



Lillie M. Ward

May 11, 1926 - May 6, 2014

Lillie M. Ward, 87 of Fenton, MI, formerly of Bourbonnais passed way Tuesday, May 6, 2014 at Genesys Regional Medical Center in Grand Blanc, MI. She was born May 11, 1926 in Cobden, IL, the daughter of George and Lillian (Anderson) Myers. She married C.W. "Butch" Ward on December 25, 1945 in Murphysboro, IL. He preceded her in death on May 1, 2006. Surviving are daughters, Joyce and husband Tom Pasko (Urbana, OH), Kathy Warby (Fenton, MI); 3 grandchildren, Brian and wife Jessica Pasko (Urbana, OH), Ryan and wife Lonna Warby, and Becky and husband Arturo Altamirano; 5 great-grand children, Hayden and Cyrus Pasko, Clara and Alayna Warby, and Michael Altamirano. She is preceded in death by her 3 sisters and 2 brothers. Butch and Lil moved back to Bourbonnais in 1958 when he got a job as Athletic Director at Olivet Nazarene University. She received her teaching degree from ONU in 1972 and began teaching at Westview High School in Kankakee, IL. They were members of College Church of the Nazarene. She was also a realtor at Speckman Reality before moving to Fenton in 2010. In lieu of flowers, please send donations in her name to the Butch and Lil Ward Athletic Scholarship at Olivet Nazarene University. Chapel Service will be held 12:00 p.m. Monday, May 12, 2014 at All Saints Cemetery in Bourbonnais. Arrangments by Clancy-Gernon Funeral Home in Bourbonnais.

Tribute Wall



“ *She was a wonderful, loving Christian mother, grandmother, wife and friend. I will miss you Mom. I was truly blessed having you as my mother. Love you.*

Kathy Warby - May 14, 2014 at 11:03 PM

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“ *Lil was always fun to talk to. She was always interested in my life. Our families go way back sharing vacations, motorcycling trips, and parties. We always had so much fun and had many laughs. Love her so much and am anxious to be with her again on high.*

Laurie Oswalt - May 11, 2014 at 06:25 PM

JD

“ *Heaven seems even sweeter as our loved ones join the angel choir. Love and Prayers - Janet DeLine*

Janet DeLine - May 10, 2014 at 09:00 AM

DW

“ *She was my Aunt Lil and I loved her dearly. She demonstrated Christ's type of love for others every single day. She will be greatly missed.*

Donna Myers Williams - May 09, 2014 at 10:41 AM

SH

“ *Mrs. Ward was my Home Economics teacher at Westview High School. I will always remember her caring and guidance. Blessings, Sherry*

Sherry - May 09, 2014 at 09:52 AM

CW

“ *Loved and appreciated Lil so very much. She always had a smile and a kind word.*

- Carol and Wil Watson, Bourbonnais, Il

Carol Watson - May 08, 2014 at 03:19 PM