



Virginia L. VanEenoo

November 6, 1923 - December 2, 2011

Virginia Lilly VanEenoo, 88, of Croswell, passed away Friday morning after a long and blessed life.

She was born on Nov. 6, 1923, in Snover Mich., to the late Ernest and Clara Hirsch.

She married her sweetheart, Elmer on April 21, 1945. He died on Dec. 10, 1993.

She will be sadly missed by her son and daughter-in-law, Chuck and Judy, her grandchildren, Lindsay (Scott) Young, Charlie, and Lauren (Brandon Leyva), all of Croswell. She was "G.G" to Scotty, Gabriel and one-day-old baby, Olivia Young. Virginia was also survived by her two sisters, Faith Holka and Jean Hirsch, several nieces and nephews and her faithful companion, Chi Chi. She was adored by many as "Grandma Neenoo" and had many friends, old and new. She opened her door and her heart to all.

She is a 1942 graduate of Croswell High School. She treasured her classmates.

She loved doing word-searches, reading, playing Rummy, listening to Renfroe Valley and watching Lawrence Welk.

She loved birds and flowers, holidays, family get togethers and sending and receiving greeting cards. She made the best mashed potatoes and homemade pies.

She was a homemaker, a farmer, worked at several factories and was a true "Rosie, the Riveter" during WWII.

She was a member of St. Patricks Catholic Church Croswell and the Altar Society. She was a devout catholic and had a sincere love for the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

She was also preceded in death by her siblings, Milo, Ernest and Joan Hirsch, Fern Vibbert and Joy Whitmore.

She led a simple and beautiful life and she saw the world through rose colored glasses.

Mass of Christian Burial will be 11:00 AM Monday, Dec. 5, 2011 at St. Patrick Catholic Church, Croswell. The Rev. Robert Schikora will officiate. Burial will be in Mt. Hope Cemetery, Croswell.

Visitation 1 - 8 PM Sunday, Dec. 4, 2011 and 9:30 - 10:30 AM Monday at Pomeroy Funeral Home, Croswell. Rosary 6 PM Sunday.

God Speed Grandma. We love you!

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“ Our thoughts and prayers are with the VanEenoo family. Virginia was a wonderful lady that always found a way to bring out a smile in each one of us. She was an angel to all and we feel very blessed to have been touched by her. May God show you the way to ease the days ahead. With Love & Prayers, Andrew, Kim, Cameron, Kaitlin, Kylee, Caden & Carter.

Kim Young - December 04, 2011 at 01:19 PM

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“ My sympathy & prayers to the VanEenoo Family in the loss of their loved one. I pray as we have been doing now for centuries: "Eternal rest give to her, O Lord and let perpetual light shine on her forever. May she rest in peace! May her soul and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace." Sincerely, Fr. Donald J. Eppenbrock Former pastor of St. Patrick & Denis

Fr. Donald J. Eppenbrock - December 03, 2011 at 10:04 AM