



Inez Booth Van Sickle

March 25, 1912 - February 10, 2013

Inez Booth Van Sickle “The Mitten Lady”, longtime Grand Ledge resident, Inez Van Sickle, 100 passed away February 10, 2013 in her own home with family. In 1930 she married Harry Van Sickle a WWI Purple Heart veteran who died in 1969. Inez loved knitting and selling colorful mittens. She distributed her mittens all over Grand Ledge as well as donating many to needy children. She is survived by son, Lewis Van Sickle, daughter Mary Jane Van Remortel and Dorothy (Ame) Krueger, favorite niece Joan Booth Highland, ten grandchildren, fourteen great grandchildren and one great great grandson. The family would like to give a special thanks to all Inez’s special friends and neighbors who enabled her to have her last years in her own home. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be given to the cause of your choice. The family will receive friends Saturday, February 16, 2013 from 12:00 PM until the time of the funeral service at 4:00 PM at the Holihan-Atkin Funeral Home, Grand Ledge. Interment will take place at Delta Center Cemetery.

Cemetery Details

Delta Center Cemetery

7382 W. St. Joseph Highway
Lansing, MI 48917

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 16. 12:00 PM - 4:00 PM (ET)

Holihan-Atkin-Barclay Funeral Home & Cremation Services
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Service

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Tribute Wall



“ *Beautiful in Blue was purchased for the family of Inez Booth Van Sickle.*



February 15, 2013 at 08:43 AM



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February 15, 2013 at 08:41 AM



“ *What greater tribute can be given to a person than to have their name be the topic of positive conversation around the dinner table. We are thankful to have known and been involved with Inez's life. We spoke highly of her amongst our family of what a wonderful example she was to us and the community. Much of life's lessons were learned from her as she shared freely shared of her life with us.*

Curtis and Susan Weiss - February 15, 2013 at 08:40 AM

LY

“ Lynn lit a candle in memory of Inez Booth Van Sickle



Lynn - February 13, 2013 at 07:35 PM

LK

I've always admired the strength and independence of Mrs. Van. She used to babysit us on Jenne Street when we were younger. Her stories and sense of humor will always be remembered.

Lynn Kiter - February 13, 2013 at 07:42 PM

CB

“ Cookie Babcock lit a candle in memory of Inez Booth Van Sickle



Cookie Babcock - February 13, 2013 at 03:02 PM

CB

AUNT INEZ WAS A VERY SPECIAL PERSON TO ME. I WAS A STEP NIECE, BUT NEVER TREATED DIFFERENTLY. EVERY VISIT A MEMORY. THE STORIES WERE AMAZING , I WILL CHERISH THEM ALWAYS. COOKIE AND CHUCK BABCOCK

Cookie Babcock - February 13, 2013 at 03:13 PM

JM

“ *Inez, was a special friend to the Rowlander Family. She took good care of our Mother Flora, who lived across the street from her. After Mothers passing, my sisters and I enjoyed visiting Inez, whenever we could. She was one of a kind, and very interesting to know. Me and my sister Georgia was able to visit with her 4 days before she passed, and we will miss her very much. May she rest in peace.* ”



Joyce Rowlander Morr - February 13, 2013 at 02:12 PM

CB

“ *Carla Baker lit a candle in memory of Inez Booth Van Sickle* ”



Carla Baker - February 13, 2013 at 03:25 AM

BC

“ *Me and my family Had the Privilege of growing up across the Street from Van and I had the pleasure of spending countless hours in the garden with her listening to her stories and learning how to take care of a garden. I will miss seeing her on her old bike with the basket riding around always willing to have a glass of ice tea and a chat. My mother still has a few of our Mittens, Scarves, slippers and hats that she had knitted, and we could always count on getting them for birthdays and on christmas. RIP Van you will be greatly missed thanks for all the great memories
Your Life Long Friends
The Crowners* ”

Benji Crowner - February 12, 2013 at 09:07 PM

BC

“ *Benji Crowner lit a candle in memory of Inez Booth Van Sickle*



Benji Crowner - February 12, 2013 at 08:35 PM



“ *My condolences to the family. Ms. Van Sickle was a wonderful woman. As a child I received a pair of mittens made with her love. Her thoughtfulness was never forgotten and I continue to help others in the way she helped me. Many of us will never forget her and will teach our children to be thoughtful of others. Thoughts and prayers to your family during this tough time.*

S - February 12, 2013 at 08:18 PM

AF

“ *Amy Fisher lit a candle in memory of Inez Booth Van Sickle*



amy fisher - February 12, 2013 at 07:27 PM

AF

“ *May you Rest in Peace Inez. The neighborhood will not be the same without you. Growing up wearing your mittens to watching you walk by my house often times pushing your bike up the hill. The last time you visited you ventured over in your wheelchair. You had a wonderful mind and great heart. You will be missed by many and remembered in Grand Ledge for years to come. See up again some day.*

amy fisher - February 12, 2013 at 07:24 PM