



Jeanette V. Knaga

February 25, 1916 - June 5, 2005

Jeanette 'Jean' V. Knaga, 89, of Kankakee, died Saturday (June 4, 2005) at her home. Visitation will be from 4-8 p.m. today at the Clancy-Gernon-Hertz Funeral Home, West Kankakee. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 10 a.m. Wednesday at St. Martin of Tours Catholic Church, where she was a member. Rev. Dennis Settles will officiate. Entombment will be in Mt. Calvary Mausoleum. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley or to the donor's choice. Mrs. Knaga was a homemaker. She and her husband owned and operated meat markets in the area for many years. She was born Feb. 25, 1916, in Chicago, the daughter of Michael and Veronica Piotrowski. Her husband, Joseph Knaga, whom she married Oct. 14, 1939, in New Chicago, Ind., died Jan. 8, 1983. She was a member of the Ladies of the Moose. Surviving are one son and daughter-in-law, Joseph and Carol Knaga of Carbondale; three daughters and one son-in-law, Eileen Keeling and Diane Pool, both of Kankakee, Tina and Dennis Howell of Coral Springs, Fla.; nine grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Deceased are her parents; and one brother, Francis 'Frank' Piotrowski.

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“ I will always remember the twinkle in your eyes, your keen sense of humor, and your warm and friendly smile. I'll never forget you and Joe.
The boy next door.##imported-begin##Steve Smothers##imported-end##

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“ Eileen,
We're so sorry to hear of the loss of your mother. Our prayers will be with you.
Glendal, Roger and Family##imported-begin##Glendal and Roger Kilbride##imported-end##

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“ OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS ARE WITH THE FAMILY.
SHE WAS A WONDERFUL PERSON AND SHE WILL BE MISSED BY ALL.##imported-begin##Wally & Madonna Pawloski##imported-end##

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“ Jean was a wonderful person that I had the pleasure of knowing for about 34 years through her daughter, Tina. She is going to be missed sorely by her family and friends. God Bless you, Jean.
##imported-begin##Mary Lou Bates##imported-end##

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