



Maryann C. Speer

August 29, 1921 - June 25, 2011

Maryann C. Speer, 89, of 16 East 8th Avenue, Clarion, died Saturday, June 25, 2011, at the Clarion Hospital.

Born August 29, 1921, in Clarion, she was the daughter of the late Clinton V. and Manila May McMillan Clark.

She was married on September 25, 1948 to Albert T. Speer, who preceded her in death on March 24, 1989.

Mrs. Speer worked as a payroll clerk at the Clarion State College. She retired as supervisor at the PA Department of Welfare in Clarion.

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

She was also a member of the American Legion Post #66 Women's Axillary, Immaculate Conception Ladies Guild, Pennsylvania State Employees Credit Union, and was a volunteer at Clarion Hospital.

Mrs. Speer enjoyed gardening, quilting, playing Bingo, collecting antiques, and going to yard sales with her sister.

She is survived by her five children, David M. Speer and his wife, Barb, of

Clarion; E. Ann Speer of Clarion; Kevin L. Speer and his wife, Carol, of Brookville; Dennis C. Speer and his wife, Karen, of Clarion; and Kathy Heims and her husband, David, of Bessemer; and seven grandchildren, Katelin, Mackenzie, Jill, Brodie, Cameron, Allison, and Lisa.

She was the leader of "The Secret Six"; and she is survived by the "Fabulous Five", Jane Kinkead and her husband, Charles, of Apollo; Nancy Hess of Jacksonville, FL; Shirley McNamara and her husband, Jack, of DeLand, FL; Rose Marie Clark of Clarion; and Maureen Clark on Monroeville.

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by three brothers, Vincent Clark, Joseph Clark, and Thomas Clark, and an infant sister, Anastacia.

Visitation will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, June 28, 2011, at the Robert V. Burns Funeral Home, 638 Wood Street, Clarion.

Christian Wake service will be held at 8:30 p.m. on Tuesday, June 28, 2011, in the funeral home.

Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, June 29, 2011, at the Immaculate Conception Church in Clarion with Rev. Monty Sayers, pastor of the Immaculate Conception Church, presiding.

Interment will be held in the Immaculate Conception Cemetery.

Memorials and donations can be made to the Immaculate Conception Church, 720 Liberty Street, Clarion PA 16214; or the Immaculate Conception School, 729 E Main Street, Clarion PA 16214.

Tribute Wall

DF

“ So sorry to hear of your loss. My prayers are with you.

Dee Wolbert Fry - June 29, 2011 at 12:00 AM

JL

“ Just wanted to let you know I'm sorry for the death of your mother.

Jerry Lutz - June 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CS

“ My thoughts and prayers go out to your family at this time. May your Mother rest in peace.

Carla Ragley Smith - June 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

CA

“ Our sympathy to all of the family. Cathy Kahle and Alexis Appleby

Cathy Kahle Appleby - June 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MB

“ i will always rember sis as rose always called her she was a loving and caring person who i got to know from playing bingo my condolence to the family especially cam ally and lisa who will miss thier grandma very much

millie brewer - June 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

PS

“ Just wanted to let you know you are in my prayers and thoughts at this difficult time. Love, Patty

Patty Stroupe - June 28, 2011 at 12:00 AM

RE

“ Dave,
So sorry to hear about the loss of your mother. I am thinking of you,
Barb and the girls.
Much love and prayers
Renee

Renee - June 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM

MT

“ I'm so sorry for your loss. When I think of Maryann, I'll remember
her Saturday mornings with Ann, having breakfast and doing
crossword puzzles. She had a wonderful sense of humor and I'll
miss her.

Mary Thomas - June 27, 2011 at 12:00 AM