



Mrs. Arlene M. Puffpaff

May 19, 1927 - November 26, 2017

Puffpaff, Mrs. Arlene M.,
Saginaw, Michigan

Arlene was called home to be with her Lord on Sunday, November 26, 2017, at Stone Crest Assisted Living in Freeland surrounded by her family. Age 90 years. Arlene M. Simon was born on May 19, 1927, in Saginaw, to the late John and Rose (Prenzler) Simon. She was married to Harold K. Puffpaff on January 22, 1949, in Saginaw. After 67 years of blessings, Harold went to be with his Lord on June 6, 2016. Prior to raising her family, Arlene was employed at Michigan Bell Telephone Co. She was a faithful member of Bethlehem Lutheran Church, having served in numerous ladies groups, attended Senior Saints, Evangelism, and Bible Study. She tutored children at Bethlehem Lutheran School for many years. Her passion was her family and spending time at Higgins Lake.

Surviving are her children and their spouses, Dr. Steven (Kim) Puffpaff, Springfield, MO; Jan (Scott) Baird, Saginaw; Carol (Dave) Miller, Freeland; Kay (Dan) Denardo, Saginaw; Michael (Rachelle) Puffpaff, Saginaw; 11 grandchildren, Leah Wilson, Steve Puffpaff, Jr., Rachel Puffpaff, Amy LaFlure, Dr. Chris Archangeli, Amy Strahm, Amber Davis, Jason Miller, Danny Denardo, Mollie Puffpaff, and Andrew Puffpaff; 21 great-grandchildren; her brother, Dr. Jack Simon, Aiken, SC, her sister-in-law, Elaine Beckler-McKay,

Mt. Vernon, WA; also many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by her parents, John and Rose Simon, her brother, Robert (Lois) Simon; four sisters-in-law and four brothers-in-law, Ene Simon, Dorothy (Vernon) Neigh, Marvin (Helen) Puffpaff, Jean Puffpaff, Jack Beckler and Joe McKay; also her father-in-law and mother-in-law, Otto and Clara Puffpaff.

The family wishes to express their gratitude and thanks to Stone Crest Assisted Living for their loving and caring support for Arlene.

Funeral service will take place 11:00 a.m. Thursday, November 30, 2017, at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, 808 Weiss, Saginaw. The Rev. Michael R. Korte will officiate with burial in Bethlehem Lutheran Cemetery. Friends are welcome to visit with the family at the Wakeman Funeral Home, Inc., 1218 N. Michigan Ave., Saginaw, on Wednesday from 4:00 to 8:00 p.m., then at the church on Thursday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service. In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be given to the Valley Lutheran High School Foundation for the Harold and Arlene Puffpaff Scholarship Fund. Memories and sympathies of Arlene may be shared with the family on her memorial website at WakemanFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Bethlehem Lutheran Cemetery

3356 Hermansau Road
Saginaw, MI 48603

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV **29**. 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Wakeman Funeral Home, Inc.
1218 N. Michigan Ave.
Saginaw, MI 48602
(989) 752-8531
wakemanfh@charter.net

Visitation

NOV **30**. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Bethlehem Lutheran Church
808 Weiss St.
Saginaw, MI 48602

Funeral Service

NOV **30**. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Mrs. Arlene M. Puffpaff*

September 13, 2022 at 05:01 PM



“ *Mrs. Arlene M. Puffpaff*

September 13, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ *Our thoughts and prayers are with you Steve. Your Mom is the newest bright star in Heaven. God Bless You and your entire family*

Jerd and Susan Clayton - December 01, 2017 at 11:21 AM



“ *I remember Mr. & Mrs. Puffpaff from Higgins Lake. What great times were had by all at the lake cottages. I believe my Mom and Dad, John and Aileen Wizner were friends with your parents, and I believe they'll meet again in Heaven. My own mother passed 3 years ago so she may greet Arlene and the gate. We share in your loss and grief. Prayers for all the family at this difficult time. Sincerely, Kathleen (Wizner) Gross (and from the Wizner family with 13 kids) Rest in Peace Arlene.*

Kathleen Gross - November 30, 2017 at 10:20 AM

CT

“ Caribbean School of Theology purchased the En during Grace for the family of Mrs. Arlene M. Puffpaff.



Caribbean School of Theology - November 29, 2017 at 10:45 AM

CH

“ Prayers for Arlene's entire family as you morn the loss of such a beautiful lady. May you find peace knowing that she is with her Heavenly Father and is rejoicing with all the angels. Kay and Dan and Danny, keep all the memories close to you knowing they will bring bright smiles to your days and also you will have days when the tears flow, but remember Jesus said, " I go to prepare a place for you." Your mom is lucky enough to be at that wonderful place and will be awaiting for you when you arrive. You are in our thoughts and prayers.

Cathy Haglund - November 28, 2017 at 08:19 PM

JS

“ Joyce & Ron Schumacher lit a candle in memory of Mrs. Arlene M. Puffpaff



Joyce & Ron Schumacher - November 28, 2017 at 10:08 AM

JO

Sorry for your loss, God Bless

Joyce - November 28, 2017 at 10:10 AM

AC

“ AGWM Caribbean_US ministry team: your colleagues purchased the Beautiful in Blue for the family of Mrs. Arlene M. Puffpaff.



AGWM Caribbean_US ministry team: your colleagues -
November 27, 2017 at 11:56 PM


Michael
Puffpaff

“ Always on my side, so giving, and thinking of others. I was so lucky to have such a down to earth person in my life. Thank you for being my mother. I love you! Mike

Michael Puffpaff - November 27, 2017 at 09:41 PM

DB

“ Kay, I'm so sorry for your loss. My thoughts and prayers go out to you and your entire family.



Diana Bay - November 27, 2017 at 04:00 PM

SH

“ We need more people as genuine as Aunt Arlene in this world. Her gentle and loving nature made you feel completely content whenever you were in her presence. I've always admired and respected her kindness given to anyone she'd meet. We will miss her greatly here on earth, but rejoice that she has found her heavenly home with the Lord and family.

Susan Halferty - November 27, 2017 at 02:41 PM