



## Rose M. Bray

April 30, 1928 - October 31, 2014

VULCAN- Rose Marie Bray age 86 of Vulcan, died Friday, October 31, 2014 at NorthStar Medical Care Facility in Iron River, MI., after a recent illness.

She was born on April 30, 1928 in Niagara, WI, the daughter of the late John and Katherine (Grasian) Sartori.

Rose graduated from Vulcan High School in 1946 and married Henry Bray on September 22, 1950 in Escanaba, MI. He preceded her in death on June 27, 2013.

She worked as a beautician, homemaker and later worked for VISTA and as a family care giver for UPCAP.

Rose was a member of St. Barbara's Church in Vulcan.

She enjoyed tending to a large garden and flowers, always busy working in and around the home and seemed to be on her feet without end, taking care of whatever the moment required. She enjoyed cooking for her family and was a very good cook.

Rose always did her best in helping raise her five sons and taking care of the family. Work was something she would never shy away from, just staying busy

was her gratification in life. That same work ethic is what enticed her to provide care for the elderly in their homes by assisting them with daily chores or errands, which she did well into her seventies.

She will be greatly missed by her family, friends and all who knew her.

She is survived by her sons Steve Bray of Vulcan, Sam (Laurie) Bray of Waucesh Township, Sid (Margaret) Bray of Vulcan and Peter Bray of Loretto; grandchildren Terri (Joe) Bal of Norway; Travis (Rebecca) Bray of Birmingham, Leann Bray of Waucesh Township, Rachel (Jim Moreau) Bray of Bloomington, MN, Wyatt Bray of Appleton, WI and Isaac Bray of Vulcan; great grandchildren Stevie Ann Schultz and Fiona Bray; and several nieces and nephews.

Rose was preceded in death by her son Stanley Bray; her brothers Clarence and Raymond Sartori and three sisters Mary Scafasci, Ida Remondini and Esther Bray.

Private family services will be held.

Interment will be held at the Norway Township Cemetery.