



Marcella 1/2Eva Blanchette

June 2, 1924 - March 4, 2007

Marcella Eva Blanchette, 82, of Beaverville, died Sunday (March 4, 2007) at Heritage Woods of Watseka. Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Tuesday at Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Home, St. Anne, with a 7:30 p.m. wake service. An 11 a.m. funeral Mass will be celebrated Wednesday at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Beaverville. Rev. Robert Coleman will officiate. Burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery in Beaverville. Memorials may be made to St. Mary's Church Restoration Fund or Hospice of Iroquois County. Mrs. Blanchette was a beautician. She was born June 2, 1924, in Martinton, the daughter of Joseph and Esma Dionne. Her husband, Robert A. Blanchette, whom she married Jan. 17, 1942, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Beaverville, died April 11, 1991. She was a member of St. Mary's Catholic Church in Beaverville, nominated for Woman of the Year and worked in the after-school program at the church. She enjoyed working in her yard and garden. Surviving are one son and daughter-in-law, Dale and Jeri Blanchette of Cameron, Wis.; five daughters and six sons-in-law, Jane and Richard Schmalz of Kankakee, Carolyn and Jerry Balthazor of Bradley, Trudy and Mark Stuckey of Martinton, Nancy and Dennis Anderson of Champaign, Julie and Mike Glynn of Monticello, and Jack Littrell of Kankakee; 20 grandchildren and 16 great-grandchildren; four sisters, Myra Dionne of Batavia, Joanne LaFond of Watseka, Julia Hanson of Clifton and Helena Cash of Pekin; and a special family friend, Victor Bull of Watseka. Deceased are one daughter, Pat Littrell; and 13 brothers and sisters.

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