



Glenda Kern

November 30, 2014

Glenda Marcella Kern, 81, of 2 May Street, died Sunday evening, Nov. 30, 2014 at her home surrounded by her loving family. Born in Pittsfield May 1, 1933, the daughter of Alexander and Wilhelmina Martin Gaviorno, she attended local schools including Pittsfield High School. Mrs. Kern was employed in the Custodial Department at Berkshire Community College from 1973 until her retirement in 1989. She enjoyed gardening and spending time on special occasions at the casino with her grandson and daughters. Mrs. Kern and her husband Bruce were married May 13, 1950. Besides her husband of Lenox, she is survived by her children; Yvonne Sumner of Pittsfield, Sandra Gallagher (Johnny) of Lanesboro, Valerie Hynes (Gary) of Pittsfield, Bonnie Butler (Larry) of Hamilton, GA, Holly Mackey (Robert) of Hinsdale, Bruce Kern of St. Petersburg, Fla., Deann Hinman (Mark) of Pittsfield, and Barron Kern of Lenox; sisters; Dolores Gaylord (Alfred) of Unionville, Conn., June Oakes of Charlton, Mass., and Marilyn Scolforo (Ed) of San Antonio, TX, and Donna Nicholson (Edmund) of Pittsfield; brothers; Alexander, Peter, and Richard, all of Florida; 10 grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, and several nieces and nephews. Besides her parents she was also predeceased by her sister, Gloria Messer. FUNERAL SERVICES: Funeral services and burial will be private and at the convenience of the family. In lieu of flowers donations in her memory may be made to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital in care of the ROCHE FUNERAL HOME, 120 Main Street, Lenox, MA 01240.