



Phoebe Irene Hartwig

August 30, 1939 - May 24, 2021

Phoebe "Irene" Hartwig, age 81, passed away peacefully Monday May 24, 2021 at The Brook Community Retirement Facility in West Branch, Michigan. A native of Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, Irene was born to Daniel and Matilda (LaVictor) Cody on August 30, 1939. Irene received her high school diploma from Sault High. She married the love of her life, Lorne Hartwig Sr. on March 2, 1956. She worked as the Executive Secretary for the Sault Ste. Marie Police Department until her retirement. Irene will be remembered for her time and dedication to St. Mary's Catholic Church as a Eucharistic Minister among other volunteer duties. She also volunteered as a War Memorial Auxiliary Member in the gift shop at War Memorial Hospital. She was a Woman of the Moose Member of Lodge #999, Auxiliary Member of the American Legion Post #3, Auxiliary Member of the VFW Post #3676 and the Sault Ste. Marie Mixed Cribbage League. Irene enjoyed activities such as playing softball, bowling, bingo, gardening, baking and especially spending time playing cards at camp with family and friends. Irene will be lovingly remembered by her children, Lorne Jr. (Tamie) Hartwig of West Branch, MI, Ken (Jan) Hartwig of Howell, MI, Judy (Ken) Siegrist of Pinconning, MI, Roger (Linda) Hartwig of Grand Ledge, MI, also 7 Grandchildren and 12 Great Grandchildren; sister Darlene (Russ) Hill of Lansing, MI, brother in-law Lewis (Gail) Hartwig of Rapid River, MI. Irene was preceded in death by her Loving husband of 61 years, Lorne Chester Hartwig Sr., parents Daniel and Matilda Cody; daughter Victoria Wilson; and sister Sharon Hartwig-Jones.

Family and friends may visit from 10:00am - 12:00pm Thursday, June 3, 2021 at St. Mary's ProCathedral Church, 320 E. Portage Ave, Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan. Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated in memory of Irene at 12 noon, with Father Nicholas Thompson as Celebrant. Burial will be at Oaklawn Chapel Gardens. The family would like to extend a special thank you to the staff at Covenant Healthcare of Saginaw, MI, Ascension Standish Hospital Skilled Care Facility of Standish, MI, Hospice Compassus of West Branch, MI, and The Brook of West Branch, MI. for the care and compassion provided to Irene. In lieu of flowers, the family requests those who wish to express sympathy to consider making a donation to Hospice Compassus of West Branch, MI or family wishes. Clark Hovie Galer Funeral Home assisted the family with arrangements.

Cemetery Details

Oaklawn Chapel Gardens

15264 South M-129
Sault Ste. Marie, MI 49783

Previous Events

Family and Friends

JUN 3. 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM.

St. Mary's ProCathedral Church

Mass of Christian Burial

JUN 3. 12:00 PM.

memory of Irene

Tribute Wall



“ *Phoebe Irene Hartwig*

October 05, 2023 at 09:54 AM



“ *Phoebe Irene Hartwig*

October 02, 2023 at 10:14 PM



“ *Phoebe Irene Hartwig*

September 01, 2022 at 07:49 PM



“ *I am so sad to hear of Irene's passing. She was a fun person with a big heart. She will be missed. May she Rip. A friend from work. Pat Matheson*

Pat Matheson - June 13, 2021 at 01:35 PM



“ *I am saddened to hear of Irene's passing. We bowled together for several years at the old Arcade. We were sponsored by Gerald Synett's Arcade Lanes. Irene was a good sport, always upbeat and a very understanding friend. My condolences for her family who she loved dearly. Rest in peace, Irene. You will always have a special place in my memories.*

Linda Dalimonte - June 11, 2021 at 06:09 PM

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“ I am so sorry for your loss. I have very fond memories of Irene, as we worked together at the SPD. I was just a young university student studying criminal justice, who worked as the meter-maid. Irene and I had quite a few laughs and she taught me a lot. She will be remembered in my prayers.



Paula Voorhees Swatty

paula swatty - May 29, 2021 at 09:32 PM



“ Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Phoebe Irene Hartwig.



May 29, 2021 at 08:54 AM

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“ Rest in Peace Irene. .

Fern - May 28, 2021 at 11:04 AM