



Evelyn Cook

May 2, 1932 - July 24, 2020

Evelyn Lucille (Keelean) Cook, 88 of Sault Ste Marie MI passed away July 24, 2020. She was born May 2, 1932, in Strong's Michigan to the late William and Lola Keelean. Lucille graduated from Brimley High school in 1950.

She is survived by her loving husband of 69 ½ years Robert John Cook Sr. They were married on January 19, 1951, and moved to Camp Breckinridge KY. Upon Bob's discharge from the Army they moved back to Sault Ste Marie where they managed then purchased Neville's Superette. Together they had 4 children, John(Marilyn) Lexington KY; Marty(Lynnie) Fairbanks AK; Ed(Wendy) Sault Ste. Marie; Pam, Gaylord. Lucille was blessed with 8 Grandchildren and 4 Great Grandchildren that she enjoyed spending time with.

Grandchildren include: Nicholas(Meghan), Ryan(Jordan), Dustin, Holly, James, Thomas, Tasha, and Carter. Great Grandchildren: Nour, Wendy, Robert, and Rylee.

Lucille is also survived by 4 sisters: Lorraine(John) Mills, Shirley Anderson, Jean(Gary) Rendall, Alice Keelean and many nieces, nephews, and wonderful friends that she loved greatly.

Lucille was preceded in death by her parents William and Lola, brothers Edwin, Melvin, Burton, Robert, Russell, and sisters, Ella Mae Gillian and

Marie Heatsch.

In 1956 Lucille "filled in" for a vacation at Neville's, she continued to work there until her retirement in 1988. She loved her Nevilles family of workers and customers. She often referred to the employees as her Neville's Kids.

She enjoyed spending time at the cabin in Strongs, Michigan snowmobiling and four-wheeling. She was a member of the Suz-E-Q's Square Dance Club for many years. During the ten years they wintered in Casa Grande AZ, she was a member of the Red Hatters Society. Her creativity was endless and her work was beautiful. She enjoyed leatherwork, painting, woodworking, sewing, crochet, making ornaments, and decorations. While in Arizona she entered her Swedish weave blankets into the fair where she was awarded many blue ribbons. She was proud to say that she made 134 of these blankets, and she loved to share them with her family and friends.

Visitation will be at C.S. Mulder Funeral Home, Sault Ste Marie, MI on Friday, August 7, 2020, from 1-3 pm with a memorial service at 3 pm.

Memorial contributions may be left to Michigan Bureau of Services for Blind Persons.

In recent years her vision failed, during this time she enjoyed listening to books on tape provided by the Michigan Bureau of Services for Blind Persons.

Tribute Wall

DK

“ *What a great lady, so sorry for your loss uncle Bob.*

Donald Keelean - October 26, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JW

“ *love and prayers*

Judy Wilke - August 08, 2020 at 12:00 AM

DG

“ *So sorry for your Lost. She was a great Aunt to me. I remember many times with Lou and Bob, between Yale and Harbor Springs. Lou will be missed.
Dave Gillian*

david gillian - August 07, 2020 at 12:00 AM

JM

“ *dear Bob'Gloria Swick told me of Lucilles passing I was so sorry to hear about it
may you find peace in your family and all the great memories you share I have so many good ones of our families together how we shared a good coffee cake after you and lucille finished your shift at work and I would have been watching Johnny
you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers take care, Joan*

joan nyland morgan - August 06, 2020 at 12:00 AM

BZ

“ So sorry to hear of the loss of your Mother. I know how difficult this time will be. Be strong, keep her memories alive and share with the grand kids.



Barbara Zavalney - August 03, 2020 at 12:00 AM

MA

“ I was blessed in this life to have had Aunt Lucille as my Grandma Lorraine's sister, so it kind of made her and Uncle Bob like my Bonus Grandparents. ❤️ To me, my Grandma & Grandpa, Aunt Lucille & Uncle Bob have set the standard for what true love looks like. You will never see anything as beautiful if you search the whole world over and I am truly in awe of them all. I have so many wonderful memories of my Aunt Lucille that stay near and dear to my heart. She has been around my whole life. They would always come to their camp near our house in Strongs and we would get to come visit. I always thought they were the coolest Grandparents for riding 4 wheelers. Lol. She never missed a family event. If she was invited, she was coming. Lol. I could always count on seeing her there. She and I also shared a hard core love of crafting. ❤️ We loved to show our things off to each other and make things for each other too. We even got to do a craft show together one year! We didn't make a lot of money, but it was worth it to just spend the day chatting away with her. I would even spend the night with them sometimes on nights before my craft shows. ❤️ Her and Uncle Bob are the best company and you certainly won't ever go hungry! I will miss popping in to see her and having her be genuinely excited to see me. It's a beautiful feeling. I will never forget her laugh. I will never forget how it felt to give her a great loving squeeze. I will never forget how she always made me feel special and loved. I know that she did that for so many people. She was loved by so many. I just want to say I love you and thank you Uncle Bob, for sharing your sweetheart with the rest of us and not keeping her all to yourself. ❤️ I love you so much Aunt Lucille.
I miss you with all of my heart. xoxo ❤️
Michelle

Michelle Archibald - July 30, 2020 at 12:00 AM

RV

“ *Lou was an awesome lady! I worked at Nevilles for 9 years. The family is very special. RIP Lou! My heart goes out to the family! God bless*

Renee Vann - July 30, 2020 at 12:00 AM