



Mary Lou Cowen

November 17, 1932 - March 29, 2008

Mary Lou Cowen, 75, a loving caring, wonderful wife passed away Saturday, March 29, 2008 after a brave battle with liver failure. Mary Lou was born November 17, 1932 in New Douglas, Illinois. She was a graduate of Edwardsville, Illinois High School and resided in Indianapolis since 1959. In retirement years she enjoyed traveling the world with her husband, Neil and visited six of the seven continents and numerous island countries. Also she enjoyed wintering in Ft. Myers, Florida where she was quite active in the Seven Lakes Senior Golf & Tennis Community. There she was a past two-term president of the Women's Club and active in the Red Hats Society. Mary Lou possessed a fun-loving spirit and a loving, mother's heart. Everyone she touched considered her a true angel here on earth. She is survived by her husband of 54 years, Neil Cowen; son, Greg Cowen, his wife, Susie; daughters, Kathryn Durbin, her husband, Steve, Karen McNamara, her husband, Brent; grandchildren, Jennifer, Andrew, Mary Kate & Jacob Cowen; Emily & Kyle Durbin; Myles & Merrick McNamara; brothers, Kenneth Bryan, John DePew, Bill DePew, Bob DePew & Melvin DePew; sisters, Sharon Johns & Patricia Halleman. Her parents Justin And Gladys DePew and brother, Gerald DePew have preceded her in death. Visitation will be Monday, March 31 from 4:00 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. at Shirley Brothers Fishers-Castleton Chapel, 9900 Allisonville Rd. followed by a memorial service from 7:30 to 8:00 p.m. Additional visitation will be held on Tuesday, April 1 from 5:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at Perfetti Funeral Home in Sorento, IL, with funeral at 10:00 a.m.

Wednesday, April 2. Burial will follow at Sunnyside Cemetery.