



Martha W. Palo

October 25, 1915 - July 4, 2017

Martha W. Palo, 101, of Crystal Falls, died Tuesday, July 4, 2017 at the Iron County Medical Care Facility in Crystal Falls. She was born October 25, 1915 in Chatham, MI, daughter of the late William & Lizzie(Huhtala) Laitinen

Martha graduated from Eben High School in 1932. She then attended Franklin Blvd Hospital in Chicago from 1936-1939; graduating as an RN. She worked at that hospital for 7 years before returning to U.P. in 1947.

Martha married Erick W. Palo on October 25, 1948 and enjoyed 62 years of marriage. He preceded her in death on June 27, 2011.

She had anesthesia training at Augustana Hospital in Chicago in 1951 and then worked at Francis A Bell Memorial Hospital in Ishpeming until her retirement in 1977. They moved to Crystal Falls in 1979.

She is survived by her son Alan, 3 grandsons, 6 great grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews.

Martha was preceded in death by her parents, husband Erick, her brother Ralph and sister Sylvia.

Private burial will take place in the Evergreen Memorial Cemetery in Crystal

Falls.

Condolences to the family of Martha Palo may be made online at www.nashfuneralhome.net.

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

Cemetery Details

Evergreen Memorial Cemetery

311 Logan St.
Crystal Falls, MI 49920