



Nellie Elvira Bara

April 2, 1924 - January 18, 2017

Nellie E. Bara

Nellie E. Bara, 92, of Aurora, IL, passed away from this life into eternal life Wednesday, January 18, 2017. She entered Heaven with the full confidence and trust in her risen Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, knowing that by faith in His sacrifice on the cross for her, she inherited Eternal Life. She was born April 2, 1924 in West Paris, Maine, daughter of the late Erwin L. and Mildred H. (Conant) Trask.

Nellie graduated from business college in Battle Creek, MI and was employed by Clark Equipment Co. She was awarded by the U.S. Treasury Dept. Michigan War Finance Division recognition of meritorious services in the sale of U.S. Bonds during World War II. After marriage she devoted herself to her husband and the raising of their three children.

Survivors include a son, Roger (Susan) Bara of Aurora, IL, daughters Debra Ekerholm of Chicago, IL and Vickie Kermelis of Santa Ana, CA and a granddaughter, Lauren Scott, (Rob) of Santa Ana, CA. Nellie was preceded in death by her loving husband of 54 years, Louis M. Bara, brothers Loren and Erlon (Bob) Trask, son-in-law's Donald N. Ekerholm and Dimitri A. Kermelis and her Uncle and Aunt Elmer and Gladys Dunham of Battle Creek, MI. Also preceding her in death are her faithful and trusting dogs, Terry, Tara, Buddy

and Macie.

The Bara family would like to thank Loving Hands Hospice for their care and support in her last days and Sharon Dettlo, her loving Caregiver of seven years.

Memorials may be directed to the Mayfair Bible Church, 4601 N. Knox Ave, Chicago, IL 60630.

Arrangements entrusted to Burns Funeral Home, Crown Point. www.burnsfuneral.com

Tribute Wall

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“ Vickie Kermelis lit a candle in memory of
Nellie Elvira Bara



Vickie Kermelis - January 17 at 03:34 PM

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“ Mom was truly my best friend and I miss her dearly. I look forward to joining her in Heaven and spending eternity with her and all who have gone on before me. Praise to Jesus for saving her and wrapping His loving arms around her now.

Debra Ekerholm - February 03, 2017 at 08:07 PM

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“ Mom,
I miss you everyday, until I will see you again in Heaven. I grew up, knowing that you always loved me. Now you are with Dad, family and all your dogs. And Jesus! You endured a lot over the past ten years, and now you are in a world of forever peace and joy! Untill we meet again,
Love YOU,
Vickie



Vickie L Kermelis - January 21, 2017 at 06:45 PM