



Martha Jane Crum

October 17, 1919 - May 3, 2011

Martha Jane Crum, 91, of Boardman and formerly of Niles, died Tuesday, May 3, 2011 at St. Elizabeth's Hospital. She was born October 17, 1919 in Warren, the daughter of Perry W. and Bess (Dunbar) Kingdom, and had lived in Trumbull and Mahoning counties all her life.

A graduate of Warren G. Harding High School, Mrs. Crum attended the Dana School of Music and Kent State University. She was the Past Noble Grand of Warren Rebekah Lodge #453; a fifty year-plus member and Past Matron of Ida McKinley Chapter of the Order of the Eastern Star; a thirty-five year member and Past High Chosen One of Ali Baba Cauldron; a member and Past W.H. Priestess of Trinity Shrine #42, O.W.S.J.; a member of Mary Chesney Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution; a member of Canfield Christian Church, and a former member of Central Christian Church in Warren and Howland Community Church.

She is survived by many friends who cherish her memory and her contributions to our communities. Preceding her in death are her husband, Herman E. Crum, whom she married April 9, 1960 and who died May 10, 1991 and a sister, Mildred Kingdom, beloved teacher at Elm Road School in Warren.

Services are 11:00 a.m. Saturday, May 7, 2011 at McFarland & Son Funeral

Home, with Rev. Philip Smith officiating. Interment will follow at Niles City Cemetery. Friends may call 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. Saturday at the funeral home. Services will be conducted by the Opal Chapter #181 Order of the Eastern Star at 9:45 a.m. Saturday at the funeral home. Material contributions may be made either to Shepherd of the Valley, 301 W. Western Reserve Rd., Poland, Ohio 44514, or Canfield Christian Church, 123 S. Broad St., Canfield, Ohio 44406.

Arrangements are entrusted to McFarland & Son Funeral and Cremation Services Co., 271 N. Park Ave., Warren, Ohio 44481. Please visit www.mcfarlandfuneral.com to view this obituary and send condolences.

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“ *Mrs. Crum was an amazing woman with a most generous heart.*

She was so loved by her many friends and the entire staff of Shepherd of the Valley.

We were honored and blessed to serve her over the many years she lived at Poland and during the time she was at Boardman.

We greatly appreciate her most generous support of Shepherd of the Valley, including the request for Memorial Gifts to come to Shepherd.

She was so kind to share a most interesting and valuable collection of antique toys with all who visited Shepherd of the Valley in Poland. Her gift of that collection to Shepherd will be a lasting tribute to her and her memory!

We are all blessed by her life and look to meet her again in paradise!

*Alan Bayowski
Shepherd of the Valley*

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