



Marie Hopkins

November 18, 1931 - October 9, 2011

Mercides Marie was born on November 18, 1931, in Webster, South Dakota to Peter and Dorothy (Gies) Lardy. She attended and graduated from Roslyn High School. Mercides was united in marriage to John Hopkins on August 11, 1950, in Webster, South Dakota. The couple lived in Minneapolis, MN for many years before purchasing the Drift Inn Resort. They operated the resort on lake Mille Lacs for seven years. They enjoyed visiting and having coffee with their many friends at the Cedarwood Restaurant in Onamia. Marie enjoyed reading, playing bingo, embroidery, and cooking for family. She was very active in the Legion Auxillary where she served as president for many years. She will be greatly missed by all.

Marie is survived by her sons, Dennis (Kathi) Hopkins of Onamia, MN, David (Resa) Hopkins of St. Cloud, MN; daughter, Judy (Mike) Schneppenheim of Coon Rapids, MN; brothers, Harlan (Linda) Lardy of Webster, MN, David (Beverly) Lardy of Minneapolis, MN; sisters, Bernice Gaikowski of Watertown, SD, Kathryn (Leonard) Rumpca of St. Paul Park, MN; grandchildren, John, Shelly, Shane, Shannon, Shantell, Michael, and Ryan; 11 great-grandchildren. She was preceded in death by her husband, John; son, Roger; parents, Peter and Dorothy Lardy; brothers, Peter and James; and her sister, Marcella.

Tribute Wall



“ *Marie Hopkins*

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