



## Cecilia (Sis) Trottier Leake

April 21, 1926 - August 19, 2017

Cecilia (Sis) Trottier Leake of Bay Ridge Community in Traverse City, Michigan passed away on August 19th at the age of 91 years. Sis was born April 21, 1926, and was a graduate of Nashua New Hampshire High School. In 1950, Sis married Charlie Leake, and they eventually settled down in Deerfield, Illinois where they raised 4 sons. During the years 1954 to 1970, Sis and Charlie ran a boys camp named Camp Kechuwa in Michigamme, Michigan in the Upper Peninsula. Sis's passion in life was to help others in need. She constantly volunteered in Traverse City feeding the homeless, fixing Thanksgiving dinners, State Theatre, Cherry Festival, Interlochen events, Opera House, Newcomers group and various other venues across Traverse City, and before that, Hendersonville, North Carolina. Sis's community outreach was like no other and one could always count on her to help when help was needed. The community will miss this strong and giving person and her spirit and drive will remain a strong influence on many of the people that she touched. Sis was preceded in death by her husband, Charlie; her sister, Gabrielle; and her brother, Leon. Sis is survived by her 4 sons and their wives, Charlie and Donna Leake of Claremore, Oklahoma; Donald and Julia Leake of Michigamme, Michigan; Jeffrey and Susan Leake of Traverse City, Michigan; and Jerry and Lisa Leake of Randolph, Massachusetts. Sis leaves behind 7 Grandchildren and 2 Great Grandchildren. Memorial Services for Sis will be held at the Saint Francis Catholic Church in Traverse City, Michigan on September 15 and 16. Friday the 15th will be visitation with the

family from 6:00-9:00 PM with dessert and coffee and the memorial service will take place at 11:00 AM (Viewing begins at 10:00 AM) with a lunch reception following on Saturday the 16th. Father Ken will preside. Arrangements were made by Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home, our family serving yours.

# Tribute Wall



“ Cecilia (Sis) Trottier Leake

January 30, 2023 at 04:02 AM



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January 30, 2023 at 01:03 AM



“ I always admired Sis, she knew who she was, and she made no apology! She was kind, caring and funny. I also find her a role model for a brave, resilient soul.

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“ Sis will be missed...she was such a go-getter! My favorite memory of her was when we subbed for someone in her Euchre group. She couldn't figure out how to let us in the building, so she ran down in her bathrobe...completely forgot it was her night to host. But she was down and dressed in no time flat...even grabbed a snack to share!!

Sue - September 13, 2017 at 12:00 AM