



Crestelda V. Tiefenbach

July 10, 1916 - October 10, 2013

St. Joseph – Crestelda V. Tiefenbach, 97, of St. Joseph, passed away Thursday afternoon, October 10, 2013, at the Willows Assisted Living Center in St. Joseph.

Mass of Christian burial will be held at 11:00 A.M., on Tuesday, October 15, at St. Joseph Catholic Church, 211 Church Street, with Fr. Jim Morris officiating. Burial will follow at Riverview Cemetery in St. Joseph. Visitation will be held from 5:00 until 7:00, Monday evening, at the Dey-Florin Funeral Home, 2506 Niles Ave., in St. Joseph. Memorials may be made to Alzheimer's Research. Messages of condolence may be sent to www.florin.net.

Crestelda was born July 10, 1916 in Indiana to John and Victoria Cuchinski. She was a long-time member of St. Joseph Catholic Church in St. Joseph and worked for 15 years in the St. Joseph Catholic Schools cafeteria. She was an exceptional seamstress. Most of all, Crestelda cherished time spent with her beloved grandchildren and they remember there always being 'cookies in the jar' and time for a card game!

Crestelda is survived by her son, Jim (Vicki) Tiefenbach of Mesa, AZ; six grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and by her brother, Harry Cuchinski of St. Joseph.

In addition to her parents, Crestelda was preceded in death by her husband, August; and by her daughter, Patricia Heaps; and by her siblings, Rose Callender, Joseph Cuchinski, Caismer Cuchinski, and Alice Barrick.

Cemetery Details

Riverview Cemetery

2925 Niles Rd
Saint Joseph, MI 49085
rvcemetery@parrett.net
<http://www.sjcity.com/services/riverview.phtml>

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **14**. 5:00 PM - 7:00 PM (ET)

Dey-Florin Chapel of Florin Funeral Service - Closed 2013
2506 Niles Avenue
St. Joseph, MI 49085
(269) 983-1514
staff@florin.net

Service

OCT **15**. 11:00 AM (ET)

Saint Joseph Catholic Church
211 Church St.
St. Joseph, MI 49085
<http://stjoestjoe.com>

Tribute Wall

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“ *Dear Aunt Cress: Good bye and God bless. Thank you for loving me, babysitting me, and going to my sports games with my mother. Take Care, I know I'm a better person because of you. I will always remember the Christmas and Thanksgiving our families shared together.*

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“ *When working at the Willows., Crestelda became a favorite of mine. I loved the fact that I could always make her smile. There were times she had me laughing and then she would start laughing. She was very dear to me. My thoughts and prayers are with the family. God bless.*

Jennifer Corley, CNA

Jennifer Corley - October 12, 2013 at 09:02 AM