



Hattie Szydlak

June 10, 1920 - January 30, 2025

It is with deep sorrow that we announce the passing of Hattie Szydlak, who departed this world peacefully on January 30, 2025, at the age of 104. Hattie passed away at Henry Ford Hospital in Clinton Township, Michigan.

Born in Canonsburg, Pennsylvania, on June 10, 1920, Hattie was the cherished daughter of the late Stanley and Mary (Kolodoski) Klimkowski. She lived a long and full life, moving to New Baltimore, Michigan, where she found a loving community and a place she called home for many years.

Hattie was the devoted wife of the late Michael Szydlak, and together they created a life filled with love and family. Her warmth and kindness were evident in her role as mother to Patricia (the late Albert) Cieszynski, and grandmother to Stanley Cieszynski, whom she adored. Hattie's life was further enriched by the many nieces and nephews who survive her, each a testament to the family's enduring legacy.

Preceded in death by all her siblings, Hattie's longevity spoke to the resilience and strength that defined her personality. Her compassion, humility, and commitment to her family will be remembered by all who knew and loved her.

A visitation in Hattie's memory will take place on Thursday from 3:00 to 8:00 p.m., with a rosary service at 4:00 p.m. at Wasik Funeral Home, located at

35259 23 Mile Rd., New Baltimore. Family and friends will gather to honor Hattie's life, share memories, and offer prayers. A private committal service will be held at St. Mary Cemetery, also in New Baltimore, providing a tranquil resting place in the heart of her community.

In lieu of flowers, the family suggests donations be made to a charity of your choice, in Hattie's memory, to continue her legacy of generosity and care for others.

Hattie's life was a testament to love, faith, and community. She will be dearly missed but fondly remembered by all who had the privilege of knowing her.

Previous Events

Visitation

FEB 13. 3:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wasik Funeral Home-New Baltimore
35259 23 Mile Road
New Baltimore, MI 48047

Tribute Wall



“ *Just heard about the passing of my great Aunt Hattie. Condolences from our mom, Caroline Szydlak McLain and family*

Carrie McLain - March 29, 2025 at 07:54 AM



“ *Serenity Wreath was purchased for the family of Hattie Szydlak.*



February 04, 2025 at 04:59 PM



“ *A [Memorial Tree](/store/Product.aspx?ProductId=4518) was planted in honor of Hattie Szydlak.*

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