

Rogene Lee-Jados passed away peacefully at her home on Saturday, January 9, 2016.

She was born on April 14, 1927 in Ludington, MI the daughter of the late Robert J. & Esther Beatrice (Popkowski) Lee. She attended a one room country school in Ludington and graduated from Manistee High School. She married Leon John Jados on June 14, 1947 at Saint Joseph Catholic Church in Manistee. He preceded her in death on July 25, 2002.

Rogene wrote and published two books and numerous magazine articles that were inspired by her faith and family. She also was inspired by basket making and stained glass. She loved golfing and watching *The Golf Channel*, but her greatest pleasure was being involved with the lives of her grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was member of the Catholic Community of Manistee.

She is survived by her daughter; Jane (James) Bialik, two grandsons; Jason (Michelle) Bialik and Jacob (LeAnne) Bialik all of Manistee, nine great grandchildren; Zachary, James, Rebekah, Alex, Nicholas, Sarah, Jenna, & Mariah Bialik and Blake Vargas, two sisters-in-law; Sue Ann Makinen & Isabelle Lindeman, as well as nieces and nephews.

She was also preceded in death by a grandson; Cory Michael Bialik and two brothers; Robert Lee, Jr. and Richard Lee.

A Memorial Mass will be held at 11:00 am on Saturday, April 16 at St. Joseph Church in Manistee. Burial has taken place in Mount Carmel Cemetery.

In lieu of flowers the family suggests you support your local food pantry or Saint Joseph Church.

Please visit Rogene's personal page of memories at [www.oakgrovefh.com](http://www.oakgrovefh.com) to share a story or photo. The family has entrusted the Oak Grove Funeral Home & Cremation Center with funeral arrangements.