



Mary B. Konieczny

January 30, 1916 - March 28, 2010

Mrs. Mary Barbara (Krypel) Konieczny, 94, of 17 Cross St. Adams, died early Sunday morning, March 28, 2010, at North Adams Regional Hospital.

She was born in Adams on January 30, 1916, a daughter of the late Peter Krypel and Josephine (Krupa) Krypel Penczar. She attended Adams schools. Mrs. Konieczny last worked as a group leader at the former Sprague Electric Co. in North Adams for 10 years, until retiring.

She was a communicant of the former Parish of Notre Dame and St. Thomas Aquinas, Adams. She was a member of the Northern Berkshire Embroiderer's Guild and the Adams Quilters. She enjoyed all types of needlework, and was known for donating hand made afghans to church bazaars and for infants at local maternity wards. She also instructed new members in the art of needlework.

Her husband, Charles J. Konieczny, whom she married on August 21, 1936, died on January 22, 1986.

She is survived by 1 son, Charles P. Konieczny and his wife, Sandra, of Adams;

1 daughter, Marlene Germanowski and her husband, Frank, of Pittsfield;
5 granddaughters, Kelly Dugan, Susan McNiece, Tammy Winters, Wendy Lamberton and Tracy Swicker; 11 Great Grandchildren and 3 Great Great Grandchildren.

She was predeceased by 3 brothers, John, Stanley and Walter Krypel; and by 2 sisters, Blanche Zubrowski and Edna Penczar.

The funeral will be held on Wednesday, March 31st, at 9:00 AM from the PACIOREK FUNERAL HOME, 13 Hoosac St. Adams, followed by a Liturgy of Christian Burial at 10:00 AM in the Parish Church of Pope John Paul the Great, Adams, celebrated by Rev. Daniel J. Boyle, Pastor. Burial will follow in Bellevue Cemetery, Adams.

Calling hours are Tuesday from 4 to 7 PM at the funeral home.

Memorial donations may be made to the Pope John Paul Food Pantry through the funeral home.