



Barbara Elizabeth Roy

November 6, 1912 - October 4, 2016

Barbara Elizabeth Roy, age 103, of Bourbonnais, passed away Tuesday, October 4, 2016 at Miller Health Care Center in Kankakee. She was born November 6, 1912, the daughter of John and Cecelia Chaplinski Gulczynski in Bradley. She married Raymond Roy on October 12, 1935 at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Bradley. He preceded her in death on April 5, 1965.

Barbara retired from Bear Brand Hosiery after 15 years. She also worked for Kroehler for 16 years and was a cook for the Bradley American Legion. A member of Maternity B.V.M. Church, Barbara served as Vice President of St. Anne Sodality, Woman of the Year for CCW in 1995, Swimmers Club of Bradley, Women of the Moose, Catholic Daughters of America, and Bradley-Bourbonnais Seniors. She loved to sew and make stuffed animals.

She is survived by three sons and daughter-in-law, Richard and Nancy Roy of Darien, Michael and JoAnn Roy of Skandia, MI, John Roy of California; two daughters and son-in-law, Barbara and John Spence of Bourbonnais; Cindy and Greg Neblock of Florida; twelve grandchildren; twelve great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

In addition to her husband, she is preceded in death by four sisters and four brothers.

Visitation will be 4:00-8:00 P.M. Friday October 14, 2016 at Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais. A funeral mass will be held at 10 AM Saturday, October 15, 2016 at Maternity B.V.M. Church.

Burial will follow at Mount Calvary Cemetery in Kankakee

Memorials may be made to the masses or Maternity B.V.M. Church.

Cemetery Details

Mount Calvary Cemetery

2000 E. Court St.
Kankakee, IL 60901

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **14**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Bourbonnais - Clancy-Gernon Funeral Homes, Inc.
295 Main St., NW
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 932-1214
cgfuneral@gmail.com

Funeral Mass

OCT **15**. 10:00 AM (CT)

Maternity B.V.M. Catholic Church
308 E. Marsile
Bourbonnais, IL 60914
(815) 933-8285
<http://www.mbvchurch.org/>

Tribute Wall

MR

“ *My deepest sympathy to all of Barbara Roy's family as I just heard of her passing today. My thoughts and prayers are with all of you as you go thru these difficult days.*

Marilyn Roy - October 17, 2016 at 03:20 PM

DF

“ *I knew Barbara when I worked in plant 4 at Kroehler in the early '70's. She was just the nicest lady you would even want to meet. My condolences to her family.*

David Finch - October 12, 2016 at 01:02 PM

MC

“ *I enjoyed my visits with Barbara at Miller Center. She had the prettiest smile and was so sweet. I will miss her. Praying for her family.*

Mary Clark - October 12, 2016 at 10:05 AM

MB

“ *Mrs. Roy had a special place in my heart. I had the pleasure of spending time with her at her home and at Miller. She was always very determined. I was very blessed to know her and will hold her in my heart.*

Megan Brenner

Megan Brenner - October 10, 2016 at 04:48 PM

CR

“ *Barb was my kindest and dearest neighbor when I lived on Main Street. I will always remember her countless acts of kindness and thoughtfulness. I will remember her and her family in my prayers.*

Carol Raef

Carol Raef - October 07, 2016 at 12:23 PM

JS

“ *Mrs. Roy was a very sweet lady! I am sure she is at peace now reunited with her husband after so many years apart. God bless you all. You have my sympathy*

Jackie Soucie

jackie soucie - October 06, 2016 at 04:46 PM

BG

“ *Deepest condolences to all my cousins. I will always remember Aunt Barb's sweet smile and voice. Always comforting, with a little laughter in her voice. One of my favorite people and most favorite Aunt.*

Rose's Barry, Irene and Gaby Grenier

barry m grenier - October 06, 2016 at 01:07 PM

DC

“ *Deepest condolences to the Roy family. Mrs. Roy was a very special and gracious lady. Bill and Debbie Castongia*

Debbie Castongia - October 05, 2016 at 07:12 PM