

Alice F. Kubacki, age 92 of Manistee, Michigan, died peacefully early Saturday morning, December 31, 2011 at the Manistee County Medical Care Facility. She was born March 7, 1919 in Manistee, Michigan daughter of the late Stanley and Frances (Chycinski) Nowak. She was a graduate of Manistee High School with the class of 1937. Alice married Edward P. Kubacki on August 30, 1947 at Saint Joseph Catholic Church in Manistee. He preceded her in death on April 8, 1963.

She was very proud of her granddaughters and was supportive and active in all of their school and college activities, while they were growing up. She was a dedicated supporter of Manistee Catholic Central School. She especially enjoyed being a member of Olga Gielczyk's paczki crew for many years. Alice was an avid reader, enjoyed doing word puzzles and was an accomplished cook and baker. She was a member of Saint Joseph Catholic Church and the Saint Joseph Altar Society.

She is survived by her daughter Karen K. Daly of Fountain, MI, two sons and a daughter in-law, Paul E. Kubacki and his fiancée Julie Perry and Michael A. and Roselie Kubacki all of Manistee, MI, her brother Jerome C. Nowak of Manistee, MI, two granddaughters, Angela and Dr. Andrew Cochrane of Guildford, England and Jennifer "Jenny" Kubacki of Manistee, MI, two great grandchildren, Trinity and Oscar Cochrane both of Guildford, England, three sisters in-law and one brother in-law, Carlene Nowak of Manistee, MI, Carol and Patrick Glocheski of Banning, California and Dolores Kubacki of Manistee, MI. Numerous nieces and nephews also survive her.

She was also preceded in death by her son Robert A. Kubacki, her son in-law Thomas Daly, her daughter in-law Marianne (Toczynski) Kubacki, her sister Gertrude Nowak, two brothers and a sister in-law, Ervin Nowak and Al and Reggie Nowak, her sisters in-law and brothers in-law, Clara and Frank Newman, Leona and Warren Heuer and by her brother in-law, Raymond Kubacki.

Mass from The Order of Christian Funerals will be celebrated Thursday, January 5, 2012 at 11:00 AM at Saint Joseph Catholic Church in Manistee with Reverend Sylvestre Obwaka celebrant. Burial will follow at Mount Carmel Cemetery also in Manistee.

Relatives and friends will pray the Evening Vigil Service at 8:00 PM on Wednesday evening at the Herbert Funeral Home in Manistee, where friends may begin calling on Wednesday afternoon after 2:00 PM. The family will be at the funeral home on Wednesday from 2:00 to 4:00 PM and 7:00 to 9:00 PM to receive friends.

Memorials will be established in Alice's name for Manistee Catholic Central Schools, Saint Joseph Catholic Church, and the Manistee County Medical Care Facility. Envelopes are available at the funeral home.

Her children and brother, gratefully acknowledge the staff and employees of the Manistee County Medical Care Facility for their kind and professional care extended to our mother and sister while she was a patient at the facility.

The Herbert Funeral Home of Manistee is in charge of funeral arrangements.