



Margaret L. Karnes

July 4, 1921 - June 2, 2011

Margaret L. "Peg" Karnes, 89, of Butler, formerly of Eau Claire passed away Thursday evening at the Parker Personal Care Home, Parker, Pa. Born in Argentine, Butler, Co., Pa. on July 4, 1921, she was the daughter of the late John and Bertha Meals Thompson. With her Mother passing away at Peg's age of sixteen months, she was then reared by her grandparents, Edward and Amelia Thompson. Baptized in the former Argentine United Methodist Church, she was a member there until joining the Bethel United Methodist Church in Eau Claire in 1940. Presently, she was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Butler. At Eau Claire, she sang in the church choir, chaired the worship committee, served on church council, and was a member of the United Methodist Women. She graduated from the former Concord High School at Hooker in 1939. Peg was a long active in the Eau Claire community at the church, with parades and little league events, and served many years as Republican committee woman for the borough. She also served the borough as Judge of Elections from 1959-1981. Survived by a son and wife: John E. "Jack" Karnes and Judy of Six Points; four grandchildren and nine great grandchildren; a number of nieces, nephews, and cousins. In addition to her parents she was preceded in death by a daughter: Linda Karnes Passauer. Friends may call from 4:00 to 7:00 PM Sunday at the H. Jack Buzard Funeral Home, Main St - Rte 38. Eau Claire. Funeral Service will be at 11:00 AM Monday at the Funeral Home with Rev. Pat Nelson from the First United Methodist Church of Butler and Rev. Richard Updegraff of the Bethel

United Methodist Church of Eau Claire officiating. Burial will be at Eau Claire Cemetery

Tribute Wall



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