



## Mary Ellen Karshall

November 5, 1931 - January 23, 2013

Mary E. Karshall, age 81, of Bangor, passed away Wednesday, January 23, 2013 in Meadow Woods Nursing and Rehabilitation, Bloomingdale. Mary was born November 5, 1931 in Greenville, MO the daughter of Phillip and Edna Irene (Buckingham) Joplin and has lived for over 30 years in the Bangor area. Mary was a member of the Breedsville United Methodist Church where she enjoyed playing organ, and she was a wonderful grandmother and caregiver. Surviving are her 2 grandchildren, John Thomas (Terra) Schultz of Fayetteville, NC, Mary (William Jr.) Anderson of Bangor; 2 great grandchildren, Makayla Moore, LeeAnn Anderson both of Bangor; a brother Charles Joplin of Ellsinore, MO; 3 sisters, Shirley (John) Harkins of Benzonia, MI, Esther Sartin of Vancouver, WA, Irene (Vernon) Gravatt of Arlington, TX; many nieces, nephews and lifelong friends. She was preceded in death by her husband, John Karshall, Sr. in 1998; a daughter, Cheryle Schultz in 1988; 2 sons, Danny Karshall in 1997, and John Karshall, Jr in 2007; and 4 brothers, Howard, Wayne, Robert Joplin in 2008, and James Joplin (J.B.) in 2010; 2 sisters, Betty Joplin and Lilly Randolph. According to her wishes cremation has taken place and a memorial service will take place in the spring. Arrangements by the Bangor Chapel, D. L. Miller Funeral Home. [www.dlmillerfuneralhome.com](http://www.dlmillerfuneralhome.com)

# Cemetery Details

## Monks Cemetery

21196 County Road 687  
Bangor, MI

# Tribute Wall

CH

“ *Carmen Hosier lit a candle in memory of Mary Ellen Karshall*



**Carmen Hosier** - January 28, 2013 at 09:54 AM

DS

“ *My sweet Mary.....What a classy lady she was. My 3 years of knowing this lady gave me memories to cherish and hold onto for the rest of my lifetime. She will NEVER be forgotten. I will miss you Mary..... I am very Thankful for your dedication with much time and love spent with your grandmother while she was with us, you and your children will live on to always know how hard your G.G. fought to be well and how courageous she was through her times of not being well to be there for you in heart and spirit. She was a very beautiful display of what she has put forth in YOU! I am proud to have been able to meet you all. Much love, Diane.*



**Diane Lyn Smith** - January 28, 2013 at 02:33 AM

CW

“ *Mary and family, thinking of you at this time. What a reunion she must be having!*



**Christine Wirick** - January 26, 2013 at 10:29 AM



“ *Sally Goss lit a candle in memory of Mary Ellen Karshall*



**Sally Goss** - January 25, 2013 at 04:46 PM



*My thoughts and prayers are with, especially her Granddaughter and Grandson, Mary and John . . . She loved you two so much! I'll bet she is having such a Great reunion with you Mom! XoXo . . . Sally*

**Sally Goss** - January 25, 2013 at 04:48 PM



“ *Sally Goss lit a candle in memory of Mary Ellen Karshall*



**Sally Goss** - January 25, 2013 at 04:44 PM

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“ *Carma Hanners lit a candle in memory of Mary Ellen Karshall*



**Carma Hanners** - January 25, 2013 at 07:06 AM

PB

“ *Peggy Brayman lit a candle in memory of Mary Ellen Karshall*



**Peggy Brayman** - January 24, 2013 at 04:12 PM

PB

*It was such an honor to know this classy lady and that she welcomed me and my family into hers with open arms. She will surely be missed but on a new journey with her children and husband. We will look out for Mary ann and family*

**Peggy Brayman** - January 24, 2013 at 04:22 PM