



Joyce Erkman

June 23, 1928 - November 26, 2014

Joyce (nee Zegarac) Erkman, age 86 of Hobart, IN, formerly of Youngstown & Cleveland, Ohio, Wednesday, November 26, 2014. Joyce was a lifelong member of St Sava Serbian Orthodox Church, past President of its SSS Karageorge, past President of the St Sava Folklore Dance Group, a member of the Circle of Serbian Sisters (Kolo Sestara), and past member of the St Sava Tamburtizans. Joyce was also the former owner of Georgia Tap in Gary, IN. Mrs Erkman was past Lake County Democratic Precinct Committee Chairwomen and Lake County Democratic Vice Chairman; she was an employee of the Lake County Sheriffs Department, Lake County Bureau of Investigations, Auditors Office and Clerks Office. She was a licensed beautician prior to her being a full time mom. Joyce was preceded in death by her late husband Peter Erkman, daughter Mala, and brothers Donald and Branko (Bobby) Zegarac. She is survived by her loving children; Ladonna (Miodrag) Popovich, Desa (Danilo) Jackovich and Eli (Rose) Erkman; 8 beloved grandchildren, Jovan, & Pavle (fiancee Ashley) Popovich, Petar & Danijela Jackovich, Dalia, Natalie, Melanie & Alexia Erkman; siblings Richard (Vera) Zegarac & Desa Voll. She will be missed and fondly remembered. Funeral Services will be held Tuesday, December 2, 2014 at St Sava Serbian Orthodox Church, 9191 Mississippi St, Merrillville directly at 10 AM with Very Rev. Marko Matic officiating. Interment Calumet Park Cemetery. Visitation will be held Monday at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point from 4pm to 8pm with a Pomen Service at 6pm. For further information please

contact Savich & Semplinski Funeral Directors at Burns Funeral Home (219)
769-0044.

Tribute Wall



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Joyce Erkman.* ”



December 01, 2014 at 10:46 AM



“ *Mala and Ed, Barb and Mike, and families purchased the Simply Elegant Spathiphyllum for the family of Joyce Erkman.* ”



Mala and Ed, Barb and Mike, and families - December 01, 2014 at 10:15 AM



“ *Draga & Rick & Family purchased the Pink Tribute Spray for the family of Joyce Erkman.* ”



Draga & Rick & Family - December 01, 2014 at 06:59 AM



“ *Lily and Rose Tribute Spray was purchased for the family of Joyce Erkman.* ”



November 29, 2014 at 08:35 AM

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“ *Beth and Ray Kljajic purchased the Peaceful White Lilies Basket for the family of Joyce Erkman.*



Beth and Ray Kljajic - November 28, 2014 at 09:03 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Joyce Erkman.*



November 28, 2014 at 07:10 PM