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In Loving Memory of Donalyn Winter – Big Rapids

Donalyn Winter, the fourth of Raymond and Pearl Winter's seven children, died peacefully on January 15, 2024, in Big Rapids. She was 91. Raised on the family farm in Big Rapids, Donalyn moved to Grand Rapids after high school and worked as an executive assistant for most of her life. She returned to Big Rapids in recent years.

Donalyn and her former husband, Raymundo Hernandez (deceased), raised their four children, Victor, Donald (deceased), Laurie (Mark Stavropoulos) and Joan Warner (Paul) in Dutton, MI. It was a small, always neat, well-decorated house with a flower-filled yard.

Granddaughters Devon Warner and Samantha Stavropoulos brought great joy to Donalyn. She reveled in their every accomplishment. Her younger siblings Katherine Martz, Diane and Gene Bongard, Stephen and Cheryl Winter provided wonderful support and care to Donalyn.


In addition to her parents and son Donald Mark, Donalyn was preceded in death by: Marian, Richard, and Sara Mursch, Ellen and John Murphy, Frank and Monai Winter, and Al Martz.

Donalyn was an expert seamstress, a talented cook like all the Winter "girls", family historian and enjoyed debating on any subject.


Memorial Services will be at 11 a.m., Saturday, May 18, 2024, at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Big Rapids where her family and friends will celebrate her life. Care and arrangements are entrusted to Mohnke Janowicz Funeral Home in Big Rapids. Share a memory or express condolences at mohnkefuneralhome.com.

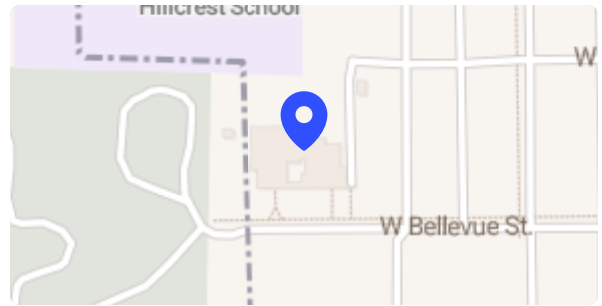


Memorial Service

 **Saturday**, May 18, 2024

 11:00 AM ET

 **St. Peter's Lutheran Church**
408 W. Bellevue St., Big Rapids MI 49307





Tribute Wall

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Samantha Dosch posted:

Donna, you will be greatly missed. You always made sure that us girls at Fields knew how much of a blessing we were to you. We are all so blessed to have met you. It was always a joy coming to work and being around your spunky self. You would always make my day when you would tell us girls you were just going to look out of the window and then next thing you know, you were escaping to soak up some sun on the patio. You always kept us on our toes, that's for sure! You will be greatly missed, Donna. Wishing your family peace and comfort at this time of sorrow.

February 10 at 9:38 PM

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Nancy Owens posted:

Dear Vic, Laurie, and Joan, I am so sorry to see that your Mom passed. I have good memories of the time we spent together and of how she included me with her family. My condolences to your families.
Nancy Owens

February 9 at 7:16 AM



Memories only last if you share them

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



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