



Peggy A. Rivett

December 23, 1926 - February 23, 2020

Rivett, Peggy Ann
Saginaw, Michigan

Peggy Ann Rivett began her life in Heaven on Sunday morning, February 23, 2020, while under the wonderful care of New Hope Valley Assisted Living. She was blessed with 93 years. Peggy was born on December 23, 1926, in Saginaw, Michigan, to the late Clarence and Mabel (Otto) Rivett. She was baptized at Trinity Lutheran Church, later she became a faithful member at Bethlehem Lutheran Church and remained so for the remainder of her life, where she participated in Bible classes and Evangelism activities. Prior to her retirement in 1988, Peggy was employed by the Saginaw News as Secretary to the Editor for 42 years. She enjoyed volunteering at HealthSource Saginaw; the City Rescue Mission; and Bethlehem Braille Center. She loved animals and supported the Humane Society and many other animal rescue agencies.

Peggy lived her life believing and following the Bible passage Proverbs 3:5-6: "Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding. In all your ways acknowledge Him and He will direct your path."

Peggy is survived by her goddaughter, Julie Katur of Flushing, Michigan and eight second cousins, Martha Schneider of Fernley, Nevada; David G. Schneider of Flower Mound, Texas; Mary Kathryn Richardson of Reno,

Nevada; Robert and Mark Miller of Schwartz Creek, Michigan; Michael Miller of Boca Raton, Florida; and Marcia Miller of Burton, Michigan; Gretchen Beck, Sparks, Nevada. She was predeceased by her dear cousin, Donna Schneider and her second cousin, James Schneider, Jr. Peggy was grateful for the long-standing friendship of Joanne Mynarzy and especially for the loving care and concern of her friends and sisters in Christ, Lois Smith, Nancy French, and Jean McCain during her lengthy illness. She also expressed appreciation for Belia Santoya, her personal care giver and friend, for the care givers of New Hope Valley Assisted Living, Covenant Visiting Nurses, and for the exceptional care by Southern Care Hospice. Their genuine concern was deeply appreciated.

Peggy believed firmly that her soul would never die, but will live with Jesus in Heaven until Resurrection Day, when it will be united with her new and perfect body to live with Christ forever as His baptized, beloved, forgiven child - as He has promised to all who believe in Jesus Christ as their Lord and Savior.

The Celebration of Peggy's Life will be held 11:00 a.m., Monday, March 2, 2020, at Wakeman Funeral Home, 1218 N. Michigan Ave., Saginaw, Michigan. The Rev. Michael Hahn will officiate. Friends are welcome to visit with the family on Monday from 10:00 a.m. until the time of Peggy's Celebration. In accordance with Peggy's wishes, cremation has taken place and she will be laid to rest upon her mother's grave in Forest Lawn Cemetery on Thursday, July 30, 2020, at 10:00 a.m., where The Rev. Michael Hahn will officiate her committal service. Memorials may be given to the Bethlehem Braille Center at Bethlehem Lutheran Church, or to the Saginaw Humane Society. Memories and sympathies of Peggy may be shared with the family on her memorial website at WakemanFuneralHome.com

Previous Events

Visitation

MAR 2. 10:00 AM - 11:00 AM (ET)

Wakeman Funeral Home, Inc.
1218 N. Michigan Ave.
Saginaw, MI 48602
(989) 752-8531
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Celebration of Life

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Committal Service

JUL 30. 10:00 AM (ET)

Forest Lawn Cemetery
3210 S. Washington Ave.
Saginaw, MI 48601

Tribute Wall



“ *Peggy A. Rivett*

September 13, 2022 at 05:01 PM



“ *Peggy A. Rivett*

September 13, 2022 at 02:27 PM



“ *I worked with Peggy at The News during the 1950's. We shared a memorable vacation aboard a sailing ship off the coast of Maine in 1957. Good memories. My sympathy, Betty Van Ochten*

Betty J. Van Ochten - February 28, 2020 at 10:00 AM



Peggy's Mom insisted on going to Luther Manor in her waning years. Peggy confided in me that her Dad was Catholic and had been disowned by his Mother for marrying out of the Church. She always had her little doggy riding in her car with her.

Bob Diebold - March 01, 2020 at 10:19 AM

MS

“ My siblings and myself always called Peggy our Aunt but was our mother Donna Schneider's cousin. Aunt Peggy was always in our lives growing up!! She was fun and a quick wit and a deeply Christian woman. Later in life Aunt Peggy and I talked a lot about our faith. I remember once saying "I sure hope I get to heaven someday". Well, boy did I get a stern talking to about my faith and my belief in our Lord. Aunt Peggy said "I never want to hear that ever coming out of your mouth again and she meant it!! Peggy was truly an important part of the Schneider kids growing up and I know she will be missed but is now in heaven with her Lord! With loving memories, Martha Schneider

Martha Schneider - February 27, 2020 at 02:49 PM

MG

“ I remember Peggy volunteering at HealthSource Saginaw. I worked there in the activities department and we used to help the volunteers take residents to and from church service on Monday mornings. I retired in 2012 but remember her because she always had something nice to say to everyone and she was always smiling. I know she will be dearly missed.

Michael R Gaudreau - February 24, 2020 at 03:26 PM

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Peggy and her mother were neighbors and dear friends of mine for many years. The last time I saw Peggy was when she became a resident at Hoyt Nursing Home and I was volunteering leading a Prayer and Praise Services on Wednesdays, there. She was a very special person.

Bob Diebold - March 01, 2020 at 10:10 AM

JB

“ I was fortunate to know Peg as a classmate in Bible class. She shared her down to earth saving faith with us all. God's peace to her family and friends.

John Brandt - February 23, 2020 at 04:07 PM