



Barbara Arvia

January 12, 1952 - September 17, 2008

Visitation for Barbara A. Arvia, 56, of Manteno, will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday at the Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home, Bourbonnais. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Saturday at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Manteno. The Rev. Albert Heideke will officiate. Burial will be in St. Joseph Cemetery, Manteno. Memorials may be made to the American Cancer Society. She died Wednesday (Sept. 17, 2008) at Miller Center, following an extended illness. Miss Arvia was born Jan. 12, 1952, in Chicago, the daughter of Alex and Ida Casarotto Arvia. She was a member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in Manteno. She enjoyed cross stitching and was a big NASCAR fan. Surviving are her mother of Manteno; godchild, Michael Gabrielson attending Purdue University; longtime friends, Nancy Anders of Hebron, Ind., Isabelle Gabrielson of Manteno; and other family members. Her father is deceased.

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“ Barbara was a wonderful person with a great sense of humor and a love for life. ĩ½She enjoyed simple pleasures and had a genuine excitement for sports and NASCAR. ĩ½She was a wonderful godmother to Micheal and a wonderful friend to Isabelle. ĩ½Barabara was a devoted daughter to Ida and a dear, sweet person to all that she knew. ĩ½I am truly saddened by her passing. ĩ½I know God has already welcomed her to his home in heaven.##imported-begin##Mary and Bruce LaCoste##imported-end##

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“ I am very saddened by the passing of Barbara. ĩ½While we haven't seen each other ĩ½ĩ½in a very long time, over the years I have thought of her.

Ida -- our hearts go out to you at this time. ĩ½I am sorry that we can not be there, but we send our love.

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“ I wanted to pass along my deepest sympathies to Barb's family and friends. ¶½She always had a smile on her face when I worked with her at Pullman Bank. ¶½I still have the truly adorable little mason jars that she cross-stitched and filled with M & M's. ¶½The M & M's are always being refilled, and when I do refill them, I always think of Barb.

My prayers are with Barb's family and friends at this time.##imported-begin##Laura Spearman##imported-end##

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