



## Edith Mechon

March 1, 1915 - March 1, 2010

AMASA - Edith R. Mechon, 95, of Amasa, passed away Monday, March 1, 2010, at the Iron County Medical Care Facility where she has been a resident for 7 1/2 years.

She was born on July 27, 1914, in Crystal Falls, daughter of the late Arthur and Adeline (Skur) Anderson. She was a lifelong resident of this area, graduating from Crystal Falls High School in 1932.

She worked in Albion, Mich. and Milwaukee, before marrying Joseph Mechon of Amasa on April 17, 1941. Edith was a member the Bethany Lutheran Church of Amasa until April 14, 2001, when she joined the Guardian Angels Catholic Church of Crystal Falls.

She was employed by the Amasa Lumber Co. for several years until its closure. She then attended a nurse's aide program and worked at the Crystal Manor until retirement. Edith enjoyed people and seemed to be totally fulfilled by the helping and caring of them.

Edith is survived by two sons, Robert J. Mechon of Uniontown, Ohio, and Roger D. (Linda) Mechon of Anchorage, Alaska; a daughter, Kathleen (Jim) Parsons of Pleasant Garden, N.C.; a sister, Bernette Johnson of Iron River; two grandchildren, Justin (Kim) Parsons of Charlotte, N.C. and Andrea (Chi)

Tang of St. Louis, Mo.; a great-grandson, Evan of St. Louis; and many nieces, nephews, great-nieces, great-nephews, great-great nieces and great-great nephews and several cousins

Edith was preceded in death by her loving husband, Joseph; five sisters; and four brothers.

Visitation will be Wednesday from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. and on Thursday from 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. at the Nash Funeral Home in Crystal Falls.

The funeral Mass will follow Thursday at 11 a.m. at the Guardian Angels Catholic Church in Crystal Falls. Fr. Jeffrey Kurtz will offer the Mass of Christian Burial.

Burial will be in Hematite Township Cemetery in the spring.

In lieu of flowers, a memorial will be established in her memory.

Condolences to the family of Edith R. Mechon can be expressed online at [www.ernashfuneralhomes.com](http://www.ernashfuneralhomes.com)

The family has entrusted the Nash Funeral Home of Crystal Falls with the arrangements.

# Tribute Wall

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“ Auntie Edith,

*Soon you sister Bernette will follow your path back to our father.  
With God We Pray for an uneventful passing and you go and pick  
her up.....and do a few jigs while you are at it.....always and  
forever.*

*Until we meet again!  
Cheryl (Rice) Guzman*

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**Cheryl Guzman - Green Bay, WI - Niece** - September 14, 2011 at 12:00 AM

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“ *To Kathleen, Roger and Bob - I have only good memories of your  
mom. I remember how kind she and your dad were to us after my  
dad passed away. I remember their cheerful visits (sometimes  
bearing baskets of fresh cucumbers or apples!) I'm sure I'm not the  
only one who remembers your mother's generous spirit.  
May God grant well-earned rest to her happy soul.*

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**Stephanie Wilson** - March 06, 2010 at 12:00 AM

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“ Kathleen, Roger and Bob and families

*I remember Great Aunt Edith fondly. I am sure glad my mother Karen could get to see her before she passed. I have pictures of her, Edith and Bernie at assisted living in Crystal Falls. What I took from my mothers estate, was pictures...memories of the past and hopes for the future.....*

*We are lucky.....we have homesteads and histories.....I wish our children had stories to remember like we did. Reunions, and weddings...I remember the weddings of all of you, and I was pretty young.*

*Every once and awhile...I look at the photos that created my life...and smile.....t'wasn't at all bad.....I have my memories.....of Crystal Falls/Iron River.....my family, my rock, my history...and you are my family.....*

*God bless your mom....Now she is with your father and at peace.....Until we meet in spring.....and make sure you let us know what memorial you would like me to send a donation.*

*All of my Love,*

*Cheryl Guzman, Eusebio, Stefan, Karena and Emily*

*Karen Johnson Rices Daughter*

*1327 S Norwood Ave Green Bay, Wi 54304*

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**Cheryl (Rice) Guzman** - March 05, 2010 at 12:00 AM

CB

“ Bob, Kathleen, and Roger, We read online about your mom passing away. How lucky you were to have such a wonderful mom live so long. We would talk to her when we saw her in the Medicare, and only this past summer did she not seem to know who we were. She always would talk about Amasa and have a great smile. In the tough days ahead, remember all the great memories and celebrate a life well lived. Our thoughts are with all of you.

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**Charlie and Janie Bandaccari** - March 04, 2010 at 12:00 AM