



Marcella Dempsey

October 21, 1915 - September 3, 2007

Marcella K. Dempsey, age 91 of Dixon, died Monday September 3, 2007 in her home. She was born in Harmon, Illinois October 21, 1915 the daughter of Edward and Mary (Henry) O'Brien.

She was united in marriage to John J. Dempsey in Harmon on June 16, 1932. She was a member of St. Flannen Catholic Church in Harmon and the Ladies of the Moose. She loved to play bingo and cards with her friends and family. She was preceded in death by her husband June 23, 1971; 1 son William; 1 grandson; 1 great granddaughter; 3 sisters Mabel Geiger, Florence Mason and Mary Hansen; 3 brothers Joseph O'Brien, John O'Brien and Edward O'Brien.

She is survived by 2 sons John "Jack" (Sharon) Dempsey Jr. of Bullhead City, AZ, and Robert (Flores) Dempsey of Dixon; 3 daughters Patricia (Donald) Brown of Lena, Sally Earp of Rockford and Mary Jo (Thomas) Youngmark of Aurora; daughter-in-law Margaret Dempsey of Harmon; 19 grandchildren; 32 great grandchildren; 16 great great grandchildren; 3 sisters Hazel (Joe) Engle of Dixon, Elizabeth O'Brien of Prescott AZ, and Loretta Fasanella of North Ft. Myers FL; 1 brother Melvin "Pat" (Jean) O'Brien of Dixon.

Funeral services will be held on Thursday, September 6, 2007 beginning with a 9:45 AM prayer service in the Jones Funeral Home in Dixon followed by 10:30 AM Mass of Christian Burial at St. Flannen Catholic Church in Harmon with Rev. Carl Beekman, pastor, officiating. Burial will follow in Holy Cross Cemetery in Harmon. Visitation will be held on Wednesday, September 5,

from 2:00 until 8:00 PM in the funeral home with the rosary recited at 7:30 PM.
Memorials have been established to St. Flannen Church and St. Jude
Children's Hospital.

Tribute Wall



“ *Marcella Dempsey*

October 08, 2023 at 11:30 AM



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December 31, 2022 at 02:40 AM