



Anne Thomas

October 22, 1912 - October 22, 2007

ANNE THOMAS age 95 of Portage formerly of Merrillville passed away Monday October 22 2007. Survived by six nieces and nephews: Floyd S. Walker of Island Lake IL Arlene (Al) Bowie of Colorado Springs CO Janice Milakovich of Lake Station IN Boris J. Thomas of Denver CO Lynda (Virgil) Smith of Lowell IN Paul (Pam) Thomas of Valparaiso IN numerous great and great great nieces and nephews. Preceded in death by parents Nick and Stephania Thomas three brothers: Steve Boris and Vladimer Thomas two sisters: Pauline Thomas and Julia Walker. Anne was a life member of The Protection of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church a retired Army Staff Sergeant having served in World War II and the Korean War a retired bookkeeper from Sears & Roebuck Co and a life member of American Legion Glen Park Post 214. Friends may call at Pruzin Brothers Funeral Service 6360 Broadway Merrillville Thursday from 3-8 p.m. Prayer Service at 7:00 p.m. Funeral service Friday October 26 2007 at 10:00 a.m. from Protection of the Virgin Mary Orthodox Church 8600 Grand Blvd. Merrillville with Rev. Peter Bodnar officiating. At rest St. Mary Russian Orthodox Cemetery Gary.

Tribute Wall

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“ I am writing this on behalf of my mother Mary Demchak Markowicz age 94 myself (Mary Lois Markowicz Chrastil) and my sister (Barbara Markowicz Canada). Mom and Anne were friends from childhood and were members of the same club of friends for over 60 years. We children all grew up knowing all the club ladies and their families. My grandparents Steven and Helen Demchak were close friends of Annes parents and we were all members of Annes church. Mom is currently in the hospital herself. Anne will be fondly remembered by all of us. She was a kind and gracious lady.

Mary Markowicz - October 25, 2007 at 12:00 AM

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“ Anne was the absolute roots of our family. She taught us faith & trust. She was the most giving loving person in our lives. We will so miss her. Im proud to call her Aunt.

Lynda - October 24, 2007 at 12:00 AM

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“ Who is so great a God as our God? Anne is remembered as an uncomplaining loving person who always showed interest in others before herself. When her eyesight deteriorated to the point where she had to give up her car there were no complaints. She graciously accepted rides to church and her first question was always whats going on in church? I will always be grateful for her warm welcome as choir-stand partner when we first arrived at PTVM. It has been a privilege to know and love her. She was at our house for Pascha this year and enjoyed the children the food and fellowship greatly. May her memory be eternal. Please intercede for us Anne as you stand in the presence of Christ and all the Saints!

Cynthia - October 24, 2007 at 12:00 AM