



Mildred Laura Bashore

September 13, 1914 - February 7, 2015

Mildred Laura Bashore, 100, of Potterville, MI, died peacefully on Saturday, February 7, 2015 in Dimondale, MI. Mildred was born September 13, 1914 in Ionia County, MI, the daughter of Clarence J. and Agnes M. (Hughson) Trowbridge. On June 29, 1935, she married Arthur Nash Bashore. Shortly after their marriage, they settled in Potterville to raise their five children. Arthur and Mildred were very active members of Potterville United Methodist Church. Mildred loved travelling, especially visiting her children and grandchildren throughout the country and visiting the Holy Land. Mildred is survived by her children; Norma (Donald) Gilbert of Waterford, MI, Robert (Donna) Bashore of Mulliken, Nancy (John) Markham of Bowling Green, VA, Roger (Enga) Bashore of Petoskey, MI and Ann (James) French of Potterville; 21 grandchildren; 42 great-grandchildren; 20 great-great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her husband, Arthur, in 1976 and her 4 siblings. Funeral services will be held at 11:00 a.m. on Wednesday, February 11, 2015 at Pray Funeral Home with Rev. Lyne Stull-Lipps officiating. Visitation will be from 5:00-8:00 p.m. on Tuesday, February 10, 2015 at the funeral home. Interment will take place at Maple Hill Cemetery, Charlotte. Memorial contributions may be made to Potterville United Methodist Church.

Tribute Wall

LP

“ *Enga and Roger, Sorry for your loss.*

Laurie Backus Pulido - February 13, 2015 at 09:55 PM

DW

“ *Sorry to hear about your loss*

Doug White - February 11, 2015 at 01:00 PM

SH

“ *I would like to say my heart and thoughts go out to her family whom have been enjoyable to know.. I want you to know that I will miss my BFF with all I have. She was stubborn ole coot, but knew how to make you laugh.. She loved to whistle and seeing her everyday put a big smile on my face.. I will miss you Bay and will always be in my heart!! Love you Bay... Sherry your BFF.. :)*

Sherry Herrera - February 09, 2015 at 01:37 PM

DB

“ *My deepest sympathy to the Bashore family. Mildred was a great person. Art and her were very dedicated to Potterville UMC. Be comforted by the many good memories you have of her. With deepest sympathy, The Bargy Family
(Written by Dan Bargy)*

Daniel Bargy - February 09, 2015 at 11:16 AM

LD

“ *A life well lived.*

Leslie Delemeester - February 09, 2015 at 06:43 AM

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“ Last night, this world lost a beautiful soul, my great grandmother. I, like most of the family, have been trying to prepare ourselves for the day that she would no longer be with us. But that didn't even begin to prepare me for this day. It hit me hard, harder than I ever would have thought. She was always a part of my life, but we were never super close. It was then that I started to realize that I have this deep connection to my grandmother, one that I couldn't explain to you if I tried. This connection confused me, because I didn't know where it came from. I don't remember much of her before the nursing home, when she was fully herself. I have snippets of memory, but it just didn't feel like enough. I was flooded with regret and sorrow. But after some self reflection, and help from friends, I realized that it didn't matter how much I remember, all that matters is that I love her, and that I knew that a part of her, still remembered me, and loved me. Once I came to terms with that, I started to realize where this connection could have come from. Its from how much she made me smile; and when she saw me and she'd smile, even if she didn't know who I was, she was happy to see me. From this is where I learned some of the greatest lessons, that have been very relevant in my life lately. Unknowingly, she taught me that no matter the situation you're in, you can't let it bring you down. Having bad days is okay, but at some point, you have to get back up, smile, and show the world that everything it has put you through isn't going to stop you. In the end, I'm glad even proud of this unexplainable connection, this love for my great grandmother. Even though it hurts, I gained so much more then I'm losing.

Ashley French - February 09, 2015 at 03:20 AM

LY

“ My condolences are with the Family and Friends as you grieve. At such times of sorrow we may ask, "Will I ever see or embrace my loved one again?" Jesus answers at John 11:11-44 saying: "Lazarus! Come on out!" And he did. Patiently waiting for all those in the memorial tombs to hear Jesus's voice and come on out. May we all be there to welcome all those sleeping in death back to an earth that God originally promised. - Psalm 37:29; Revelation 21:3-5; Isaiah 65:17-22 Sincerely, La Chelle Yates filletmignon31@yahoo.com

La Chelle Yates - February 08, 2015 at 09:43 PM