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Rose C. Schwery, 93 ✓

July 23, 1907 - May 4, 2001

PANAMA – Rose Catherine Schwery, daughter of James and Catherine (Tuma) Bosek, was born July 23, 1907, in Chicago, IL. She was baptized in Chicago, and confirmed in Panama. She attended school in Chicago, IL. She was raised in Chicago, and came to Panama in 1929, to stay with her sister, Mrs. Dan Glass. The Glass family moved back to Chicago in 1935.

She married Louis Michael Schwery Aug. 25, 1930, at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Panama. Seven children were born to this union. They farmed three and a half miles west of Panama. Louis died March 2, 1959. Rose lived in Panama, until becoming a resident of Elm Crest Retirement Community in 1998. She moved to Little Flower Haven earlier this year. She died May 4, 2001, at Little Flower Haven at age 93 years, nine months and 11 days.

In addition to her parents and her husband, Louis, she was preceded in death by her brothers, George and Frank, and a sister, Mae; two grandchildren, Kevin and Larry; and a daughter-in-law, Carol, children and wife of Jim Schwery. Survivors include her children, Jim Schwery of Panama; Bonnie (Charles) Tremel of Omaha, NE; Marilyn (Eldred) "Mickey" Keane of Panama; Dick Schwery (JoAnn) of Panama; Greg Schwery (Gen) of Houston, TX; Dolores Schaben of Cedar Rapids; Dan Schwery (Nancy) of Mitchell, NE; 48 grandchildren; 64 great grandchildren; one great great grandchild; brother, Joe Bosek of Schaumburg, IL; and other relatives.

A Mass of Christian Burial was celebrated May 7, 2001, at St. Mary of the Assumption Catholic Church in Panama, with Rev. Michael G. Peters celebrant. Burial was in St. Mary's Cemetery in Panama, with Dick Keane, Jason Schwery, Tom Tremel, B.J. Schaben, Leo Schwery and Paul Tremel casket bearers. Pauley Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

