



## Mona A. Bevier

September 9, 1928 - August 12, 2011

Mona A. Bevier, age 82, passed away peacefully on Friday, August 12, 2011. Born the second daughter to the late Alfred and Louise [St. Aubin] Albert on September 9, 1928 in Jackson, Mona was raised in Detroit and graduated from Immaculata High School. On June 14, 1947, she married the love of her life, Frank. G. Bevier. Together they raised four daughters, with the family enjoying virtually every summer camping and boating at Mullet Lake in Cheboygan, Michigan. Mona was a talented gardener and an avid Detroit Pistons fan. Her faith was an integral part of her life, and Mona served as a Eucharistic minister for many years at the Shrine of the Little Flower in Royal Oak.

Mona began her career as a bookkeeper at Detroit Tap & Tool Company where she first became involved with computers and first acquired investment and accounting skills. Mona went on to serve the Royal Oak School District, where one of her numerous responsibilities was managing and investing funds. Mona was honored for her many accomplishments upon her retirement from Royal Oak Schools. She also served for many years on the Board of Directors for the Royal Oak Schools Credit Union.

Mona retired in 1996 and followed a lifelong dream with her beloved husband Frank in relocating "up north" to Rogers City, Michigan. There Frank and Mona continued their boating passion from the Rogers City Marina. Mona

quickly became immersed in local civic affairs and was a dedicated women's advocate. One of her proudest moments came when she led the Rogers City Women's Civic League in raising enough funds to purchase several AEDs [automated electronic defibrillators]. Mona had witnessed a woman suffer a cardiac arrest at the city park, where precious life-saving moments were lost waiting for EMS to arrive. Mona and one of her dear friends, a local pharmacist, were challenged to make a difference. Mona worked tirelessly and impassioned many others, succeeding in making a real difference in people's lives in Presque Isle County. Mona was subsequently honored as Women's Civic League Member of the Year in the State of Michigan.

Mona enjoyed her family more than anything. She was preceded in death by her beloved husband, Frank. Mona is survived by her four daughters, Anne [Frank] Goin of Kentucky; Marguerite [Gerald] Doherty of Michigan; Dale [Jeff] Ryan of Florida; Julie [Scott] Drouillard of Michigan, and her sister Karen [Paul] Mirski of New Hampshire. In addition to Frank, Mona was predeceased by her dear siblings, Madeline, Gordon, and Delores, and leaves numerous beloved nieces and nephews. Mona dearly loved each and every one of her nine grandchildren: Nancy, Mark, Cindy, David, Robert, Kim, Jill, Brian, and Steven. And despite her many accomplishments, Mona was proudest of being the great grandmother of twelve: Vinnie, Anthony, Megan, Ashley, Abigail, Alyssa, Corie, Casey, Alex, Cameron, Connor, and Riley. May a wonderful loving woman and a truly great lady rest in peace.

# Previous Events

## Service

AUG **16**. 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Therese of Lisieux  
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# Tribute Wall



“ We are so sorry for the loss of your dear Mother, Anne. Our hearts and prayers are with you and your family at this very sad time for you.

Love,

Bob & Alma Heisler##imported-begin##Robert Heisler##imported-end##

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August 21, 2011 at 09:29 PM



“ we are so sorry to hear that mona passed away. our thoughts and prayers are with all of you. they were great nieghbors here in ocqueoc. may god bless you and keep you in his love at this time of sorrow.##imported-begin##jerry and judi idalski##imported-end##

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August 20, 2011 at 09:54 AM



“ I am so very sorry for your loss. She was a very vibrant and active person and will be missed by all who had any contact with her.##imported-begin##Kathy Radomski##imported-end##

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August 19, 2011 at 06:35 PM



“ Thank you Mona, for your welcome literary guidance - I am eternally grateful. It was a pleasure and a privilege to meet you, however briefly, and I shall always remember your inner and outer beauty.##imported-begin##Lois Koch Bee##imported-end##

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August 19, 2011 at 12:55 PM



“ Although not great with words, please know that you are all in my thoughts and prayers. My deepest sympathies to you. God Bless.###imported-begin###Russell A. Carlson###imported-end##

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August 16, 2011 at 08:04 AM



“ Dear Julie:  
Thinking of you and hoping you find God's strength and peace. Although I only met your mother once, I've enjoyed throughout the years your wonderful stories about your mom, dad, and Dale. Hang on to your memories of laughter in the summertime, boating, card playing, trips up North with Dale for in those memories you will find your mom smiling back at you.###imported-begin###Emilia Webster###imported-end##

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August 15, 2011 at 07:59 PM



“ Margurite-My thoughts and prayers are with you and your family. I am so glad that I had the opportunity to meet your mother, Mona. She was a joy to talk with, and I loved listening to her stories.###imported-begin###Kathlyn ###imported-end##

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August 15, 2011 at 05:57 PM



“ May GOD bless and keep you and your family in your time of need. My prayers go out to you one and all.###imported-begin###Pat & Bernard Cheairs###imported-end##

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August 15, 2011 at 03:12 PM



“ I am so sorry to hear about Aunt Mona.  
I have so many great memories of her and of Uncle Frank and my  
parents. I wish so badly that I could be there with the family on  
Tuesday, but I will be out of the country. You are all in my thoughts  
and prayers!  
Love, Kathleen###imported-begin###Kathleen Ingersoll  
Socket###imported-end##

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August 13, 2011 at 10:44 PM



“ Dear Cousins Anne, Peggy, Dale and Julie;  
  
Your mother was such a strong and independent woman! What an  
inspiration she has been to all of us. When my Mom was in her last  
days and I needed help and advice, I called my Aunt Mona. As  
always, she knew just what to say and do; she was a rock. I will  
always hold her memory in my heart. May God bring you peace and  
comfort in this sad time.  
Love,  
Mike and Vivian###imported-begin###Michael and Vivian  
Ingersoll###imported-end##

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August 13, 2011 at 09:20 PM