



Betty Merten

August 20, 2009

Elizabeth “Betty” Merten, age 59 Marty (Pearl Lake) March 5, 1950 – August 17, 2009 Mass of Christian Burial will be 10:30 a.m. Thursday, August 20, 2009 at Holy Cross Catholic Church in Marty, MN for Elizabeth “Betty” Merten, age 59, who died Monday at the St. Cloud Hospital. Burial will be in the Holy Cross Parish Cemetery. Relatives and friends may call after 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday and from 9:00 – 10:00 a.m. Thursday morning, at the Wenner Funeral Home in Cold Spring. Parish Prayers will be at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday evening at the funeral home. Betty was born in Marty, MN to Aloys and Leona (Ficker) Merten. She worked at Vision Ease for many years and retired in 1996 from the Cold Spring Granite Company. Betty loved life, snowmobiling, happy hour and softball. As a softball player, she was an ‘on target pitcher’, a mentor to anyone she played with or against, and an umpire. Betty was an avid Minnesota Twin’s fan, and she loved spending time with family and friends. Her nieces and nephews were her pride and joy! She was a member of Holy Cross Parish. Survivors include her siblings, Gene (Georgianne), Peter (Sandy), Theresa Berger all of Marty, Marty (Robert) Ahles of St. Cloud, Mary (John) Gertken of Cold Spring, Lorraine “Tuttie” Kotschevar of St. Joseph, Patricia (Harris) Shellito of Sabin and JoAnn (Kenneth) Krueger of Cold Spring; sister-in-law, Pam Schlagheck of Clearwater; 34 nieces and nephews and 45 great-nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her parents; brother, James; sister, Dorothy “Dot”; brother-in-laws, Robert Berger and George Gustafson; and nephews, Jesse Gertken and David

Berger.

Tribute Wall



“ *Betty Merten*

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“ *I see God has called Betty home at this time. My sympathies to all her family. May she rest in peace.*

Herman Winkels - August 17, 2009 at 11:07 PM