



Barbara Ann Gale

January 8, 1921 - July 30, 2012

Barbara Ann Gale (nee Repinec), 91, died in Berkeley Lake, Georgia on 30 July 2012. She was born in Lansford, Pennsylvania and was a former West Lawn resident and retired nurse. She was a World War II veteran, a Lieutenant Junior Grade in the Navy Nurse Corps, with many assignments in the Pacific. Barbara worked as an Occupational Health Nurse at CPC International. She was a life time member and one of the first women to be a member of the American Legion, Post 123 and American Veterans Post 18 in Lansford, Pennsylvania. She is a member of the Navy Nurse Corps Association and Military Women's Memorial Association. During her residency in West Lawn, she was a member of the Maria High School Mothers Club, St. Mary Star of the Sea Senior Club, CFU Lodge 32, the 8th District Police Advocacy Group and a 23 year volunteer for the Chicago Department of Aging Senior's Group. She received awards from the city of Chicago and was recognized as their Senior Citizen of the year numerous times. Preceded in death was her beloved husband Walter of 56 years. She is survived by one son Joseph (Pam) of Bolingbrook and daughter Alana (Christian) of Berkeley Lake, GA; brothers George of Lansford, PA and Frank (Barbara) of Summit IL; her very good friend Doris Krystek and many nieces, nephews, and godchildren. She was a head of her time when it came to women's role in the workplace and was a role model for all who knew her. Memorial mass Monday, October 8, 2012 at 10 am at St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church, 1501 West Boughton Road, Bolingbrook, Illinois. Interment Tuesday, October

9, 2012 at 10 am at Abraham Lincoln National Cemetery, 20953 West Hoff Road Elwood, Illinois.