



Mary Eleanor Penno

June 30, 1927 - August 9, 2016

Mary Eleanor Penno, age 89, of Gravois Mills, passed away Tuesday, August 9, 2016, at her home. She was born June 30, 1927, in Prescott, Ontario, Canada, the daughter of the late George J. and Rose Christina (Colligan) Boyle.

She was united in marriage to Everett Penno, who preceded her in death.

Eleanor was employed with the State of Missouri for many years until her retirement.

She was a member of the St. Patrick Catholic Church in Laurie and the American Legion Women's Auxiliary.

Eleanor enjoyed spending her time playing cards and crocheting. She was an avid sports fan who loved watching tennis and her favorite baseball team, the St. Louis Cardinals.

She is survived by her son, Rick Penno and wife Joan of Gravois Mills, Missouri; daughter, Mary Catherine Penno of Wyoming; three grandchildren and a great-grandchild due to be born in September. In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by a grandson.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held at 11:00 a.m., Monday, August 15th, at the St. Patrick Catholic Church in Laurie. The family will receive friends from 10:00 to 11:00 a.m., Monday, at the church. Graveside services and interment will be held at 2:30 p.m., Monday, at Hawthorn Memorial Gardens in Jefferson City. Memorial contributions are suggested to Hospice Compassus.

Arrangements are under the direction and care of the Kidwell-Garber Laurie/Sunrise Beach Chapel.

Previous Events

Visitation

AUG 15. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (CT)

St. Patrick Catholic Church
176 Marian Dr.
Gravois Mills, MO 65037
<http://www.stpatrickcatholicchurch.org>

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Tribute Wall

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“ *The first time I met Eleanor was a couple of years ago when I was walking the neighborhood selling Avon..I was new to the area and didn't know anyone..She came out her door and I asked her who the local people were..we started talking and she asked me if I liked Margaritia's and I said, "sure" and she invited me up to her porch for a drink and we became instant friends..I started taking her to Dr. Appts. and after would go out and have lunch together..her favorite place was Chance's R for a bloody mary and their onion rings...very much enjoyed listening to her talk about her family and time she spent down here at the lake..She was a wonderful friend to me and I will always treasure the short time I spent with her...RIP my friend.*

Deb Bowman

Deb Bowman - August 11, 2016 at 10:44 AM