



Marian Laurent

August 21, 1924 - November 8, 2008

Visitation for Marian Laurent, 84, of St. Anne, will be from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. Wednesday, with a 7 p.m. prayer service, at the Clancy-Gernon-Houk Funeral Home, St. Anne. A funeral Mass will be celebrated at 11 a.m. Thursday at St. Anne Catholic Church, where she was a member. The Rev. James Fanale will officiate. Burial will be in St. Anne Catholic Cemetery. Memorials may be made to Hospice of Kankakee Valley. She died Saturday (Nov. 8, 2008) at her home. Mrs. Laurent was co-owner/operator of Laurent Lumber for 60 years. She was born Aug. 21, 1924, in Papineau Township, the daughter of James and Mabel Skeeters Savoie. Her husband, Elmer Laurent, whom she married Feb. 16, 1946, at St. Mary's Catholic Church, Beaverville, died Feb. 28, 2008. She was a member of the St. Anne American Legion Auxiliary, the St. Anne Sodality, and the St. Anne Academy. She was a volunteer for Little League baseball. She enjoyed cooking, knitting, sewing, gardening and growing flowers. Surviving are three sons and daughters-in-law, Ed and Pat Laurent of Montgomery, Lee and Diana Laurent, Dennis and JoAnn Laurent, all of Kankakee; two daughters and one son-in-law, Carolyn M. Laurent of Ramsey, Minn., Shirley A. and Tommy Baker of Gilbert, Ariz.; six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren; and one brother, Warren Savoie of Pasco, Wash.

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“ Sorry for your loss##imported-begin##*Bud Beggs*##imported-end##

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“ Sorry to hear that Marion passed away. I am sure that she and Elmer are visiting again with my parents.##imported-begin##*Chuck i ½ and Jan Christophersen*##imported-end##

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“ Lee and Dennis,

Sorry we could not be with you at the service. i ½ You have our deepest sympathy for the loss of your Mother and a lovely lady we enjoyed knowing.

Michael & Elaine Holtzman

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“ My sincere sympathy to all of Marian's family. ĩ½You have lost a wonderful Mother and I have lost a great friend. ĩ½Marian and I have been friends for so many years and I treasure the times that we spent together. ĩ½I will miss my visits sitting with her in the office and the many times that she would stop and run in for a few minutes on her

way home from the post office. ĩ½We had many a laugh together, and also at times shed a few tears. ĩ½She loved all her flowers and couldn't bear to throw out any of them. ĩ½She was a hard worker and has earned her place in heaven. ĩ½I feel priviledged to have gotten to spend some time with her in her final weeks. ĩ½May she be surrounded by heavenly flowers and may God hold her in the palm of his hand. ĩ½I will miss her greatly--Good bye my friend.

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“ I wish I could extend my sympathy in person, but my thoughts and prayers are with all of you during this difficult time. ĩ½Through her life-long friendship with my mom, she earned a special place in my heart as well. ĩ½You always knew there would be a helping hand from her in times of need. ĩ½And I?ll never forget her fulfilling my childhood dream by giving me one of her cats! ĩ½She was a devoted wife, loving mother, and caring friend who will be missed by many. Hold on to your memories, and may they bring comfort in the days ahead. ĩ½God?s Peace -- Jane & Ray Hicks###imported-begin###Jane (Hebert) Hicks###imported-end###

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“ Sympathy from the Russell Corriveau family. Marian was a super lady to know, as a community friend and a business lady. I personally had many times of asking for her guidance and expertise with the problems I encountered. Both she and Elmer were always accomadating, knowledgable, and friendly. She will be missed. The entire family has my sympathy at this time.##imported-begin##Donna (Corriveau) Cole##imported-end##

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