



Violet E. Lorenzoni

February 13, 1925 - April 2, 2011

VIOLET LORENZONI VULCAN- Violet E. Lorenzoni age 86 of Vulcan, died Saturday, April 2, 2011 at Pinecrest Medical Care Facility in Powers, MI She was born on February 13, 1925 in Iron River, the daughter of the late Secondo and Yolanda (Bianchi) Giovanelli. Violet graduated from Vulcan High School in 1942. She worked as a secretary at Fort Sheridan in Chicago, during World War II. Violet married Leslie Lorenzoni on November 30, 1946 in St. Barbara's Church in Vulcan. He preceded her in death on January 24, 1977. She was a cook for the Vulcan Schools until she was 66 years old, retiring in 1991. Violet enjoyed playing cards, cooking for everyone, even all the people on the casino bus and loved spending time with her family. She is survived by her sons Louis (Deb) Lorenzoni of Vulcan and Robert (Lisa) Lorenzoni of Marinette; daughter Janice (Robert) Giannunzio of Vulcan; grandchildren Jon (Liz) Lorenzoni of Kingsford, Leslie (Mindi) Lorenzoni of Norway, Andrew (Audra) Lorenzoni of Nebraska, Tori (Ben Bailey) Lorenzoni of Virginia, Lewis Lorenzoni of Crystal Falls, and Mark Giannunzio of Manistique; 9 great grandchildren; brothers Louis (Judy) Orlor of Quinnesec and Francis Orlor of Iron Mountain; sisters-in-law Shirley Manicor of Vulcan, Lois Stupnig of Menominee and Lorraine Scott of West Palm Beach, FL; many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her brother Peter Orlor. Family will greet friends on Thursday, April 7 from 10-11 a.m. at St. Barbara's Church in Vulcan. A Memorial Mass will be celebrated on Thursday at 11 a.m. at St. Barbara's Church in Vulcan, with Fr. Timothy Ekaitis, presiding. Interment will

be held at the Norway Township Cemetery.

Tribute Wall

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“ Bob, Lou, Jan & the rest of the family, you have my deepest sympathy on the loss of Violet. She was one outstanding lady, and oh voy what a cook !!!!! Had the opportunity to be on a couple casino busses with her & she always had goodies for everyone. Fond memories of her & Les when Bob, Lou & a few of us "car enthusiasts" would be talking. Especially about the Buick 454 with dual quads & Vi just shaking her head at how pumped up we were on that stuff. Vi always treated everyone (even us young punks) with respect, care & giving. Vi will definitely be missed, but there is comfort for the family to know that she is once again with Les & they are both looking down & watching over you. God Bless you Vi.

Terry Mott - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

RW

“ Violet was a great lady, how blessed you were to have had her as a mother and grandmother. She certainly was a blessing to Russ during the short time they knew each other. Our deepest sympathy. Russ and Peggy Watt

Russell and Peggy Watt - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WR

“ My deepest sympathy to Bob, Janice, Lou, and the rest pf the family. I echo the kind words, already said, will be said, and said only in the minds of so many. I met Vi, many years ago, during a cherished part of my life. Thank you Bob, for introducing me to your family , and letting me in. Vi fed me many times, it was her mission to fatten me up. She said I had to try her spaghetti with tuna, an old Italian receipt. I thought she was crazy. I am part Italian, it rang no bells, it was fabulous!! I will always have warm thoughts about Vi, a wonderful, wife, mom, and grandma. Good bye, your in very good hands now.

Wayne Rostagno - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PR

“ I AM VARY SORRY IN HEARING THE NEWS OF YOUR MOTHERS PASSING. THE LAST FEW MONTHS I BEEN WORKING NITE AND DRIVE BY THE HOUSE AND THINK OF THE TIMES BOB HER SON AND I SENT WITH HER SO MANY YEARS AGO. PLAYING SMEAR WITH HER FATHER AND MOTHER. FIVE HAND AND SIX HAND. IT WAS GOOD TIMES. SHE WAS A GREAT COOK AS I HAD MANY TREATS SHE WOULD OFFER TO US BOYS. AS I SAID BOB , LOUIE AND JAN MY PRAYS GO OUT TO YOU MAY SHE REST IN PEACE. AND NOW SHE WILL BE WITH HER HUSBAND FOR EVER

patrick rosatti - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

AI

“ Bob and Lew . .sorry to hear of the loss of your mother and grandmother. She was a wonderful lady and one of the BEST cooks the Norway school system ever had and she always had a smile on her face! You are all in my thoughts and prayers during this difficult time, cherish all the wonderful memories you have of her.

Amy Orn - Danielson Insurance Agency Inc. - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JG

“ Violet E. Lorenzoni will surely be missed. Her daughter Jan, husband Bob (my brother) and son Mark Giannunzio spent a lot of time with her when she was not doing well. Living in Seattle I would only see her every few years but she was always a joy to be around. She made the best dinners and loved it when we liked them and we always did. Her laugh was infectious. A couple of years ago we played a practical joke on her. Of course not seeing me for a few years, I covered my face as Bob and Jan sent me in the house to say my car was broken down on the highway and asked to use her phone. She was so nice...I yelled to her if it was OK if I made a long distance call to Oregon on her phone. She said go ahead and showed how kind of a person she was to a complete stranger. Bob and Jan came in laughing and so did she. Violet thought it was a great practical joke. Playing cards with her was so much fun. We laughed more than we played and she loved it. She was a treasure on this earth and will never be forgotten. Joe Giannunzio

Joe Giannunzio - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

GS

“ Louis, Bob and Janice. Jon's wife Liz notified us of how ill your mom was, and then of her passing. We are so sorry to hear this. You have our deepest sympathy. She was a great lady and I'm sure she will be missed by all who knew her and loved her. Especially those who were lucky enough to have eaten some of her wonderful cooking. Our thoughts are with you and the whole family at this time of grief.

Gene and Marge Schiavo - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KB

“ So sorry to hear about Mrs. Lorenzoni. She was a wonderful lady. She made the best lunches (especially her ravioli) for us as kids and she always made me smile. Your family is in my thoughts and prayers.

Karen (Giuliani) Bishop - January 30, 2015 at 12:00 AM