



## VIRGINIA M. CAMPBELL

April 30, 1938 - October 2, 2012

VIRGINIA MAE (MAKI) CAMPBELL, 74, of Ontonagon and Covington, MI went to be with the Lord on September 26, 2012. She suffered a stroke and passed away at Aspirus Ontonagon Hospital. Virginia was born on April 30, 1938 in Watton, MI to Eino Maki and Pauline Rantanen Maki. She attended Covington Township Schools and graduated from L'Anse High School. While employed as a civilian at Great Lakes Naval Base in North Chicago, Virginia met and then married William James Campbell. They lived in Illinois and later moved back to Covington. Virginia was a member of the VFW Ladies Auxiliary #8945 where she enjoyed volunteering to make pasties. Virginia also spent time employed at Covington Rest Home attending to the needs of the elderly. She enjoyed listening to her radio and watching old movies. Virginia was selfless and very accepting of everybody she met; if she had one dollar left in her wallet, she gave it away to someone she thought needed it more than her. She loved socializing and laughing with her friends and family. Above all, Virginia was a very proud mother and grandmother. She loved showing off pictures of her family and telling stories of their lives and successes. Virginia was preceded in death by her parents, Eino and Pauline Maki; her husband, William James Campbell; her brothers, Kenneth and James Maki; and a nephew, Joseph "Joey" Maki. She is survived by brother, Fred Maki of Watton, MI; daughter, Tamara (Campbell) Howard of Fuquay-Varina, NC; sons, Terry Campbell of Leesburg, VA, and William Campbell of Ontonagon, MI; 13 grandchildren: Michael Gill, Casey Gill, Tyler Gill, Phillip Howard, Rachel Howard, Rebecca Howard, William Campbell, Jessica Campbell, Cody Campbell, Lindsay Campbell, Hayden Campbell, Shelby Campbell, and Courtney Campbell; 2 great grandchildren; Tyrese Partin and Caleb Partin, niece Tracy (Maki) Taylor and many relatives and friends. Funeral services for Mrs. Campbell were held at 11 am on Tuesday, October 2, 2012 from Trinity Lutheran Church, Covington, MI with Pastor Mark Reinsch officiating. The family greeted friends at the church on Tuesday from 10 am until the time of the service. Virginia was laid to rest, following the service, at Covington Cemetery. A luncheon at the church followed.

# Comments

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“ So sorry to hear of the passing of your mother. I am also very sorry I could not make it to the funeral. Deepest sympathy to you and your families.

**Cindy (Rantanen) Rourk** - October 15, 2012 at 04:28 PM

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“ We are thinking of all of you at this difficult time as saying goodbye is so difficult. If pictures could speak, the photos of Virginia express a happy life full of love, a giving heart and family that cared very deeply. Our deepest sympathy and a warm embrace... Lori, Scott & Family

**Lori & Scott Arledge** - October 09, 2012 at 10:23 AM

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“ Billy, Terry, Tammy and families: So sorry to hear of the passing of your mother. Remember all of the good times you shared with her over the years and hopefully that will make it easier to get through the tough times. My siblings and I will be thinking of you all. Karen, Linda and Tom

**Karen Bemrose-Stonebraker** - October 08, 2012 at 02:45 PM

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“ So sorry for your loss. Had many good times at your house on Ford Rd & then at the house in Covington! Your Mom was a very giving person...and lots of fun to be around too!!!

**Donna** - September 29, 2012 at 04:04 PM

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“ Goodbye to our long time neighbor and friend. Rest in peace Virginia.

**Dennis Leaf** - September 28, 2012 at 06:29 PM

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“ Tammy, Terry, and Bill,  
So sorry to hear of your loss. My favorite memory of your mom is when she attended the women's league Christmas parties at Trinity. She and I would partner for the games, and we always had some great laughs.  
I hope your memories and the support of family and friends get you through this rough time.  
Regards,  
Deb Schultz

**Deb Schultz** - September 28, 2012 at 02:29 PM

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“ Terry, Tammy and Bill  
Thinking of you and your families at this sad time

**Candy and Butch** - September 27, 2012 at 05:38 PM