

**Marguerite “Peggy” (Altrock) Bukowski**, 90 of Manistee passed away peacefully April 2, 2013, following a brief illness, and will be sadly missed by all who knew her.

Peggy was born in Manistee on January 16, 1923, to Harry F. and Doris (Cummings) Altrock and lived most of her life here. She graduated from Manistee High School in 1941 and was taught nursing by the sisters of Mercy at Mercy Community Hospital. She worked as a nurse most of her life until she retired and became active in the Disabled American Veterans Auxiliary. She thoroughly enjoyed home making, raising her six children, and spending time with her friends and family.

She was preceded in death by her parents and an infant brother, her husband Theodore “Ted” Bukowski, two sons, James E. (Mary Ann) Cole and Harry E. (Nancy) Cole; three daughters, Peggy Ann (Bill) Bacon, Sophie Lee (John) Rogers, and Karen Kay (Donald J.) Darling and two grandsons.

Peggy is survived by one son, Thomas E. (Amy) Cole, and numerous grandchildren and great grandchildren. She was a communicant of the Catholic Community of Manistee.

According to Peggy’s wishes cremation has taken place and a Memorial Mass from The Order of Christian Funerals will be celebrated Saturday, April 13, 2013 at 11:00 AM at Saint Mary of Mount Carmel Shrine Church in Manistee with Reverend John McCracken Celebrant. Burial of Peggy’s cremated remains will take place at Mount Carmel Cemetery in Manistee following the funeral mass.

There will be a family and friend’s visitation at the church on Saturday morning, one hour prior to the funeral mass.

**The Herbert Funeral Home of Manistee is in charge of funeral arrangements.**