extend their heartfelt appreciation to the nurses with Dickinson Home Health for the exceptional care given to Mary. Also a special thank you to her lifelong friend and neighbor, Perry Ellis, for all of his help throughout the years.

In lieu of flowers, memorials may be made to St. Mary Queen of Peace Catholic Church.

Condolences may be expressed to the family of Mary Raketich online at www.ernashfuneralhomes.com.

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

Cemetery Details

Homestead-Aurora Cemetery

Aurora, WI

Previous Events

Visitation

MAY 29. 11:00 AM (CT)

Erickson-Rochon and Nash Funeral Home
901 Carpenter Avenue
Iron Mountain, MI 49801
(906) 774-7676
nashfuneralhome@gmail.com
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Memorial Service

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Tribute Wall

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“ *Bob and Martha Czepa and family! purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Mary G. Raketich.*



Bob and Martha Czepa and family! - May 27 at 09:50 PM



“ *Gracious Lavender Basket was purchased for the family of Mary G. Raketich.*



May 21 at 10:00 PM

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“ *Kay,Jack & Rose planted a [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) in honor of Mary G. Raketich.*

Kay,Jack & Rose - May 18 at 03:28 PM

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“ *Kay,Jack & Rose purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Mary G. Raketich.*



Kay,Jack & Rose - May 18 at 03:28 PM

DA

“ Dawn lit a candle in memory of Mary G.
Raketich



Dawn - May 08 at 05:40 PM

DA

For my Dear Friend Mary! We have been friends since childhood! You will be missed! Condolences to Mary's family.

Dawn - May 08 at 05:43 PM