



## Dorothy VanAmburg

June 11, 1935 - June 4, 2014

Dorothy J. VanAmburg, age 78, passed away at her home in Kalkaska, on Wednesday, June 4, 2014 after bravely battling Alzheimer's Disease for many years. She was born on June 11, 1935 in Lima, Ohio to the late Galen and Henrietta (Krebs) Boham. Dorothy married Orin VanAmburg on March 23, 1956 in Brighton, MI where they made their home and raised their 3 children. Dorothy was a retired lunch lady and served children from Michigan to Florida for over 25 years. She was a volunteer at K.A.I.R. for many years. Dorothy was a very skilled seamstress and made all her children's clothing while they were growing up. Her children and grandchildren always looked forward to handmade pajamas at Christmas time. Dorothy also enjoyed baking for her family. She loved crafts of all kind, garage sale shopping, camping, and dancing. Dorothy was a member of the Catholic Church and the Moose Lodge in Mancelona. Dorothy had an adventurous spirit and the great memories she made with her family and friends will always be treasured. She will be deeply missed. Dorothy is survived by her devoted husband of 58 years, Orin; her loving children, Joyce Vivlamore of Kalkaska, Martin (Cherryl) VanAmburg of Brighton, and Diane (Chris) Doyle of Kalkaska; her cherished grandchildren, Heather Pelletier, Ryan Licking, Stephanie VanAmburg, Derek VanAmburg, and Corbett Swaney; her precious great-grandchildren, Hayden, Alyssa, RaeAnn, Kaitlynne, Madison, and Madison; her dear sister, Patricia (Don) Zimmerman of Lima, OH; and many nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her mother, Henrietta; her father, Galen; her stepmother, Gladys;

and her brother and sister-in-law, Donald and Audrey Boham. A memorial service may be held at a later date. Memorial contributions may be given to the Alzheimer's Association, PO Box 96011, Washington, D.C. 20090-6011. Condolences may be left online at [www.wolfeoneill.com](http://www.wolfeoneill.com). Arrangements were made by Wolfe-O'Neill Funeral Home, our family serving yours.

# Tribute Wall



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