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Big Rapids - Blanche Virginia Perron, 96, of Big Rapids, passed away Tuesday, September 7, 2021, at Spectrum Health Big Rapids Hospital.

She was born August 15, 1925, in Lincoln, Nebraska, the daughter of Carl and Laura (Haglund) Peterson. Blanche graduated from Strandburg High School in 1943 as valedictorian of her class. She then attended Nettleton Commercial College in Sioux Falls, SD.

On August 24, 1954, she married Howard Perron, who preceded her in death in 2018. Blanche was a longtime member of the First United Methodist Church. She was an avid skier, golfer, and a Red Cross volunteer for several years. After Howard retired, they enjoyed traveling.

She is survived by her children, Colette Lott of Aurora, CO, Gayle Perron-Krawetz (Eric) of Lafayette, CO, Howard II (Roxanne) of Port Huron, Stuart (Joanne) of Morley, and Everett (Lenka) of St. Clair Shores; 12 grandchildren; 17 great-grandchildren; two great great-grandsons; her brother Carlton (Kay) Peterson of Richardson, TX; and many nieces and nephews. Blanche was also preceded in death by her grandsons Dan and Mike Freiberg, and her brother Kenneth Peterson.

Funeral services will be at 10:00 a.m., Saturday, September 11, 2021, at the Mohnke Funeral Home in Big Rapids with Pastor Jeff Lemire officiating. Blanche's family will greet friends beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday at the funeral home. Burial will follow in Pine Plains Cemetery. Memorial contributions in Blanche's name may be made to the Alzheimer's Association Research 225 N. Michigan Ave. Fl. 17, Chicago, IL 60601 or at alz.org, or to American Macular Degeneration Foundation P.O. Box 515, Northampton, MA 01061-0515 or at macular.org. Share a memory or express condolences at mohnkefuneralhome.com.



Tribute Wall

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BO

Bonnie Oley posted:

I am so very sorry for your loss. Bill and I had so much fun with both of your parents. They were the best of times. I'm sorry I was not aware of this in time to come to the visitation. Blanche certainly loved her family ❤️

September 11 at 8:00 PM

DK

Dawn J Traynor-Keith posted:

Collette, my sincere condolences! Keeping you and your family in my thoughts and prayers!

September 9 at 8:00 PM

MT

Mercer Southfield Wealth Team lit a candle in honor of Blanche.

We are so very sorry to hear about your loss. While we had not met Mrs. Perron prior to her passing, Everett has been such a great, kind friend to us over the years and we know that speaks volumes about the character that was passed to him from his mother

September 9 at 8:00 PM



KR

Kristin lit a candle in honor of Blanche.

I am so sorry for your loss. Sending hugs and prayers to you and your family.

September 8 at 8:00 PM



CK

Christine Krueger lit a candle in honor of Blanche.

I only met Mrs. Perron once, at her granddaughter's wedding, but she was delightful. She lived a long and full life, and raised five wonderful children. I know she will be missed, but I'm sure she will continue watching over her large family with

September 8 at 8:00 PM





Memories only last if you share them

Join us in honoring Blanche by contributing to a collection of shared memories.



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