



Mildred Sheila Woodward Kavanaugh

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Dateline Jasper, IN Mildred Sheila Woodward Kavanaugh, age 96, of Jasper, Indiana passed away at 11:00 a.m. on Friday (March 7, 2014) at Memorial Hospital and Health Care Center in Jasper, Indiana after a brief illness.

Mildred was born on December 1, 1917, in Birdseye, Indiana to William Robert and Mary Pearl (Newton) Woodward. She married Paul Michael Kavanaugh on November 27, 1939, in Jasper, Indiana. He preceded her in death on February 23, 1989. She was a homemaker and member of the Jasper High School class of 1935, the Bainbridge Home Economics Club, Grandmothers Club, Jasper Daughters of Isabella, VFW Women's Auxiliary, St. Ann's Society of Saint Joseph's Catholic Church, and was an active participant and senior member of The Singing Seniors.

Mildred was known for her lightning sharp wit; she enjoyed working the daily crossword puzzles in ink, which she did every morning!

Surviving,

Three daughters,

Beatrice Susan Gabbert, Jasper, IN

Marlene Claire Deters, and her husband, Ken, Robinson, IL

Margaret Anne Meyer, and her husband, Michael, Huntingburg, IN

Six sons,

Paul Patrick Kavanaugh, and his wife, Sally, Surprise, AZ

William Raymond Kavanaugh, and his wife, Paula, Glen Ellyn, IL

David Wayne Kavanaugh, Chicago, Illinois

Timothy Edward Kavanaugh, and his wife, Ann, Kansas City, MO

Michael John Kavanaugh, Birdseye, IN

Gregory Brian Kavanaugh, and his wife, Janice, Glencoe, IL

13 Grandchildren

22 Great grandchildren

Four Great great grandchildren Preceding Mildred in death besides her husband are two brothers, Kyle and Sylvan Woodward and three half-sisters, Connie Byrd, Blanche Woodward, and Kathleen Delaney. Funeral services for Mildred Sheila Woodward Kavanaugh will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Tuesday (March 11, 2014) at St. Joseph's Catholic Church with burial to follow in Fairview Cemetery. Friends may call from 4:00-7:00 p.m. on Monday (March 10, 2014) at the Becher-Kluesner Downtown Chapel in Jasper. The Jasper D of I and St. Ann's Society will pray a rosary at 3:45 p.m. at the funeral home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be made to the Wounded Warrior Project at <http://www.woundedwarriorproject.org>. Online condolences may be made at www.becherkluesner.com.

Tribute Wall



“ *Mildred Sheila Woodward Kavanaugh*

January 01, 2023 at 10:54 AM



“ *Dear Pat and all the family! Sorry to learn of your mother's passing. She is now resting in heavenly peace; and may each of you treasure many memories knowing they remain the link now to your loving and gracious mom. Prayerful remembrances, Sr. Judy*

Sister Judith Bell, FSM - March 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *pat, sorry to hear the passing of your mother.i send my sincere condolences to you and your family. class mate of 1958! jim vonderheit*

jim vonderheit - March 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM



“ *Hi David and Cavanaugh family. I was very saddened to hear about the loss of your mother David. She lived a full life. She is very fortunate to have a great son like you. We send our condolences to you and your family. Our prayers and thoughts are with you and your family. Best
Shaila*

Shaila B. - March 10, 2014 at 12:00 AM

JH

“ *Bill and Paula, We just got home Saturday night and received a voice mail from my brother Larry about Mildred's death on Friday. We send our sincere condolences. She was quite a tough lady. I always admired her strength, wit, and wisdom. Our thoughts are with you,
Jim & Terry*

Jim & Terry Hopf - March 09, 2014 at 12:00 AM

SH

“ *Cavanaugh Family, I'm sorry to read of the passing of your mother. We were neighbors back in the day. Hi Pat, and my aunt Markie Hoffman and Mildred were good friends. I've often wondered how Mildred was doing, as I wanted to send her a card, but didn't know where to send it. She's at peace visiting with her friends and family who went before her. My mother Helen, passed in 2005. Prayers and sympathy, RIP Mildred. Sarah Berger Humphrey Muncie IN*

Sarah Berger Humphrey - March 09, 2014 at 12:00 AM