



Catherine M. Ehardt

December 28, 1932 - November 18, 2013

TRAVERSE CITY: Catherine (Kitty) M. Ehardt, 80, of Traverse City, formerly of Lexington, died Monday, November 18th, 2013, in Traverse City.

She was born December 28, 1932 in Croswell, MI, daughter of the late Harvey and Ellen (Heilig) Matthews. She and the late Robert (Bob) H. Ehardt were married on May 2, 1953 at St Denis Catholic Church in Lexington and enjoyed 54 years of marriage together until his passing on January 22, 2008.

Kitty spent the majority of her life raising her family in the Lexington, MI area and was active in sports such as golf & softball, along with organizations that she or Bob belonged to such as the Lexington Fire Department and Lexington VFW Post. She was a Bookkeeper for her husband's carpentry business and for the Lexington Cemetery. Kitty will be remembered as an avid card player, who always enjoyed a good game with friends! She was a member of St. Denis Catholic Church in Lexington and Christ the King Catholic Church in Acme.

As a devoted and loving mother Kitty is survived by her four sons; Stephen (Ardis) of Lexington, Paul (Helen) of Rochester, John (Robin) of Traverse City, and Phillip (Kelly) of Lake Orion; eight grandchildren; Allen, Erica, Lauren, Douglas, Nicholas, Nicole, Danielle, and Andrew; and two sisters, Helene Martin of Tomball, TX and Mary Ellen Tabar of Washington, MI.

Kitty was preceded in death by brothers Henry and Patrick Matthews.

Viewing will be at 2:00 - 9:00 p.m. Friday and 9:30 – 10:30 AM Sat. at

Pomeroy Funeral Home in Lexington. Funeral service will be at 11:00 a.m. on

Saturday, November 23rd at the Ave Maria - St Denis Catholic Church. Fr. Donald Eppenbrock will officiate. Burial will follow in the Lexington Cemetery. Memorial donations may be made to the Village of Lexington Fire Department.

Tribute Wall

FD

“ *Kitty and I were good friends when we were growing up in Croswell. I got to see her at the class reunions. She will be missed by all of her classmates. My prays are with you, and God Bless you all. Fred Denison*

FRED DENISON - January 14, 2014 at 12:27 PM

AS

“ *We are sorry for the loss of your mom. She was a beautiful person with such a caring heart. Kitty had a way of making me feel special whenever I was with her. She had a magical way about herself. Steve, I'll never forget the times we would drop in on Kitty and Bob on our road trips from Ferris. Kitty never missed a beat. She always had a bed and a hot meal for us. What great memories!*

Anton and Pam Sheridan - November 22, 2013 at 11:01 AM

LF

“ *This explains you, Steve! Sounds like Kitty lived life to the fullest and she was full of adventure. Wish I could have met her. She sounds fun, interesting and a character. She will be missed!!*

Lee and Ginny Fawbush - November 21, 2013 at 06:45 AM

LS

“ *Steve & Ardis my thoughts and prayers are with you and your family.*

LuAnn Stephenson - November 21, 2013 at 05:49 AM

DC

“ Steve and Ardie, We are so sorry for your loss. We know how difficult this time is, and we are with you there is spirit. Love, Beth and Dave

Dave & Beth Carroll - November 20, 2013 at 09:58 AM

FE

“ My sympathy and prayers and that of Sr. Maria Inviolata, Pastoral Administrator of Ave Maria Parish in the loss of your loved one, Catherine Ehardt. I pray and say as we have been doing now for centuries: "Eternal rest give to her, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine on her forever. May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace." Sincerely, Fr. Donald J. Eppenbrock Sacramental Priest of Ave Maria, St. Denis Campus, Lexington, MI

Fr. Donald J. Eppenbrock - November 19, 2013 at 03:11 PM