



Marie Estelle St. Pierre

September 12, 1923 - August 31, 2012

LEWISTON-Marie Estelle (Saulnier) St. Pierre passed away Friday August 31, 2012. Born in New Bedford, MA on September 12, 1923 the daughter of the late Oliva and Victoria Saulnier. In her youth she was raised and schooled in New Bedford. She cared for her sick mother until her passing all the while helping raise numerous nieces and nephews of her brothers who were at war.

In 1960 she moved to Alhambra, CA and on December 7, 1963 she married J.A. Robert St. Pierre at St. Anthony Catholic Church in San Gabriel, CA. In 1964 they moved to Lewiston and on May 25, 1966 Estelle gave birth to her son Paul C. St. Pierre. In 1974 she joined Cub Scout Pack 116, in Lewiston, to be an Assistant Den Mother to her son's Den. In 1976 she became Den 1 Leader and maintained that position for the next 13 years, long after her son had moved on touching the lives of many scouts along the way. She received an award for 15 years of dedicated service and giving of herself unselfishly to others. Estelle and her husband were involved in the Young at Heart Bowling League. She loved doing crafts and would teach with the patience of a saint. As a wife and mother she was the best anyone could ask for. She had a wonderful sense of humor, and a realistic outlook on life and death. She was a wonderful woman and will be missed by many.

She was predeceased by her husband J.A. Robert St. Pierre, nine brothers and five sisters.

Online condolences and sharing of memories may be expressed at www.lynchbrothers.com NOTICE St. Pierre-Died in Lewiston August 31, 2012. Marie Estelle age 88 of Lewiston. A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated on Wednesday Sept. 5th at 1:00 PM at Holy Cross Church. Burial to follow at St. Peter's Cemetery. Those wishing to make donations may do so in her memory to Ouellette's Adult Foster Care 124 Prospect Avenue Lewiston, ME 04240. Visitation will be held Tuesday from 2-4 & 7-9 PM at Pinette & Lynch Funeral Home 305 Alfred A. Plourde Parkway Lewiston, ME 04240. 784-4023.

Tribute Wall

SS

“ Al and I extend our deepest sympathy for the passing of Estelle. Mom (Aline Saulniers) so often would talk of her, write to her and once many years ago I drove her to Maine and we stopped to see her. She used to show me her letters whenever I was around, when she was living alone, to explain the relationship. We were very sorry that we could not attend the wake nor the funeral. May she now rest in peace with the Lord.

Suzanne Smith Saulniers - September 05, 2012 at 02:13 PM

BI

“ My deepest sympathy to you and your family. Although I didn't get to see Aunt Estelle very much as I got older I still remember the fun times I had when I would go visit as a little girl with my Mom and Dad. My Dad's Mother and she were sisters. My thoughts and prayers are with you.

Brenda Doyle Pichaske - September 03, 2012 at 01:06 PM

WV

“ Paul I am so sorry about the loss of your Mom. It sounds like she was a pretty special woman who touched the lives of many. Those who devote their time and share their wisdom to enrich the lives of children through family or wonderful organizations like scouts are truly a gift to us all. You were the fortunate one to be able to call her Mom. I'm sure having you here in town was truly a blessing to her. Let your memories comfort you in this sad time. Hugs to you and your family my friend. Now you have your own special angel.

Wendy (Nelson) Villani - September 03, 2012 at 10:58 AM

SC

“ I would first like to start off by sending my deepest sympathy to my cousin Paul. I am so sorry for your loss, and I will miss Aunt Estelle dearly. She is the reason I know how to swim. :) I can remember when I was little, she would come down to New Bedford every summer and she would take us to the beach or we would go over to Long Pond and she would teach me how to swim. I used to have the "arm floaties" and she always made me take them off and told me "I'm going to teach you how to swim;" and lo and behold, she did just that. I am very grateful for everything she taught me during my childhood years. Aunt Estelle was one of the best aunts anyone could ever ask for. I will miss her terribly. She touched so many of us in different ways. Rest In Peace Aunt Estelle and you are now with Uncle Bob again !!

Sheri Caton - September 02, 2012 at 11:32 AM

SB

“ even though we have never met your mom, we have heard so many great things about her and from the great neighbor that you are is a testament to a wonderful mom she was may you keep the good memories alive with you and may time heal all wounds we are here if you need us sincerely your neighbors shawn and stephanie barcelou

stephanie and shawn barcelou - September 01, 2012 at 11:34 PM

NC

“ Although we live in New Bedford, MA, Aunt Estelle will be missed by all. She was a very generous and compassionate person who touched many lives. She loved children and loved making things for them. She was very dedicated to her family and we will miss her dearly. She is now with Uncle Bob once again and at peace. Our sincere condolences go out to her son, Paul. We love you and think about you often.

Normand & Pauline Caton - September 01, 2012 at 08:42 PM

PO

“ Aunt Estelle touched the lives of scouts in Massachusetts as well- I still have the ceramic plaque she made when my son entered the Pinewood Derby in Cub Scouts. She was a generous loving person and will be missed. She was the last of a great generation and family. RIP Aunt Estelle

Pamela Oliveira - September 01, 2012 at 07:55 PM