



## Marie Dolores Mann

November 1, 1923 - June 20, 2010

Marie Dolores “Dee” Mann, of Evansville, Ind., passed away June 20, 2010, at The Heritage Nursing Center in Evansville.

One of nine children, Dee was born on the Feast of All Saints, November 1, 1923, in Lawrence, Massachusetts, to Desire and Leda (LaBelle) Therrien.

Dee contributed to the cause of winning World War II by working in the shipyards of Boston, MA, wiring ships, and it was during this time that she met her husband, Carl, on Valentine’s Day of 1943. They married in Lawrence on September 1, 1945, and eventually settled in Evansville where Carl had been raised in nearby Mt. Vernon, IN.

A seamstress by trade, Dee created many original designs, which were enjoyed by those who commissioned her services over the years. She enjoyed crocheting, gardening, reading, and stressed continuing education. Dee was a woman of great faith in Jesus. Her focus was in life with Him and in her family. She served the Church in many capacities, and taught her seven children to also do the same. She was a member of Holy Spirit Catholic Church.

Dee is survived by her husband, Carl; daughters Susanne Walters (David) of North Port, FL; Michelle Tenbarge (David) of Evansville, IN, and Melanie Holmes (Brad) of Ft. Branch, IN; sons Carl W. Mann II (Merlene) of Newburgh, IN; Kimberly Mann (Diane) of Worcester, MA; Fr. Gordon Mann of Washington, IN; and Miles Mann (Andrea) of Evansville; twelve grandchildren,

Carl W. Mann III (Kim), Clinton Mann (Paula) David Tenbarga, Elizabeth Harvey (Clayton), Barbara Mann, Leda Ruppel, Ryan Tenbarga, Lindsay Mann, Drake Ruppel, William Mann, Daniel Mann, and Jackson Mann; and great-grandchildren Isaac Mann, Sydney Mann, and Savanna Mann, and several nieces and nephews.

Preceding Dee in death were her parents and all of her eight brothers and sisters.

Dee's family wishes to thank her doctors and nurses who helped her in her illnesses, and the Holy Spirit Legion of Mary, particularly Jan Madding and Pat Mahoney, who gave Dee great consolation and care on a daily basis during the last months of her life.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be held on Thursday, June 24, 2010 at 10:00 A.M., at Holy Spirit Catholic Church, with her son, Fr. Gordon Mann officiating. Entombment will be at St. Joseph Catholic Cemetery Mausoleum in Evansville, IN.

Visitation will be from 2 to 8 p.m. on Wednesday at Holy Spirit Catholic Church, 1800 Lodge Avenue, Evansville, IN., where a vigil service will be held at 7:30 p.m.

Special thanks to the Heritage Center and Heritage Hospice for the wonderful care they provided for Dee during her illness.

In lieu of flowers, the family asks that memorial contributions be made to the Washington Catholic Education Endowment in Washington, IN, the Holy Spirit Catholic Church Capital Campaign, the American Cancer Society, or the National Alzheimer's Foundation.

# Previous Events

## Visitation

JUN **23**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

Holy Spirit Catholic Church  
1760 Lodge Avenue  
Evansville, IN

## Visitation

JUN **24**. 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM (CT)

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## Service

JUN **24**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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# Tribute Wall



“ *Pierre Funeral Home created a Tribute Video in memory of Marie Dolores Mann*



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**Pierre Funeral Home** - June 20, 2010 at 12:00 AM



“ *Marie Dolores Mann*

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January 16, 2023 at 06:53 PM



“ *Mother Baby.....I can't wrap my mind around the fact you are physically out of my reach. I hope you can read my mind because I think of you constantly. I used to call you every day at some point and ask "what are you doing?" "as little as possible" or "boy you are so nosey" would be your responses. I miss that. What are you doing these days? Please watch over me, guide me and protect me will you? I love and miss you so very much, mom. All my love,Nonnie###imported-begin###melanie holmes###imported-end###*

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July 06, 2010 at 09:23 AM



“ My Dear Mother,

*I miss you so. Your transition over the years into a close disciple of Jesus gives me comfort in my grief that you are with Him and that you are whole again. I shall never forget our talks in preparation for your journey to God and feel privileged to have been able to give something back to you for all you have given to me, especially my faith in Jesus. It has made me the man and priest that I am today. I wish you were here to listen to my problems, but I trust you are now doing so in a much better way and in a better place to help me and all of us. I will do my best to watch over dad and the family from here and you do so there. It won't be long before we see each other again. I will always try to keep this hole in my heart filled with my memories until that day arrives. Loving you forever, your son,  
Gordon.##imported-begin##Fr. Gordon Mann##imported-end##*

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July 01, 2010 at 02:29 AM



“ Dearest Mother.....as your first born child, I'm so grateful that we had so many years to share good times. Enjoy your peace in Heaven. I'll play a special game of "solitaire" and will be thinking of you.....keep your nose clean.....all my love.....Susanne##imported-begin##Susanne Walters##imported-end##

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June 30, 2010 at 07:39 AM



“ I miss you so very much mom, but am grateful you are no longer suffering or confused. After almost 80 years you are reunited with your mother. I will continue to talk to you each day and will keep our countdown to Christmas ritual :-) I will see you again someday!

Love,  
Shell###imported-begin###Michelle Tenbarge###imported-end##

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June 29, 2010 at 04:47 PM



“ Carl, Merlene and Family:

God bless and comfort you. Thinking of you.

Dee Kirkwood-Barrett###imported-begin###Dee Barrett###imported-end##

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June 24, 2010 at 12:20 PM



“ Carl,  
You and your family are in my thoughts and prayers.###imported-begin###Tammy Duncan###imported-end##

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June 23, 2010 at 05:27 PM



“ Carl, you are in my thoughts and prayers. Sorry for your loss.###imported-begin###Robert Morlock###imported-end##

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June 23, 2010 at 12:18 PM



“ You are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Don Todd##imported-end##

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June 22, 2010 at 10:20 AM



“ Our sympathy to your family. You are in our thoughts and prayers.##imported-begin##Debbie Daniels & Pat Seib##imported-end##

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June 22, 2010 at 09:55 AM



“ Please accept my deepest sympathy. God Bless you and your family.##imported-begin##Kurt Schnautz##imported-end##

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June 22, 2010 at 08:40 AM



“ God bless you and all of your family##imported-begin##Bob Raley##imported-end##

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June 21, 2010 at 06:55 PM



“ Aunt Dee,  
You were a special person in my life and that of my family. Kay and I have often remembered how beautiful we thought you were as kids. Rest in peace you are with your family and with my Steve. I hope you and he will continue to watch over all of us.  
Love, Sara##imported-begin##Sara Ziliak##imported-end##

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June 21, 2010 at 06:46 PM