

Obituary for Virginia P. Will (McGarry)



Virginia P. (McGarry) Will, 98, of Syracuse, NY, passed away Monday, October 29, 2012 at the Van Duyn Home in Syracuse. She was born January 16, 1914 in Syracuse, a daughter of Frank and Lillian O'Brien McGarry. On October 25, 1943, Virginia married Bernard L. Will in Syracuse. He predeceased her on October 11, 1985. Virginia had worked at Rudolph Jewelers in Syracuse, and then started their store in Watertown. She later worked for the Addis Co. in Syracuse for 40 years, retiring at the age of 80. She was also a television model for Fashions at Luncheon.

Surviving are her son and daughter-in-law, Gary B. and Bonnie L. Will of Hamilton; sister-in-law, Gloria McGarry of N. Syracuse; grandson, Tyler M. Will of Brownville; several nieces and nephews, including Paul F. Ward of Liverpool; and Lillian Garrity of Burke, VA. Her long time companion, John Downes predeceased her in 2006.

A Mass of Christian Burial will be celebrated at 1pm Friday, November 1, 2012 at the Holy Cross Church, 4112 E. Genesee St., Dewitt, NY.

Entombment will be in St. Mary's Cemetery Mausoleum.

Virginia's family will greet friends at the church on Friday from Noon until 1pm.

Arrangements by Burgess & Tedesco Funeral Home, Hamilton.
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