Mazure, Barbara M.

Barbara M. Mazure, 72, of Harbor Beach, passed away on Saturday, August 20, 2005, in her home following a courageous battle from cancer. She had hospice care and her family by her side. She was born on June 23, 1933 in Harbor Beach to the late Clarence and Laura (Scholtz) Booms. Barb and Ray Mazure were united in marriage on February 20, 1954 at St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Helena. She was an active member of Our Lady of Lake Huron Catholic Church in Harbor Beach. Her involvement included serving as a religious education teacher, lector, Eucharistic minister, and participating in the scripture group. Barb also served as recovery group leader for Recovery. Inc. Barb is survived by her husband, Ray, after a beautiful marriage of 51 years; six children, Jeffrey Mazure and his wife, Mary Lee (Mixter), of Traverse City, Lori Romzek and her husband, James, of Harbor Beach, Michael Mazure and his wife, Dianne (Balk), of Jenison, Morris "Jay" Mazure, of Gardnerville, Nevada, and his fiance Mary Legaspina, of Tagudin, Phillipines, Ellen Rapson and her husband, David, of Traverse City, Brenda Levaine and her husband, John, of Kinde; and 19 grandchildren; five brothers, James Booms, Robert Booms, Gene Booms and his wife, Emily, all of Harbor Beach, Albert Booms and his wife, Nenita, of Georgia, and Warren Booms and his wife, Anna, of Saginaw; five sisters, Marilyn Essenmacher and her husband, Lloyd, Charlotte Kranz and her husband, Lawrence, Matilda Messing and her husband, Dan, Clarice Siemen and her husband, Ron, all of Harbor Beach, Ramona Bell, of Texas; and sister-in-law, Delphine Booms, of Harbor Beach. She was preceded by her father, Clarence Booms; her mother, Laura Booms; brothers, Kenneth and Stephen; sister, Judy; brother-in-laws, Robert Talaski and Mack Bell; and sister-in-laws, Shirley Booms and Mary Louise Booms. Funeral services will take place at 11:30 a.m. on Wednesday, August 24, 2005, at Our Lady of Lake Huron Catholic Church in Harbor Beach. The Rev. T.J. Flemming, pastor, will preside. Burial will be in the church cemetery. A parish vigil service will be at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday at the Ramsey Funeral Home in Harbor Beach. Visitation will be from 6 to 9 p.m. today, from 1 to 9 p.m. on Tuesday, and from 10 to 11 a.m. on Wednesday at the funeral home. As Barb requested, memorials may be directed to Recovery, Inc., Heartland Hospice, or Our Lady of Lake Huron Catholic Church instead of flower arrangements.