



Lillian Rose Kleppin

December 23, 1924 - August 1, 2010

RACINE - Lillian Rose Kleppin, 85, passed away on Sunday, August 1, 2010 at Serenity Terrace. Lillian was the youngest of thirteen children, born in Milwaukee on December 23, 1924, the daughter of Vincent and Helen (nee: Stelmach) Kleppin. She was a former member of St. Edward's Catholic Church in Racine and St. Casmir's Catholic Church in Milwaukee. Lillian was a Clean Room Tech at AC Delco in Oak Creek, retiring with 30 years of service. She was a member of Racine Geological Society and enjoyed rock hunting and lapidary. Lillian also was a member of U.A.W. She loved animals and when she was younger, she enjoyed playing baseball and dancing. On June 15, 2007 at the Senior Olympics, Lillian received the Presidential 'Silver' Champion Award for maintaining a physically active and fit lifestyle.

She is survived by many nieces, nephews, other relatives and dear friends.

Lillian was preceded in death by her parents and 12 brothers and sisters.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at St. Monica's Senior Citizen Home, 3920 N. Green Bay Rd. on Friday, August 6, 2010 at 9 a.m. with Rev. Richard Molter officiating. Lillian will be laid to rest at Holy Cross Cemetery in Milwaukee at 12 noon. For those attending the burial please use the Burleigh Street entrance. There will be a visitation Sturino Funeral Home on Thursday evening from 4 p.m. until 7 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, memorials to Serenity Terrace have been suggested.

Lillian's family would like to extend a very special thank you to St. Monica's and Serenity Terrace for their fine care.