



## Georgiana L. Gustafson

August 4, 2011

Georgiana Lucille Gustafson, 91 of St. Ignace passed away early Thursday morning, August 4 at Evergreen Living Center surrounded by a loving family after a lingering illness. She was born October 6, 1919 in Superior, WI to George J. and Linnie Lorraine (Parish) Gaspar. She attended Ursuline Academy and graduated from LaSalle High School in 1936 with honors. She has been very active in the community of St. Ignace, serving on the school board over 16 years. She was also a very active member of St. Ignatius Loyola Catholic Church and St. Anns Altar Society. She worked for Highstone Stores in St. Ignace and Mackinac Island for 35 years. She married C. Albert Gustafson in Texas on May 19, 1943 while he was in WWII. He died February 24, 1988. She loved to entertain, and many a great dinner was held at her house over the years, celebrating every birthday and many other special occasions. She was a great lady and will be missed by her family and all who knew her.

She is survived by 3 sons, George C. and Kathleen Gustafson, Manistique; Albert J, Gustafson, Rochester Hills; Donald P. and Sherrie Gustafson, St. Ignace; daughter in law, Denise VandenBosch, Southfield; grandchildren, Eric, Kaitlin, Drew, Bradley, Grant, Lucas, Linnie , step grandson, D.J. (Marie) Lloyd and Connor.

She was preceded in death by her husband, and a son, Howard D.

Gustafson in 2004.

The family will receive friends and family at Dodson Funeral Home on Sunday, August 7 from 4 to 8 pm with parish prayers at 8 pm. Mass of Christian burial will be on Monday, August 8 at 11 am at St. Ignatius Catholic Church with Fr. Pawel Mecwel officiating. Burial will be in St. Ignatius Cemetery.

Memorials may be directed to Evergreen Living Center; St. Ignatius Church or the St. Ignace Schools with envelopes available from Dodson Funeral Home. Pallbearers were; Frank Ahlich; Greg Cheeseman; Mike Lehto; Drew Gustafson; Bradley Gustafson; Grant Gustafson; and honorary pallbearers were; Henry Cheeseman; and Mike Beaudoin.

# Tribute Wall



“ *Georgiana L. Gustafson*

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ *Georgiana L. Gustafson*

October 02, 2023 at 10:14 PM



“ *Georgiana L. Gustafson*

September 01, 2022 at 07:49 PM



“ *Our deepest sympathy to all of you. We were so blessed to know Georgiana and will always remember her with great fondness. We remember her great cooking and the stories she told. I will remember the last time she helped me make jello salad for Mike and Denise's wedding and it got a little hard before we could add the fruit and we laughed so hard as we tried to make it pretty. We just want to let you know that we are thinking of you at this time of loss and sorrow.*

**Rob and Sally Rich** - August 06, 2011 at 05:53 PM

MV

“ George, Donald and Albert:  
We are very saddened to hear of the passing of your mother, she was a wonderful person and a very dear friend of our entire family. I have many good memories of Georgiana and your dad visiting with my mom and dad. We will be thinking of you during this difficult time and our thoughts and prayers are with you.  
Sincerely,  
Mike and Pam Vairo

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**Mike Vairo** - August 06, 2011 at 10:53 AM

KW

“ My deepest sympathy to your family. I was so very blessed to be able to see my great Aunt Georgiana a month ago with my mom, her niece. I remember Aunt Georgiana as a great cook and hostess. We enjoyed many summers up in St. Ignace and although she worked full time, her door was always open, and she had her kitchen full of homemade food! My prayers and thoughts are with all of you.

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**Kim Ward** - August 06, 2011 at 06:21 AM