S. Margaret Mary Misenko, CSA

S. Margaret Mary Misenko, CSA (Sister Carlann), 81, died Oct. 26, 2004, at St. Francis Home in Fond du Lac.

S. Margaret Mary was born in Nanty Glo, PA, on Jan. 23, 1923, the daughter of Carl and Margaret Gernat Misenko. She professed her vows in the Congregation of St. Agnes on Aug. 15, 1942.

Sister began her 40 years in the ministry of elementary education in 1942 as a first grade teacher at Presentation Parish in North Fond du Lac. She served as principal of St. Patrick’s School in Fond du Lac from 1956 to 1962. She ministered in schools in Wisconsin, New York and Illinois. In her retirement years, S. Margaret Mary tutored and ministered to the sick.

Survivors include her sisters, Dr. Theresa (Dr. Jim) Javois of Stuart, FL, Catherine Kulish of Nanty Glo, PA, and Marie Doran of Ardmore, PA.; her brothers, Joseph (Delores) Misenko of Narberth, PA, and Thomas Misenko of Rocky River, OH; her sisters-in-law, Polly Misenko of Broadview Heights, OH, and Mary Misenko of Philadelphia, PA; her brother-in-law, Dr. Thomas Bresnahan of Springfield, MA; many nieces and nephews; and by the members of the Congregation of St. Agnes with whom she lived and ministered.

Sister Margaret Mary was preceded in death by two brothers, Charles Jr. and Steve Misenko; and her sister, Anne Bresnaham.

• Services: A Liturgy of Christian Burial will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 29, 2004, at St. Francis Home Chapel at 33 Everett St. in Fond du Lac. The Rev. Edward Sippel will be the celebrant. Burial will be at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, Oct. 30, 2004, at St. Joseph’s Springs Cemetery.

• Visitation: Visitation will be held from 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 29, 2004, at Nazareth Court, 375 Gillett St., in Fond du Lac, where a prayer service will be held at 4 p.m.

Sister Margaret Mary’s family and the Sisters of St. Agnes express gratitude to the staffs of St. Francis Home, Nazareth Center, The Cancer Center and of Hospice Hope for their care of Sister during her long struggle with cancer.

Zacherl Funeral Home is serving the Congregation of St. Agnes.