



Margaret Friedman

December 20, 1912 - July 7, 2006

Margaret Friedman -- Kankakee Margaret Friedman, 93, of the Miller Center in Kankakee, formerly of St. Anne, died Friday (July 7, 2006). Visitation will be from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Monday, with a 7 p.m. wake service, at the Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Home in St. Anne. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Tuesday at St. Anne Catholic Church, where she was a member. Rev. James Fanale will officiate. Burial will be in St. Anne Catholic Cemetery. Mrs. Friedman was the owner and operator for 50 years of Friedman and Co. Variety Store, along with her husband. She was born Dec. 20, 1912, in Kankakee, the daughter of Edward and Ida Billedeau Boule. Her husband, Benny Friedman, whom she married Feb. 12, 1939, at St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church in Kankakee, died Nov. 4, 1984. She was the village treasurer for 28 years in St. Anne; a member of the St. Anne Catholic Church board and auxiliary organizations; the Women's Bowling Association; and the American Legion Auxiliary. Surviving are one son, Paul Friedman of St. Anne; two daughters and sons-in-law, Margo and Al DeGeeter of Naperville, Linda and Robert Kerness of Kankakee; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren; and one sister-in-law, Annie Boule of Kankakee. Deceased are two brothers, Edwin and Melvin Boule; and two sisters, Genevieve Pahnke and Ruth Collins.

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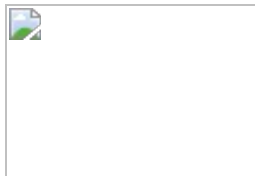
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“ Linda, remember your Mom from my very early days in St. Anne when I used to go into "downtown" St. Anne on Saturday night to roam around while my parents visited with the Beaupres in their car dealership. Your mother would be working behind the counter in your families store. I remember her saying as she was helping me buy some cinamon flavored spicy gum, "it'll be a not time in the old town tonight"! It really wasn't, but I do remember her saying that. Why would i remember that???? Rodger Chenore

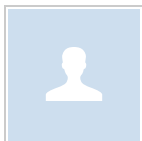
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“ Our condolences to Margaret's familly. i¿½We remember all the good times in the past. i¿½From weekends in Chicago with the bowling team and wives (Benny and Bob were on the same bowling team for many years) to numerous Village Board meetings (Margaret was Village Treasurer all during the time Bob was Village Clerk).##imported-begin##Sandra & Bob Bovie##imported-end##

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“ Know that you are in our prayers in this time of greif. ĩ½I know you can prepare yourself for this but it never lessens the loss you feel at this time. ĩ½You can be thankful though that she lived a full life and was loved by more people than you could ever have imagined. ĩ½She ĩ½touched many lives in a most positive way and all who knew her are better off for that. ĩ½I'm sure that she is in a much better place now and will watch over you all the rest of your days. ĩ½May our Lord keep her in his bosom and comfort you in these very trying days.##imported-begin##Barb & David Arseneau##imported-end##

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“ To Margaret's Family:

Our Mother, Ruby Meents, passed on June 5 at Miller Center. ĩ½She was Margaret's roommate. ĩ½We have known Margaret since October 2000 when our Mother entered Oakleaf. We visited with her regularly. ĩ½At Christmas time when we brought in cookies to decorate, Margaret did the best job of putting on the frosting. ĩ½We could always get her to smile. ĩ½My mother thought Margaret had the prettiest white hair; something she always wanted. You have our sympathy and prayers.

Jackie and Bonnie ĩ½ĩ½##imported-begin##Jackie Morrical##imported-end##

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