



Mrs. Eleanor J. Finger

August 18, 1926 - November 1, 2017

FINGER, MRS. ELEANOR J.
SAGINAW, MICHIGAN

Loving wife, mother, grandmother, great grandmother, and sister passed away peacefully on Wednesday, November 1, 2017, while in the care of Bickford Assisted Living, Saginaw Twp. Age 91 years. Eleanor Jean Fischer was born on August 18, 1926, in Detroit, MI, to the late John F. and Dorothea (Schleicher) Fischer. She was married to Howard W. Finger on May 7, 1949, and after 37 years of marriage, Howard predeceased her on August 12, 1986. Prior to her retirement, Eleanor was employed at Drs. Harold and Ben Mayne as the Office Manager. Eleanor was a member of Peace Lutheran Church. She enjoyed reading the many thank-you notes from the children and staff of Peace for her "Sewn with Love" blankets, which she gave to every new student and staff member. Eleanor had been an avid traveler, was a Soaring Eagle enthusiast and enjoyed many of her grandchildren's activities and accomplishments.

Surviving are her two daughters, Debra (John Myette) Finger, Madison, SD; Renee (Bill) Yeo, Arlington Hts., IL; Three grandsons, Derrick (Sarah), Jordan (Jenn), and Travis Yeo; great-grandchildren, Wesley, Emma, Caden, and Audrey; and a sister, Alice Schutt. She was also predeceased by her sisters Helen Gienapp and Doris Spyker.

Funeral service will be held 11:00 a.m. Monday, November 6, 2017, at Peace Lutheran Church, 3427 Adams Ave., Saginaw. The Rev. W. Roger Stauffer will officiate. Entombment will follow later in Roselawn Memorial Gardens Mausoleum. Friends are welcome to visit with the family at the Wakeman Funeral Home, Inc., 1218 N. Michigan Ave., Saginaw, on Sunday from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., then at the church on Monday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of service. Memorial contributions may be given to Peace Lutheran Church. Memories and sympathies of Eleanor may be shared with the family on her memorial website at WakemanFuneralHome.com

Cemetery Details

Roselawn Memorial Gardens Mausoleum

950 N. Center Road
Saginaw, MI 48638

Previous Events

Visitation

NOV 5. 2:00 PM - 6:00 PM (ET)

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

Visitation

NOV 6. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Peace Lutheran Church
3427 Adams Ave.
Saginaw, MI 48602

Funeral Service

NOV 6. 11:00 AM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Mrs. Eleanor J. Finger

September 13, 2022 at 05:01 PM



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September 13, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ I was lucky enough to be your mothers hairstylist in the mid 70 and 80s. I was young and she was intimidating. Kind and loving but intimidating LoL I enjoyed the stories of working trips with your father. I especially remember one year she asked me if I wanted anything from spring training. A dear friends daughter was smitten with Kirk Gibson so I asked for an autographed ball. He was notoriously unfriendly but she said she would ttry. Bless her heart she was able to get it! My friend still talks about her favorite graduation gift. I'm so sorry for your loss. I wanted you to know I remember ❤️

Donna Ray - November 07, 2017 at 07:56 PM



“ Strength & Solace Spray was purchased for the family of Mrs. Eleanor J. Finger.



November 03, 2017 at 10:18 PM

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“ *Debbie and Renee, I am so sorry to hear of your loss. I have very fond memories of both your parents and growing up with such good neighbors. You are both in my thoughts and prayers.*

Ed (Eddie) Quinnan

Ed Quinnan - November 03, 2017 at 08:38 PM