



Doris Jane Helmboldt

July 24, 1929 - February 7, 2011

Doris Jane Helmboldt, age 81, of McBain and Lake City went home to be with the Lord at Cadillac Mercy Hospital on February 7, 2011.

Doris was born on July 24, 1929 in Richland Township, Missaukee County, to Richard and Jennie (Yonkman) Meyering. She married Albert "June" Helmboldt Jr. on May 14, 1948 at the McBain United Presbyterian Church. He preceded her in death on Oct. 4, 1996.

Doris had attended Beauty College and had run a beauty shop in McBain for more than 15 years. She also had worked at Riverside Electric in Marion for several years. She was a member of the Lake City Presbyterian Church, and had served as an elder in both Lake City and McBain; she also was on the session, Mary Circle, Esther Circle, had been city treasurer at Lake City, member of the McBain Larkin Club, loved to play euchre and canasta, and she had been a member of the ladies' card club in McBain for years. She also enjoyed crocheting, collecting cups and dolls, and many other things. She had sold Sarah Coventry Jewelry. She loved babies and totally enjoyed her grandchildren.

Survivors include her children, Jeff (Patricia) Helmboldt of Cheboygan, Mike (Naomi) Helmboldt of Falmouth, Mary Jane Teed of McBain, and Patrick (Sandy) Helmboldt of Cadillac; grandchildren, Jennifer (Matt) Douglas, Jeffery

Helmboldt Jr., Jessica (Adam) Clifford, Melissa (Dennis) Boyer, Douglas (Jessica) Helmboldt Jr., Christopher (Natalia) Armstead, Gabrielle (Dan) Goss, Courtney (Eric) Culp, Jennie Teed and Justin Eubank, Katie Teed, David Albert Teed, Laura (Jessie) Taylor, Patrick Helmboldt Jr., and Denny Behrns; 24 great-grandchildren; brother, Bernard (Sandra) Meyering of McBain; in-laws, Roger Johnson of Cadillac, Beverly Helmboldt of Lansing, Gerald Helmboldt of Flint, and Nancy (Delmar) Bell of Grand Blanc.

She was preceded in death by her husband; son, Douglas Helmboldt; granddaughter,

Elizabeth Helmboldt; son-in-law, David Teed; siblings, Harvey

(Gertrude) Meyering, Anna (Bill) Gray, Ruby Johnson, Edna (Darwin) Ranville; half-siblings, Dena Taggert, Sarah Brunink and Elmer Meyering; and in-laws, Harold Helmboldt, Amelia Helmboldt, Loran Helmboldt and Juanita Helmboldt.

Funeral services will be held at 11 a.m., Thursday, at the Lake City Presbyterian Church, with Rev. David Weber officiating. Burial will be at Mount View Cemetery in McBain. Visitation will take place from 2 to 4 and 7 to 9 p.m., Wednesday, at the Burkholder Funeral Home in McBain. Memorial contributions may be made to the Lake City Presbyterian Church.

An online guestbook is available at petersonfh.com

Tribute Wall

SH

“ Aunt Doris was one of a kind. She always had a hug and kiss for you and we enjoyed many wonderful conversations together. At last the Meyering Girls are at home together again. Love and prayers to all.

Sue Hale - February 11, 2011 at 12:02 PM

DS

“ My thoughts and prayers are with you during your time of loss, I always enjoyed visiting with her when I went to Autumnwood to see my Mom, very caring lady.

Daphne Sundell - February 10, 2011 at 10:14 AM

JC

“ Doris is such a fine example of faithfulness, patience, beauty and grace. I have enjoyed knowing her for thirty years. She will be missed and is loved.

Judy Coffey - February 09, 2011 at 11:31 AM

DJ

“ Aunt Doris will be greatly missed. We are ever grateful for the comfort she was to Mom (Ruby) when they were in Autum Wood together.

Dennis and Karol Johnson - February 08, 2011 at 06:21 PM

MV

“ We will always remember Aunt Doris for her warm greetings, smile and laughter. Our children lovingly called her the "kissing" aunt. We are rejoicing that she has arrived at her heavenly home. Our thoughts and prayers are with our family and friends.

Marilyn & Mike VanDyk - February 08, 2011 at 02:21 PM

MJ

“ Our thoughts and prayers are with you all.

Mark, Molly, Will & Nicholas Johnson - February 08, 2011 at 01:25 PM

CF

“ There will be an empty place in my heart for Aunt Doris forever - but she is singing with the Angels, cooking chili for Uncle Junior, Uncle Harvey and Doug and catching up on the chit chat with Aunt Ruby, Aunt Edna, Aunt Anna and the rest of her family that has gone on before.

Carolyn Flore - February 08, 2011 at 09:05 AM

BC

“ Wonderful and Great Lady. Couldn't have asked for a better Aunt than she was. She will be greatly missed.

Bertie Cannedy - February 08, 2011 at 08:52 AM