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Mrs. M. Evelyn (Margerison) Helfrich, 80, of North Andover, Massachusetts, passed away peacefully surrounded by her family at her home on Wednesday, July 28th, 2010. She was born on October 5, 1929 in Methuen, Massachusetts, daughter of the late Walter and Anne (Berry) Margerison. Evelyn was educated in the Methuen Schools and was a graduate of Edward F. Searle's High School also in Methuen, MA She attended Saint Michaels Church in North Andover and was a member of the Catholic Daughters. She worked for the Arlington Mills and was a Secretary and Assistant to her husband at Helfrich Brothers Boiler Works Inc. in Lawrence, Massachusetts. As of recent she worked with her sons helping them with the family business. Her main and most important job was raising 8 children and spending time with them and her 28 grandchildren and 1 great grandchild. She enjoyed Ceramics, Traveling, Seabrook Beach, Jackson, New Hampshire and an occasional boat ride. According to her family she loved to read and was very active at the Cedar Dale Athletic Club. Evelyn was a Private Pilot for many years at the 4-Star Aviation in North Andover at the Lawrence Airport. Wife of the late Mr. Vincent P. Helfrich, Sr. who passed away in March of 1992. Family members include: Her children: Cynthia Amor and her husband Jim of North Andover, MA. Diane Stefanelli and her husband Charles of Windham, NH Audrey Surette and her husband Chris of North Andover, MA Beverly Kennedy and her husband John of Litchfield, NH Vincent P. Helfrich, Jr. and his wife Jeanne of North Andover, MA Nancy Helfrich of North Andover, MA Joseph Helfrich and his wife Mandy of Groveland, MA Margaret Marchesseault and her husband Andrew of North Andover, MA. Her brother: Walter A. Margerison and his wife Janet of FL Her sister: Sylvia Brennick of York, ME As well as 28 Grandchildren, 1 Great Grandchild, several nieces, nephews and cousins. Grandmother of the late: Jeffrey V. Stefanelli Her funeral mass will be celebrated on Saturday, July 31st, 2010 at 10:00 a.m. in Saint Michael Church



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in North Andover, MA. Burial will follow in the Ridgewood Cemetery in North Andover, MA. Relatives and Friends are cordially invited to call on Friday, July 30th, 2010 from 4:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. at the John Breen Memorial Funeral Home, Inc., 35 Merrimack Street, North Andover, MA. For online condolences and other information please go to www.breenfuneralhome.com. Memorial Contributions may be made to: Alzheimer's Association National Office 225 N. Michigan Ave., Fl. 17, Chicago, IL 60601 or to the American Heart Association, 20 Speen Street, Framingham, MA 01701 or to a Charity of One's Choice.



Tribute Wall

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DT

Diane Thompson posted:

I am very sorry to hear about your Mother's passing. She was such a nice person and a pleasure to meet. I wish you and your family the best. Diane - Occupational Therapist HHVNA

March 7 at 8:00 PM

RO

Rota posted:

Helfrich Family, Our sincere condolences to all of you in the loss of your Mother/Grandmother. Loved to hear all the stories Beverly would share at FSC about her and your family. What a wonderful woman. Our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Love, Mary, Dan and family

March 7 at 8:00 PM

SS

Susan Fetanat(Stofflet) posted:

To the Helfrich family, My deepest sympathies and prayers go out to your family. May you find the strength to endure with the love from your family and friends. It has been 13 years since we have lost our beloved mother Joan I feel she is at peace now. My mother has not had an easy life here on earth with her disability but in heaven she is rejoicing with her mom,dad,aunt Helen and all the ones that have passed before us. I have fond memories of coming to your house for family reunions when I was a kid. I can still remember all of the adults gathering around the piano singing old favorite irish songs and the clanking of ice and smell of my grandmothers high ball drink. They will always be in our hearts and the sweet memories will help us be strong. God bless your family at this difficult time. Susan

March 7 at 8:00 PM

1U

1 Lt Jeffrey Wetmore, Usaf posted:

My greatest sympathies to the many families that Eve had touched, including my own. SHe will be greatly missed in the air and on the ground.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

KB

Kathy Zahn Bartholomew posted:

Diane and family, My deepest sympathy on the loss of your mom. The care,love and time you and your siblings gave her during her illness showed what a loving, caring family she raised. Now at peace, celebrate her life! Kathy

March 7 at 8:00 PM



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PH

Phil Helfrich posted:

Hello Cousins, Speaking for our family--please accept our sorrow and condolences for the loss of your mom, Aunty Eve, as we remember her. I will always remember HER and your Dad for the fine job they did rearing a large family. If she was enduring Alzheimers, we all know your pain as our own Mom at 88 is suffering from this affliction. Stay close as a family and support one another--our thoughts are with you all. Your Cousins, Phil, Dick, Susan, Linda and our families.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

JP

Jessica Paepflow posted:

Dear Bev, My thoughts and prayers are with you in these hard times for you and your family. My deepest sympathy to you and your family. Jessica Paepflow

March 7 at 8:00 PM

SC

Sandra Castelluccio posted:

May each of you experience peace at this difficult time. Thank you for giving me the opportunity to be part of your lives and walk this part of the journey with Evelyn. I am with you in spirit. peace
sandra castelluccio Evercare Hospice

March 7 at 8:00 PM

EN

Erica (Helfrich) Nelson posted:

My prayers and thoughts are with all of you. My heartfelt sympathy as you celebrate a beautiful life...smile and contagious laugh. Please know that you mom is in my prayers. Yours, Erica

March 7 at 8:00 PM

CD

Constance Donaldson posted:

Dear Sylvia, Walter & family May you all find peace knowing that Evelyn has found peace and is home with the Lord. She is with Vinny, her dad, Mom and Grandchild. I have not seen Evelyn in many years and she is as beautiful as ever. May the Peace of the Lord be with you all. Connie & Randy Donaldson Cousins

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PC

Penny Collins posted:

To the Helfrich Family, I am so saddened to hear about Eve's passing and also that I am out of town and will not be able to attend the funeral or viewing. My heart and prayers are with each of you and also with your mother as she has found peace from her illness and a beautiful forever after. Love and peace be with you, Penny

March 7 at 8:00 PM

JF

James Fogarty posted:

MY SINCEREST AND DEEPEST SYMPATHY FOR THE LOSS OF YOUR WONDERFUL MOTHER.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

DH

Donna Hofmann posted:

Dear Bev, I'm so sorry to hear that your Mom died. There's so much pain involved with such loss. My heart goes out to you Beverly. You are such a sweet person which speaks volumes about your mother. You carry on her legacy to the world with your kindness. She lives on through you.....love, Donna

March 7 at 8:00 PM

ML

Michael Lee posted:

Dear Bev and family, Ellen and I are so sorry for your loss. Your mother, your first teacher, taught you well. You and John have handed some of those values down to your sons and daughter, giving them an opportunity to be successful along life's journey and certainly making their grandmother proud. Know that during this difficult time, our thoughts are with you.

March 7 at 8:00 PM

DG

Debbie Gregory posted:

Dear Bev and family; I'm so sorry to hear of your loss. My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family during this difficult time.

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Stacy Sorenson posted:

My thoughts and prayers are with all of you. Your Mom was always so good to me, a wonderful part of my childhood! I have so many fond memories of our time together at the house in N. Andover, the beach and up north, I will always treasure her relationship. I am sure she is up there with "Big Vin" watching over all of you. She was an amazing woman! Love, Stacy

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CR

Cindy Robinson posted:

Dear Bev and Colleen and family....I am sorry for your loss of your mother, grandmother, mother-in-law. Feel treasured to have had her in your life...always remember your family vacations at the beach together. Memories like those will keep her in your lives forever. My heartfelt sympathies are with you all. Sincerely, Cindy

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JB

Jill Birch posted:

Margaret, My deepest sympathy to you and your family. May you all find comfort in the many memories you shared with your Mom. My thoughts and prayers are with you. Love, Jill (Collins) Birch

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BA

Barbara posted:

Dear Audrey and Family, My thoughts and sympathy are with you at this sad time. Audrey I know how close you were to your Mother . I feel like I knew your Mom in so many ways as we have shared many conversations about her. You were so loving and supportive . And she will always know that. she was a wonderful woman blessed with a beautiful daughter and children. Please convey my regards and best wishes to you and your family. Love you Audrey, Babs xxooo If I can help in any way please don't hesitate to call.

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Faith McCormack posted:

To all My cousins, aunty sylvia, and dad, I am so sorry for the loss of your Mom-sister-grandmother. I will always have great memories of Aunty Evelyn. I know she is with Grandma, Grandad, and uncle Vinny, in peace out of pain, smiling down at us. She did her job well, and it was time to go. Love Faith

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Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring M. Evelyn (Margerison) by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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