



## Rose Fillis

January 18, 1914 - January 18, 2011

Rose A. Fillis, 97, of Kingsford, died Tues. Jan. 18, 2011 at Hyland Nursing Home. She was born on May 26, 1913 in Sask, Canada, the daughter of the late Emery and Rose (Palmberger) Meinolf.

Rose was a longtime resident of Ralph. She married Herbert Fillis on Aug. 21, 1933 in Escanaba. The couple lived for many years in West Branch, where Rose was the Township Treasurer for over thirty years. He preceded her in death on Nov. 5, 1987.

Rose enjoyed sewing, gardening, and making crafts.

She is survived by three children Percy (Irene) Fillis of Lakeview, MI, Nancy (Wilfred) Goudreau of Iron Mountain, and Donald (Jinnie) Fillis of Centennial, CO, eight grandchildren, fifteen great grandchildren, eight great great grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews.

Rose was preceded in death by one son William Fillis and two brothers Frank and Adolph Meinolf and sister Ann Clement.

Visitation will be Tues. from 8:30 to 10am at Tondin-Ross & Freeman Funeral Home. Funeral services will be Tues. at 10:30am at St. Mary Queen of Peace

Church. Father Michael Woempner will officiate the Mass of Christian Burial.

Burial will be at Gardens of Rest Cemetery in Escanaba.

Condolences to the family of Rose A. Fillis can be expressed online at [www.ernashfuneralhomes.com](http://www.ernashfuneralhomes.com).

The family has entrusted the Tondin-Ross & Freeman Funeral Home with the funeral arrangements.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JAN 25. 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

Tondin-Ross and Freeman Funeral Home  
1117 Carpenter Ave.  
Iron Mountain, MI 49801

## Funeral Mass

JAN 25. 10:30 AM (CT)

St. Mary Queen of Peace Catholic Church  
432 Edsel  
Kingsford, MI 49802

# Tribute Wall

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“ *What a wonderful lady your Mom was. I have many fond memories of times spent with your family.during my youth. Ruthie and I want to extend our deepest sympathy to all of you. May the love of family and friends give you comfort, and the love of God give you peace. Let the happy memories replace the sadness in your hearts. Fondly, Roger and Ruthie*

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**Roger and Ruthie Solberg - Ishpeming, MI - Friend** - January 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Jim and I are so sorry to hear of your loss. We truly loved your Mom! She became a part of our family from the first day we met her. We are honored to be taking care of her "old" home. Love, Cheryl and Jim Richard*

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**Cheryl & Jim Richard - friend** - January 25, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Please accept my most heartfelt sympathiy for your loss... my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.*

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**Jan Hughes - Folsom, LA - friend of Don and Jinny** - January 20, 2011 at 12:00 AM