



## Laura Pauline Mahan

December 10, 1926 - September 8, 2013

Laura P. Mahan, age 86, of Dixon, died Sunday Sept. 8, 2013 at KSB Hospital in Dixon. She was born Dec. 10, 1926 in Sterling, the daughter of Paul and Nina (Vittorio) Vittori.

She was employed by GE in Morrison during World War II. She and her husband had owned Jim's Place in Amboy (currently the Long Branch Saloon) from 1963-1968. She had also worked at Borg Warner, Sauk Valley Vendors, and Heritage Square prior to her retirement.

She had been the housekeeper at St. Patrick's Rectory in Dixon for many years.

She was a member of St. Patrick Catholic Church in Dixon, a volunteer for KSB Hospice, and was a foster grandparent at St. Mary's School.

Laura married James L. Mahan in Sterling July 10, 1954.

He preceded her in death March 4, 1986. She was also preceded in death by 1 sister Mary Ripley; 4 brothers Harry, Lucian, Alio and John Vittori.

Survivors include her children Patricia McConnaughay of Kentucky, Donna (Dennis) McCoy, Daniel (Roxanne) Mahan, and Mary (Greg) Deatherage all of Dixon; 8 grandchildren Babette O'Reilly, Douglas McConnaughay, Michael McCoy, Nicholas Mahan, Travis Deatherage, Alexandria Mahan, Nathan McCoy and Evanne Deatherage; 3 great-grandchildren Tony, Cohen, and Sophia O'Reilly; 1 sister Barbara Boos of Dixon; many nieces and nephews.

Mass of Christian Burial will be on Thursday, September 12, 2013 at 11:30 AM at St Anne Catholic Church in Dixon with the Rev. Michael Morrissey

officiating. Burial of cremains will follow in Oakwood Cemetery in Dixon. Visitation will be on Wednesday, September 11 from 5:00 until 8:00 PM at the Jones Funeral Home in Dixon with the Rosary recited at 7:30 PM. A memorial has been established to St Anne Catholic School in Dixon.

# Cemetery Details

## Oakwood

416 S Dement Ave  
Dixon, IL 61021

# Previous Events

## Visitation

SEP **11**. 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Jones Funeral Home, Dixon  
204 South Ottawa  
Dixon, IL 61021  
Ph: 815-288-2241  
[info@thejonesfh.com](mailto:info@thejonesfh.com)  
<https://www.thejonesfh.com>

## Service

SEP **12**. 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM (CT)

St. Anne Catholic Church  
1104 N Brinton Ave  
Dixon, IL 61021  
(815) 288-3131  
[http://www.stanneschooldixon.org/st\\_anne\\_parish.htm](http://www.stanneschooldixon.org/st_anne_parish.htm)

# Tribute Wall



“ *Laura Pauline Mahan*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



“ *Laura Pauline Mahan*

December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM



“ *Mrs Mahan you raised a great family. Some of the best people on earth.*

**Rudy Rutherford** - September 12, 2013 at 10:44 PM



“ *Secret Garden Basket was purchased for the family of Laura Pauline Mahan.*



September 11, 2013 at 01:37 PM



“ *I love you mom. Thank you for all the love you gave me thru this life. -----there are no endings, only discoveries----Patty Mahan McConnaughay*

**patty mcconnaughay** - September 09, 2013 at 07:44 PM

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“ *Mary and Greg,  
Jan and I want to express our heartfelt sympathy at the passing of  
Mrs. Mahan.  
I remember meeting her once a few years back; she impressed me  
as being quite an individual. I know that she was very close to both  
you and Greg.  
She will be in our prayers, as will you, Greg and the Mahan  
extended family.  
Ed and Jan Mulvaney*

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**Ed Mulvaney** - September 09, 2013 at 09:01 AM