



Helen Madden

February 3, 1913 - May 28, 2008

Helen B. Madden age 95 of Dixon died Wed. May 28, 2008 at KSB Hospital. She was born Feb. 3, 1913 in Bureau County, IL the daughter of Joseph and Anna (Cecil) Russell. She had been a cook at White Pines State Park, the Rainbow Inn and had also worked at Admiral Corp, KSB Hospital, Lee County Nursing Home, and then was a lunch room supervisor at Jefferson School, where she was known as "Grandma", for 15 years prior to her retirement. She was a member of St. Patrick Catholic Church, NAIM and the Rosary group at St. Patricks.

She married William Alvie Madden and he preceded her in death July of 1998. She is survived by daughters Katherine Bertling of Dixon, Vivian (Bernard) Halinski of Sun City Center, FL, Donna Mae Thomas of Portland, OR, Marlyn Fralick of Boscobel, WI, Carol (Joe) Jauregui of Ft.Wayne, IN, Judy (Karl) Olsen of Machesney Park, IL, numerous grandchildren, great grandchildren and great great grand children. and 1 brother Harold (Lois) Russell of Mission, TX.

She was preceded in death by 2 daughters Theresa Wuertz and Karen Buckman, 2 sons Joseph and Cecil Buckman. 3 brothers Leo, Clyde, and Merle Russell, 6 sisters Joan Gann, Marcella Gilbert, Doris Heckman, Dorothy Buckman, Genevieve Russell and Geraldine Gatz.

Funeral Services will be held on Saturday May 31, 2008 beginning with a 9:00 AM prayer service at the Jones Funeral Home followed by a 9:30 AM Mass of Christian Burial at St. Patrick Catholic Church with the Rev. James Keenan

pastor officiating. Burial will follow in Chapel Hill Memorial Park in Dixon. Visitation will be on Friday from 2:00 to 8:00 PM with a scripture service at 7:30 PM in the funeral home. A memorial has been established.

Tribute Wall



“ *Helen Madden*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Helen Madden*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *She is and always has been one of the nicest LADIES I have known. I admire her strength, wisdom and perserverence through out her years here on this earth. I know without a doubt that the Angels of Heaven are shouting with much Joy and opening arms wide to welcome her to glory. I will cherish her memory in my heart and mind all my days. Her immediate family should feel blessed for the years that she gave them.**

LaVonne Taylor - May 28, 2008 at 12:00 AM