## Marie S. Bazyn, 89

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Marie Bazyn, 89. Brooklyn, Tuesday, Dec. 13, 2005 at Brooklyn Community tates, Brooklyn.

Her memorial service was held Saturday. Dec. 17, at St. Patrick's

Catholic Church, Brooklyn, with the Rev. Brian Shepley officiating. Interment was at Calvary Cemetery, Victor. Nevenhoven Funeral Services, Brooklyn, was in charge of the arrangements.

Marie was born Jan. 31, 1916, to Leo and Jenny DeBates DeCoster at Victor. She attended St. Bridget's Catholic School graduating in 1934. She married Rene Bazyn on July 14, 1937, at St. Bridget's Church, Victor. They lived north of Holiday Lake, Brooklyn, for over 60 years where they farmed and Marie did housekeeping. They were the parents of ten children. Marie was

a member of St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Brooklyn.

Surviving are her children, Jean Wheeler of Sigourney, Mary McDonald and husband Fred of Brooklyn, Dixie Willett and Carl Marsh of Robins, Leo Bazyn and wife Judy of Lewisville, Tenn., Betty Vance, Oak Harbor, Wash., John Bazyn and wife Colleen of Montezuma, David Bazyn of Cedar Rapids, Paul Bazyn and wife Kathy of Elkader, Jim Bazyn and Robin Houser of Montezuma, and Ann Morrow and KC Hilsabeck of Blairstown; a sister, Therase VerStraten of Des Moines; 53 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren and 12 great-great-grandchildren. Marie's many friends and children will miss her.

She was preceded in death by her husband, who died March 19, 1999; four brothers, Frank, Lewis, Charles and John DeCoster; two sisters. Ida and Irene DeCoster; and a grandchild, Luanne McDonald.

A memorial fund in her name has been established.

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Her parents; her husband who died March 19, 1999; four brothers, Frank, Lewis, Charles and John DeCoster, two sisters, Ida and Irene DeCoster, and grandchild, Luanne McDonald, preceded her in death.

Marie had many friends and was loved, she will be missed.

Memorial services for Marie Bazyn were held at 10 a.m., Saturday, December 17, at St. Patrick's Catholic Church, Brooklyn. Rev. Brian Shepley officiated and the musician was Marilyn Kriegel. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery at Victor.

A memorial fund has been established.

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