

Caroline J. Pomeroy, age 66 of Manistee, Michigan, died Wednesday, September 19, 2012 at West Shore Medical Center in Manistee.

She was born on February 7, 1946 in Manistee, MI daughter of the late Raymond & Janet (Patulski) Garcia. She was a graduate of Onekama High School. After graduation, Caroline was employed with Band Box Cleaners. On June 12, 1968 Caroline married Gary Pomeroy at St. Mary of Mount Carmel Shrine Church in Manistee.

She was employed most of her life as an In Home Health Care Provider, a fitting career for the concern and compassion she shared for others. Taking care of others was her passion and fuel for life. She was a devoted, loving and nurturing mother to her children and all of those she dedicated her time and love to. Caroline enjoyed cooking and gardening and was an attendant of Guardian Angels Catholic Church of Manistee.

Her laughter, love and home cooking will be missed by her family and friends.

She is survived by two daughters, Melissa Pomeroy (Jim Helrigle) of Alexandria, MN and Amy Pomeroy (Lee Borgardt) of Belle Plaine, MN; her son, Stacy (Diane) Pomeroy of Fennville, MI; two grandchildren, Morgan & Nicole Miller; one sister, Winifred Garcia of Stronach, MI and two brothers, Raymond (Mary) Garcia of Manistee, MI and Rio (Josie) Garcia of Filer City, MI and her ex-husband, Gary Pomeroy. Numerous nieces and nephews and uncles also survive her.

She was preceded in death by her parents.

A Memorial Service from the Order of Christian Funerals will be held at 1:30 pm on Saturday, September 22, 2012 at the Herbert Funeral Home in Manistee with Reverend John McCracken officiating. Burial will take place in Mount Carmel Cemetery also in Manistee.

The family will be at the funeral home on Friday evening from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. and again on Saturday one hour prior to service time to receive friends.

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