



Mary M. Hawley

January 19, 1926 - December 21, 2013

ADRIAN – Mary M. Hawley, age 87 of Onsted, passed away Saturday, December 21, 2013 at St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Ann Arbor.

She was born in Holloway, Michigan on January 19, 1926 to Joseph and Olive (Upell) Brosamer. Mary graduated from Blissfield High School and attended nursing school at St. Vincent's in Toledo.

On May 27, 1947 Mary was united in marriage to Max Hawley at St. Alphonsus Catholic Church in Deerfield and they celebrated 48 years of marriage prior to his death in 1995.

In 1986 Mary retired from Peerless Gear where she had worked for 20 years. She was a member of St. Joseph Shrine Catholic Church. Mary was also a member of the Eagles and a life member of the VFW.

She is survived by a brother, Bernard Brosamer of Adrian and many nieces and nephews. Also surviving is a very special caregiver, Susan Smith.

In addition to her husband, she was preceded in death by four brothers, Roy, Harold, Raymond and Donald and a sister, Helen Forsyth.

A Memorial Mass will take place at 10:30 a.m., Saturday, January 4, 2013, at St. Joseph Catholic Church in Adrian with Rev. David Hudgins presiding.

Burial will be private at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery.

Contributions in memory of Mary may be made to St. Joseph Catholic Church.

Arrangements have been entrusted to Wagley Funeral Home where online condolences and memories may be shared at

www.WagleyFuneralHome.com.

Previous Events

Service

JAN 4. 10:30 AM (ET)

St. Joseph Catholic Church
415 Ormsby Street
Adrian, MI

Tribute Wall



“ *Mary M. Hawley*

January 28, 2023 at 12:24 PM



“ *I worked with Mary for several years at Peerless Gear. It was she and I on the right angle drive assembly line. One day she didn't show up for work and I didn't know how to do the simple math my time card required because Mary always did it for me. Not long thereafter, I quit the factory and started on a journey of self exploration and self improvement that landed me in the positions of a top rated insurance agent, a corporate buyer and ultimately 30 years in TV and radio broadcasting for stations in top 10 markets and ABC radio. Through it all, Mary remained my dear friend and I mourn her passing albeit 7 years after her death which I just googled. Ain't the internet amazing. Mary was too, God Bless her memory and Bud's. Hal Lamb*

Hal Lamb - September 29, 2020 at 02:22 PM



“ *Mary was such strong caring women I spent the last few months everyday with her she always made me laugh she never complained no matter how bad she felt she always told me she wished I had a nice brother like her brother Bern I will miss your quiet strength and your wonderful sense of humor you touched my live in so many ways*

susan smith - January 03, 2014 at 06:15 PM

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“ *The VFW Ladies Auxiliary send our deepest sympathy to Mary's family. She was a life time Member for almost 50 years. She will be missed. Rest in Peace Mary. May God give comfort to the family! VFW Ladies Auxiliary Post 1584 Adrian.*

Joy Dumire - December 30, 2013 at 12:28 PM

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“ *Mary was one of the most precious people to come into our lives. Mary and our father Gene Friday were great companions after loosing her husband Bud and our mother Phyllis. They spent a lot of time with trips to the casinos and spending time at the eagles and vfw clubs for many years until their healths failed. We have always loved her dearly and will never forget how she touched our lives. She was an angel! M, S, P*

peggy - December 23, 2013 at 08:42 PM