



Helen Closs

January 4, 2013

Helen Closs, 101 of St. Ignace passed away early Friday morning, January 4 at Evergreen Living Center in St. Ignace. She was born at Soo Junction on March 5, 1911 to Lowell and Agnes (Hatch) Sanders. She was a devoted homemaker and mother, and in had worked for the Eby family at the Souvineer Barn in Moran Township. She also had worked at Bentleys Restaurant at one time. . She married Charles Closs in 1932 and he died in 1973 and was a Captain on the Chief Wawatam. She lived in St. Ignace most her life and in later years traveled to Florida in a motorhome with her sister. Lela Parker. Lela died in February, 2010. She lived with her daughter and son in law, Gale and Randy Huskey in St. Ignace several years. She is a life member of the St. Ignace United Methodist Church.

She is survived by her daughters, Gale and Randy Huskey, St. Ignace; Evelyn and George Roussell, Engadine; Lodema Blade, Belleville; a brother, Jack Hartwick, Curtis; 9 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren and 12 great great grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband, one son, Lowell Closs in 2001 and his wife Beatrice in 2007; siblings, Violet Benz; Leona Henry; Lila Sanders, Avis Sanders; Evelyn Sanders, Levi Sanders, and her sister, Lela Parker; Also a great grandson Mark Moods; and a son in law, Tom Blade and his son, Bill Blade.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, January 12 at 11 am at the St. Ignace United Methodist Church with Rev. Erik Alsgaard officiating. Visitation will be at the church from 10 am to service time. A lunch will be served at the church and then burial will be in Oaklawn Chapel Gardens, Bruce Township, Chippewa County. Dodson Funeral Home assisted the family with arrangements..

Tribute Wall



“ *Helen Closs*

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



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October 02, 2023 at 10:14 PM



“ *Helen Closs*

September 01, 2022 at 07:49 PM



“ *So sorry to hear about Aunt Helen's death. Evelyn, Lodema and Gale my prayers go out to you and your families. I would love to see you girls again, it's been a long time. Aunt Helen was always so kind to everyone. She will be missed.*

Glenda (Hocking) Haire - January 11, 2013 at 11:35 AM



“ *Sorry to hear of the passing of Aunt Helen. She was always so sweet and nice to us when we were kids. She had a very gentle demeanor, and was so pretty. My Mom, "Sady Beth" sends her condolences too. God be with you all, for it doesn't matter how old your Mom is, it still isn't easy. Our prayers are with you all at this time.*

Kathy (Hocking) Dobosenski - January 08, 2013 at 03:58 PM