



Janet Victoria LaBorde

April 15, 1928 - March 10, 2008

Janet Victoria LaBorde, 79, a resident of the Liberty House, Fond du Lac, formerly of 162 Central Avenue, Fond du Lac, died Monday, March 10, 2008. She was born on April 15, 1928, in Fond du Lac, a daughter of Frank O. and Elsie E. Guell Thorpe. On May 22, 1954, she married Garrett "Gary" S. LaBorde at Salem E.U.B. Church. Janet was employed as switchboard operator at Bell Telephone from 1947-1955, as a teacher's aide for the Fond du Lac School District from 1970-1979, and as a switchboard operator at Mercury Marine from 1979-1994. Janet was a lifelong member of Salem United Methodist Church. Her pride and joy was following the lives of her grandchildren, nieces and nephews. She is survived by three children: Ron (Tina) LaBorde of Oshkosh, David C. (Julie) LaBorde of Fond du Lac, Barbara J. (Constantine "Chip") Capoyianes of Fond du Lac; six grandchildren: Michael LaBorde, Margaret LaBorde (serving in the Peace Corps in El Salvador), Jennifer (fiance Shawn Monroe) LaBorde, Megan LaBorde, Peter Capoyianes, Nicholas Capoyianes; her twin sister, Jeanne Elizabeth Cruciani of Fond du Lac; a special niece, Catherine (Stan) Mingus of Fond du Lac; a sister-in-law, Dorothy Thorpe of Fond du Lac; many nieces and nephews, and Boomer. She was preceded in death by her parents; her husband Gary in October 1969; two brothers: Donald and Kenneth (Joyce) Thorpe; and a brother-in-law, Peter Cruciani. The visitation will be from 4-8 p.m. on Friday, March 14, 2008, at Mach Funeral Chapel, 31 East Division Street, Fond du Lac, and from 1:00 p.m. until the time of service on Saturday, March 15, 2008,

at Salem United Methodist Church, 120 Sheboygan Street, Fond du Lac. The funeral service will be held at 2:00 p.m on Saturday at Salem United Methodist Church with the Rev. David Byers-Dent officiating. Burial will follow in Rienzi Cemetery. Memorials may be directed to Salem United Methodist Church Senior Choir or St. Agnes Hospice Hope. Her family wishes to thank Hospice Hope and especially her niece, Cathy, for everything.

Tribute Wall

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Terry & Trish Jacobson - March 12, 2008 at 05:40 PM

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Michael & Maybelle Traut - March 12, 2008 at 09:26 AM

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