



Sophie Bernadette Brauer

May 12, 1922 - November 11, 2022

Sophie Bernadette Brauer, 100, of Crystal Falls, MI, passed away Friday, November 11, 2022, at Iron County Medical Care Facility with her family by her side.

She was born on May 12, 1922, in Chicago, Illinois, daughter of the late John and Bernice (Wierzba) Supergan. She married Edward Brauer on September 24, 1940. Sophie loved spending time with her family and sharing her Polish holiday traditions with them. She and her husband Edward built, owned, and operated the Cedar Inn Motel in Crystal Falls for many years. She was a Eucharistic Minister for 25 years at Guardian Angels Catholic Church, and she also worked as a CCD teacher for special ed children. Sophie enjoyed fishing and bowling and was an avid bird watcher and gardener. She really enjoyed teaching the next generation her favorite dice game.

She is survived by her children, Edward (Shelley) Brauer II, Bernadette Utter, Judith Brauer, Pat (Jim) Butler, Carol (David) Sherby, Rose (Greg) Anderson and Christine Obergfell; 20 grandchildren; 32 great-grandchildren; and 5 great-great-grandchildren.

Along with her parents, Sophie is preceded in death by her siblings, her husband, Edward in 1975; 2 daughters, Dorothy Brauer and Evelyn Futrell; and 3 sons-in-law, Donald Utter, Martin Futrell and Steven Obergfell.

Visitation will take place Friday, November 18, 2022, from 9:00 AM until 10:30 AM at Nash Funeral Home in Crystal Falls, MI, followed by a funeral mass at Guardian Angels Catholic Church at 11:00 AM. Fr. Dan Malone will offer the Mass of Christian Burial. Burial will take place in Evergreen Cemetery in Crystal Falls.

In lieu of flowers the family would appreciate donations made to St. Vincent de Paul's in Crystal Falls, the Food Pantry in Crystal Falls, or Guardian Angels Catholic Church.

A special thank you to Dr. Donald Smith and the nursing staff at the Iron County Medical Care Center for the wonderful care given to Mom.

Memorials may be made in her memory.

Condolences to the family of Sophie B. Brauer may be expressed 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

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 18. 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM (CT)

Nash Funeral Home
104 North Third St.
Crystal Falls, MI 49920

Mass of Christian Burial

NOV 18. 11:00 AM (CT)

Guardian Angels Catholic Church
412 Crystal Ave.
Crystal Falls, MI 49920

Tribute Wall

SM

“ I met your mom at iron county medicare, told her i no longer had a gramma, she said "you do now" we would go to bingo together. What a beautiful lady inside and out. She remains in my thoughts, in my prayers & forever in my heart. You had her for 100 wonderful years. Blessings to all of you, wish i had known all of you better

sandy moln - November 29, 2022 at 05:48 PM

PW

“ I met Sophie when I joined her bowling team. In the many years I bowled with her, I got to know the kind, good-hearted, fun loving person she was. We had a lot of good times and I have nothing but fond memories of her. My thoughts and prayers are with her family. RIP dear lady!❤️

Pat Westcott - November 20, 2022 at 10:57 PM

MW

“ Blessings to Aunt Sophie's family. Our hearts and prayers are with you all. The Marty Brauer Girls: Marilyn, Madeline, Margie and Millie God be with you all.



MILDRED WYATT - November 19, 2022 at 01:11 PM

MN

“ Please accept my heartfelt condolences to the family of Sophie. Sophie was a pillar in the Crystal Falls community. She was a strong woman. She raised here children on her own after Ed passed. She was proud of all her children. She also loved her grandchildren with all her heart.
I remember going over to her home several times over the years. She was always a wonderful host. One of my best memories of her was when her son Ed and I were out in back yard playing and she called us onto the back deck for a snack. Of course we were goofing around and she just gave us one of her stern looks and we knew we better stop and I mean now!!!
First class lady... always.
Rest In Peace dear Sophie. You're home with Ed now.
Sincerely and respectfully,
Mike Nantelle

Mike Nantelle - November 18, 2022 at 01:26 PM



“ White Calla Lily and Daisies with Red Roses (Silk Cemetery Flowers) was purchased for the family of Sophie Bernadette Brauer.



November 17, 2022 at 06:43 PM

LM

“ Love Aunt Marge purchased the Arrive in Style for the family of Sophie Bernadette Brauer.



Love Aunt Marge - November 16, 2022 at 09:18 AM



“ *Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Sophie Bernadette Brauer.*



November 15, 2022 at 04:16 PM



“ *Arrive in Style was purchased for the family of Sophie Bernadette Brauer.*



November 15, 2022 at 12:45 PM



“ *Tender Tribute was purchased for the family of Sophie Bernadette Brauer.*



November 15, 2022 at 10:58 AM



“ *Klapatch, Roe, Rauner, Wisneski families purchased the Magnificent Life Spray for the family of Sophie Bernadette Brauer.*



Klapatch, Roe, Rauner, Wisneski families - November 15, 2022 at 10:39 AM

CP

“ *Chris and Family,*

No time on earth is long enough to share with those we love or to prepare our hearts for good-bye. My sympathy and warmest thoughts are with you and your family. May God comfort you during this difficult time.



Love, Carleen

Carleen Parker - November 15, 2022 at 08:21 AM

CO

“ *Such a beautiful lady who helped mold all of us into who we are. I was so fortunate to spend alot of time with her this Summer. Her 100th birthday celebration with all those who made it, truly made her see how much she was loved. She never stopped talking about it. I love you mom. May you rest in peace. You are now a guardian angel watching over us with daddy and all your family beside you. You will be so missed. Love you momma!*

Chris

Christine Oberfell - November 14, 2022 at 07:10 PM