



Marcella Baker

June 1, 1923 - June 13, 2015

Marcella Baker, 92 of Herscher, IL, passed away Saturday June 13, 2015 at Harvest View Assisted Living Facility, Herscher, IL. Marcella was born June 1, 1923 in Kankakee, IL to Arc Angelo and Adelaide (Piana) Brantan. She married Paul L. Baker in Kankakee, IL on Dec. 28, 1948. He died in November of 2005.

Marcella was formerly employed with Tony Panazzo Produce and Floral and she was a long time employee at the Roper Stove Manufacturing plant in Kankakee, IL.

Survivors include one Son; John Baker of Traverse City, MI, two Daughters and Sons-in-law; Diana (James) King of Herscher and Paula (Karl) Kruse of Herscher, eight grandchildren; Keith, Timothy and Leala Baker, Mary King, Kathleen Jaeger, Gregory and Ryan Kruse and Allyson Benoit. Also surviving are eight great grandchildren; Tessa Baker, Cora and Caden Jaeger, Robert, Ava, Mya and Mason Kruse and Brynn Benoit.

She was preceded in death by her parents, husband Paul and two Brothers John and Marcello Brantan.

A Memorial Visitation will be held from 10-11 AM Wednesday at St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church in Herscher followed by a funeral Mass at 11 AM officiated by Rev. Doug Hauber. Burial will be at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery in Elwood, IL. Memorials may be made to Harvest View Senoir Living Center or Kankakee Valley Hospice. Arrangements are by Schreffler Funeral Home, Kankakee Chapel.

Please sign her guestbook at schrefflerfuneralhomes.com

Cemetery Details

Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery

20953 W. Hoff Road
Elwood, IL 60421
(815) 423-9958
<http://www.cem.va.gov/cems/nchp/abrahamlincoln.asp>

Previous Events

Memorial Visitation

JUN 17. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church
207 E Fifth
Herscher, IL 60941

Memorial Mass

JUN 17. 11:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Marcella Baker*

February 03, 2023 at 04:30 AM



“ *She was always thinking of others. Her and Paul were good friends, and we miss them both. Our sympathy to their families. Harry & Shirley Mickelson*

Shirley Mickelson - June 17, 2015 at 12:51 PM



“ *Dewey Kilbride lit a candle in memory of Marcella Baker*



Dewey Kilbride - June 15, 2015 at 09:12 PM



“ *I have so many wonderful memories of my Aunt Marcie... It's hard to pick just one. Her energetic and one -of-a-kind spirit never ceased to amaze me. She was truly great at telling stories. Family meant everything to her.*

My Sympathy, prayers and love go out to all of her family.

I'm so sad not to be able to make it to her services, but very glad that I saw her two weeks ago when I was back in Illinois.

With Love.. Her Niece in Seattle

Jean Perry - June 15, 2015 at 06:19 PM

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“ *I have many pleasant memories of Mrs. Baker over the years. She was never without that warm and friendly smile. My sincerest condolences to her family.*

Carm Raspolich Fogt - June 15, 2015 at 02:32 PM



“ *Marcie and Paul were two of my favorite people. When I joined the Limestone Fire Department 33 years ago they were instant friends. Through the years we enjoyed many good times and a few sad ones. But Marcie always smiled. Thoughts and prayers for her and all her family.*

Steve McCabe - June 15, 2015 at 02:31 PM