



Betty L. Cherico

March 20, 1927 - February 20, 2011

Betty L. Cherico, 83, of Jefferson Street, Callensburg, died unexpectedly Sunday, February 20, 2011, at the DuBois Regional Medical Center following a short illness.

Born March 20, 1927, in Shippenville, she was the daughter of the late Nelson and Priscilla Eiseman Karg.

She worked for the Owens-Illinois Glass Plant for 30 years, retiring in 1991.

Mrs. Cherico was a member of the Immaculate Conception Church in Clarion.

She was a former member of the Clarion VFW Women's Auxiliary.

Mrs. Cherico was an avid bowler and enjoyed gardening and spending time with her family.

She is survived by two children, Deborah A. Ferringer and her husband, Ken, of Parker; and Richard T. Cherico and his wife, Regina, of Brookville; nine grandchildren; and several great grandchildren.

Also surviving are six siblings, Norma Zacheral of Oil City; Theresa Pierucci and her husband, Loreno, of Sligo; Joanne Songer and her husband, Carl, of Shippenville; Judy Springer of Chicago, IL; Cathy Appleton and her husband, Dick, of DE; and Constance Karg of Allentown; and a sister-in-law, Marge Karg of Fryburg.

In addition to her parents, she was preceded in death by one brother, Donald Leo "Pap" Karg and an infant grandchild.

Family will receive friends from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, February 22, 2011, at the Robert V. Burns Funeral Home, 638 Wood Street,

Clarion.

Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, February 23, 2011, in the Immaculate Conception Church in Clarion with Father William McGuirk, relative of family, presiding.

Interment will be held in the St. Michael's Cemetery in Fryburg.

Memorials and donations can be made to Charitable Deeds, 98 Hickory Nut Lane, Knox, PA 16232.

Tribute Wall

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“ Rick and Debbie, please accept my sincere condolences upon the loss of your mother. She made lasting memories for all of us as young adults and throughout the years. She loved a good joke but was strick in her attention to details. I will never forget her. Steve Porter

Steve Porter - February 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ To the Cherico Family,

We were deeply saddened by the news about the passing of Grandma Betty. We are so very sorry. She was a wonderful woman who taught us a number of great life lessons. It's a comforting thought that one day, many years years from now, we'll see her happy, healthy and with a smile on her face in heaven.

Always remember that you are in our thoughts and prayers.

May God bless the Cherico Family during this time and always.

*Love,
The Slaughenhoup Family*

The Slaughenhoup Family - February 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Deb and family, you have our deepest sympathy with the loss of your Mom! Callensburg will not be the same without her there. I know Jordan enjoyed their visits when he would be up to help her with the yard work, I think they talked more than he worked! We both loved seeing and talking with her after church. She was such a Sweet Lady. We are sorry we are unable to come to the funeral home due to a choir concert tonight. You are in our thoughts and prayers! Frank, Dotti, Megan and Jordan Whitmer*

Dotti Whitmer - February 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MC

“ *To the Cherico family, my deepest condolences. Betty was my good friend and coworker, we will miss you. You made this world a better place.*

Minnie Colwell - February 22, 2011 at 12:00 AM