



Stella M. Shunta

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Mrs. Stella M. Shunta, age 95 passed away late Sunday afternoon at the Harbor Hospice-Poppen House following a brief illness. Stella was born on December 26, 1912 in Logansport, IN the 3rd of 7 children to Victor and Marcella (Megis) Macheta. As a young lady, the family moved to Muskegon. She married Mr. Rudolph V. Shunta in Sacred Heart Catholic Church on February 5, 1938. Rudy preceded her in death on June 27, 1995. Stella was a devoted member of Sacred Heart Catholic Church. She was a member of the Altar Society, volunteered for the food pantry and served on the lunch committee for many years. Stella is survived by: three loving sons, Rudolph C. (Judy) Shunta, Richard F. (Norma) Shunta both of N. Muskegon and Daniel R. (Pam) Shunta of Twin Lake; five grandchildren, Sue, Greg, Lynnea, Mandy and Michael and great-grandson, Ryan. The Mass of Christian Burial will be held at, Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 11:00 A.M. Thursday, June 5, 2008, Fr. Thomas J. Brown presiding. Visitation with the family will be held at: The Lee Chapel, Sytsema Funeral Homes, Inc. 6291 S. Harvey St. 231-798-1100 Wednesday, 6-8 P.M. with the Rosary prayed at 6:30 P.M. She will be laid to rest in St. Mary's Cemetery. Memorial contributions: Sacred Heart Catholic Church or Harbor Hospice.



Events

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Visitation

 **Wednesday**, June 4, 2008

 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM ET

 **Sytsema Funeral & Cremation Services - The Lee Chapel**

6291 Harvey St., Norton Shores MI 49444





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Anonymous posted:

I was so sorry to hear about Aunt Stella's death. She was a kind and gentle person. She, along with all the aunts and uncles, played such a memorable part in our family picnics, holidays and miscellaneous family gatherings. I remember distinctly that she brought LIME kool aid to a picnic. It was green, exotic and made my day! I enjoyed visiting with Aunt Stella the last time I was in town and walked away not only with a very delicious scone recipe, but a handful of dishtowels that she had made. I cry for your loss, and, at the same time, am so proud to have been part of such a remarkable family. Blessings to you Rudy, Richard, Danny and your families. My prayers are with you.##imported-begin##Linda Tuxbury##imported-end##

June 6 at 4:43 PM



Anonymous posted:

I was deeply saddened to hear of our beloved Aunt Stella's passing. She brought joy to the lives of all who knew her. Aunt Stella lived her faith every day. She always spoke kindly about others. I have always admired her cheerful and positive attitude. I enjoyed my visit with her last December. She proudly showed me her newest family photos. She absolutely loved the family scrapbook Pam made for her. Aunt Stella and my mom sure enjoyed volunteering at Sacred Heart. I remember them laughing and talking together; I cherish that memory. Heaven is now blessed with a graceful spirit, a giving heart, and a beautiful soul. Another angel has earned her wings!##imported-begin##Colleen Shunta##imported-end##

June 6 at 3:59 PM



Anonymous posted:

I am deeply sorry for your loss of Stella. She was a very loving and happy person who shared her happiness and love during a long life. I can remember how much she enjoyed visiting with relatives during our numerous family picnics on Muskegon Lake and Lake Michigan. She was always ready with a smile and an upbeat attitude. She treated me well and I was always happy to see her. Above all, she loved her family and took pleasure in their big accomplishments and in the simple interests. She took great care of uncle Rudy and they showed all of us a loving and devoted relationship. She was a good thing in my life and I feel lucky to have had her as an aunt. Best wishes to the family.##imported-begin##Wally Herrala##imported-end##

June 4 at 1:40 PM



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Anonymous posted:

We send our sincere sympathy to your family. Remember that we are here to support you in your time of loss today, and for as long as you need us. The Staff of Harbor Hospice##imported-begin##Poppen Hospice Staff##imported-end##

June 4 at 6:11 AM



Anonymous posted:

Dan and the rest of the Shunta Family, You are in my thoughts and prayers. I pray that you have joyous thoughts of her when times are tough.....Ted Olech Bus Driver GHAPS Bus #25##imported-begin##Ted Olech##imported-end##

June 4 at 5:53 AM



Anonymous posted:

Dear Rudy, Dick, Dan, and families Aunt Stella and Uncle Rudy will always be in my thoughts and prayers. I so enjoyed the recent road trips, courtesy of Mark, so that the folks could visit. My mom will miss her pen pal. My thoughts return to the many vacations when we cousins would all troop down the street from Gramp's house to yours. We were always made to feel so welcome. Your mom was an amazing lady and I will remember her always.##imported-begin##Sandy Burian##imported-end##

June 3 at 12:49 PM



Anonymous posted:

My deepest Sympathy for your loss. Thanks Dan for calling me on Sunday, I was able to visit her at the Sherm Poppen home. I am also sorry that I will be out of town on Wednesday and Thursday. I would have cancelled it but I need 8 credits to keep my license and they must be done by June 30, and this is the last time the seminars are given. I sure had fun when we all would go to Chicago on our little trips. Stella and my mom would talk the whole way down. I learned a lot of things by listening to them. Both always talked about what their kids were doing, the church stuff, etc.... I am going to miss her she was one of my favorite aunts. Mark##imported-begin##Mark Shunta##imported-end##

June 3 at 8:29 AM



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Anonymous posted:

To my Dear Aunt Stella, you will be missed! You and Uncle Rudy can now share paradise together forever. I am so glad that you were able to see our son Noah. I will always cherish the memory of him sitting on your lap in your living room. The smile you brought to his face will be with Meenu and I forever. May God bless you and keep you safe, and let all the angels sing your praise this day. Love always, Meenu, Noah and Rodney Shunta family...##imported-begin##Rodney and Meenu Shunta##imported-end##

June 2 at 10:06 PM



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