



LENORA A. SKWARLO

June 29, 1925 - January 11, 2012

Lenora Burt Skwarlo "Lynn" (nee Beal), age 86, of Merrillville-Crown Point, went home to be with the Lord on Wednesday, January 11, 2012. She was born in New Philadelphia, Ohio to Jim and Ida Beal who came to Indiana in 1941. She graduated from Tolleston High School and received a diploma as a Medical Assistant from Ivy Tech College. She worked in the Merrillville school system and Porter Memorial Hospital in Valparaiso. Lynn was a member of St. Joan of Arc Church since it was built over 30 years ago and loved working for her church until her health wouldn't permit it. She enjoyed traveling, camping, and Mother Nature, especially the birds and flowers. She enjoyed playing cards with her family and friends. She was preceded in death by her parents, her beloved sister, Betty (Gene) Riggle and brother, Floyd Beal, her husbands, David Burt and John Skwarlo, step-children, Marion Burt, David Burt and Jackie Skwarlo. Lynn is survived by two sons, Douglas (Sheryl) Burt, Dennis (Nancy) Burt and daughter, Barbara (Joe) Zukowski; 4 grandchildren, Nigel (Stacey) Burt, Sarah (Ryan) Podunvich, Molly (Dave) Wasserott and Andrew Burt; 4 great-grandchildren, Paige Burt, Lilly, Owen, and Aiden Wasserott;

beloved niece, Carol McVeigh and nephew Jim Riggle; her extended McVeigh family all of CA and dearest friend of over 50 years, Barbara Pierce.

Funeral service will be held on Saturday, January 14, 2012 at 4:00 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN

Service will terminate at the funeral home with cremation at the Burns Funeral

Home Crematory. Visitation on Saturday from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home. Prayer service Sat at 7:30 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, contributions may be made to St. Anthony Hospice or to St. Jude Children's Hospital. www.burnsfuneral.com