



Colette Rita Hornung

December 28, 1917 - September 25, 2008

Hornung, Colette R. age 89 Born December 28, 1917 in Mishawaka, IN Died September 25th , 2008

Loving wife of the Late Frank T. Hornung. Beloved mother of Thomas Susan Hornung, Carolyn Wenner, Jerry Barbara Hornung, Robert Catherine Hornung, Christine James Russo, Kenneth Dona Hornung, Ronald Cynthia Hornung, Theodore Hornung, Mary Kevin Noel and Jean Brent Starr Hornung-Starr. Dear Sister of Albert June Gerstbauer and George Resnik, Isabelle Seymour, Mildred Shamo and Peggy Gerstbauer. Pre Deceased by Brothers Fabian Velma Gerstbauer, Fr. James Gerstbauer, Joseph Irma Gerstbauer, Richard Gerstbauer and Sisters Angela George Cressy and Regina Resnik. Proud Grandmother of 30 grandchildren, 33 great grandchildren and 3 great great grandchildren she is predeceased by 1 grandchild. Colette's prime interest was her family, she actively supported Frank's Involvement with St. Vincent De Paul Society and enjoyed gardening, music and dance, she worked many years as election inspector, she also enjoyed skip-bo and traveling, visiting a myriad of friends from coast to coast. Visitation Sunday and Monday 2-8 p.m. at the

Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, Royal Oak, MI. Funeral Service Tuesday at St. Dennis Catholic Church, Royal Oak, MI Times Pending. Memorial Contributions to St. Anne Mead. Share your memories at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com

Tribute Wall

JS

“ It is so hard to say goodbye or farewell or even "see you later." Although Aunt Colette is leaving us for now, she is welcomed with open arms by so many family and friends who have been waiting to bring her home to God. All of our love, Jeannie & Nick Stouder
Granddaughter of Joe & Irma Gerstbauer

Jeannie Stouder - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LW

“ Our thoughts are with your family today. Lisa Betty Mills's daughter

Lisa Mills Walters - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BA

“ Deb & I extend our sympathies to all of Aunt Colette's family. I'm sure she and Uncle Frank are already talking about all the trips and great times they had down here. They are probably gathering up some opponents for a game of skip-bo as we speak. God Bless

Bob & Deb Andrews - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ We'd like to extend our sympathies to the Hornung family. Aunt Colette was one of our favorites because she was so talkative and had such a bubbly personality & joy for life. We're sure that she and Uncle Frank are "up there" sharing some laughs, drinks, and card games with Bertilla and Jim Andrews.

Pat Andrews & Dave Myers - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

SR

“ *Life is changed- not taken away. May the treasure of memories that you shared bring you comfort and peace.*

Sam & Vera Russo - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PM

“ *It's so unfortunate that we all have to leave our loved ones, friends, hopes and dreams in this life. Yet given this, there could be nothing better, for those of us left behind, that such a fine, good person leaves so much of herself as a gift to this world, a gift that is also beautiful and wonderful. I think of all the Hornung clan, a wave of the wonderful and good, forever more spreading kindness and care, love and joy, spreading the best of life throughout this life, and I can only smile for her, smile for this so-much-better world, and know she is smiling too. Perhaps in one sense Colette is no longer herself flowering here, but forever more she is and has rooted and nourished a huge field of flowering goodness that will live on and beautify this world forever. That is greatness, and that is her smiling gift of love to the rest of us. How could we not be happy for her, and how could she herself not be happy in her love for us, in her great gift to the rest of us, to the world she has graced so well in the time of her blossoming here?*

Patrick McManus - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

EH

“ *I have never forgotten my dad John Peteyour Dad's brother telling me about the time he was having supper with your family. Then a baseball came flying through the window and landed in the middle of a bowl of mashed potatoes. Your mom clamily picked it out, scooped out target area, then went back to fixing the balance of the meal.A good example of the strong and loving mom and wife she was. Im sure Uncle Hunk was happy to have her join him. God Bless, Eddie as I was called by your mom*

Ed Hornung - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

BY

“ Our sincere condolences to all the family. May God Bless you all and take care of you in this time of need.

Bob & Cathy Yeomans - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JN

“ In memory of our "Park Grandma" : Memories of playing the organ in the front room, helping to set up the nativity scene, peonies and money plants, bumper pool in the basement, Sunday morning church, building forts under the kitchen table and of course, begging for just ONE more game of Skip-bo!! Thank you Great Grandma.

Jaclynn Hornung Navarre - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ The earth sparkles a little less now, but the heaven's rejoice. What a tremendous legacy your dear Mom and Uncle Frank left ~ they live on in each of you and yours..... Steve and I will see you all in a couple of days. God bless you.

Jennifer Cressy Deane - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

LG

“ Dear Aunt Colette is with the Angels, surrounded by Uncle Frank and all her Brothers & Sisters now. She is in good hands. My sincere sympathies to all my wonderful Cousins. I will see you in a couple days. love & prayers, Lou Ann Gerstbauer-Prikosovich & Frank Prikosovich

Lou Ann Gerstbauer - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM