

## **Hirn, Virginia**

Virginia M. Hirn, 79, of Flushing died Friday, June 14, 2002, at home. Mrs. Hirn was born on Feb. 1, 1923, in Flint, the daughter of James and Marie (Renox) Stewart. She married Daniel J. Hirn on July 17, 1954, in Flint. He preceded her in death on April 6, 1992. Mrs. Hirn was a member of St. Robert Catholic Church. She graduated Magna Cum Laude from St. Michael's Catholic High School and Suma Cum Laude from Marygrove College. Mrs. Hirn taught at Civic Park Elementary School where she met her husband, Dan. She retired from teaching after 10 years to raise her eight children. She taught CCD and was active in the Altar Society at St. Robert and St. Agnes Catholic churches. She was a member of the Daughters of Isabella and a volunteer at Genesys Regional Medical Center. She loved flowers and she especially loved her grandchildren. She is survived by her children, Mary Walker and her husband, Jim, of Redlands, Calif., Dan Hirn and his wife, Joan, of Plano, Ill., Jane Lambert and her husband, Gary, of Grand Blanc, Jim Hirn and his wife, Becky, of Bad Axe, John Hirn and his wife, Michelle, of Simi Valley, Calif., Paul Hirn and his wife, Debbie, of St. Joseph, Pat Hirn and his wife, Anne, of Avon, Colo., Ann Kessler and her husband, Aran, of Valpraiso, Ind.; 19 grandchildren, Jessica, Katelyn and James Daniel Walker of Redlands, Calif., Jackie and Jamie Hirn of Plano, Ill., Max, Taylor, Mackenzie and Hunter-Danielle Lambert of Grand Blanc, Mitchell and Madison Hirn of Bad Axe, Christin and John M. Hirn Jr. of Simi Valley, Calif., Megan Virginia and Morgan Hirn of St. Joseph, Trexler and Erikson Hirn of Avon, Colo., Andria and Alex Kessler of Valpraiso, Ind.; three brothers, Jim Stewart and his wife, Carol, of Flint, Patrick Stewart of Flushing and Larry Stewart and his wife, Irene, of Grand Blanc; one sister, Barbara Stewart of Flushing; sister-in-law, Maryann Stewart of Flushing; many nieces, nephews and friends. She was preceded in death by her brother, Bob. The funeral mass will take place at 10 a.m. on Thursday, June 20, 2002, at St. Robert Catholic Church in Flushing. Fr. Steven Makranyi will officiate. Burial will follow at St. Robert Catholic Cemetery. A vigil service will take place at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at Rossell Funeral Home in Flushing. Visitation will take place from 6 to 8 p.m. today and noon to 3 p.m. and 5 to 8 p.m. Wednesday at the funeral home. Memorials may be made to St. Robert Catholic Church, Powers Catholic High School Scholarship Fund, the American Cancer Society or the Macular Degeneration Research.