



Mrs. Eleanor Bechard

September 22, 1924 - May 30, 2017

Mrs. Eleanor (Priori) Bechard, 92, of Adams, died on Tuesday, May 30, 2017, at North Adams Commons.

She was born in Pittsfield on September 22, 1924, daughter of the late Louis and Lena (Vitali) Priori and attended schools in Adams.

Mrs. Bechard worked for many years at the former Sprague Electric Co., North Adams until retiring in 1985.

She was a communicant of the Parish of St. John Paul II, Adams. She enjoyed playing bingo, cooking, especially for holidays and spending time with her family.

Her husband, Carleton Bechard, whom she married in 1942, died in 2007.

She is survived by two sons, Dennis Bechard and his wife Theresa; and Gary Bechard and his partner Charlene, all of Adams; her son-in-law, Edward Hvizda; of Wheat Ridge, CO;

three grandchildren, Steven Bechard and his wife Lori of Westfield, Shawn Tassone and his wife Katie of Austin, TX and Tamara Menard and her husband Joseph of Glendale, AZ; five great grandchildren, Hannah, Hunter, Anthony and Angelo Tassone and Cheyenne Menard.

She was predeceased by her daughter, Karen Hvizda, who died in 2001; and by two brothers, Alfred and Donald Priori.

Funeral services will be held on Saturday, June 3rd, at 1:00 PM in the PACIOREK FUNERAL HOME, 13 Hoosac St. Adams.

Burial will follow in Bellevue Cemetery, Adams.

Calling hours are Saturday from 11:30 AM until the service, at the funeral home.

Memorial donations may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

Tribute Wall



“ *My condolences to the family. I hope you find comfort in knowing that you can be reunited with your loved one again. 5:28,29.* ”

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