



Elsie M. Wierzba

May 31, 1937 - July 18, 2017

Elsie Marie Wierzba, age 80 of Crown Point IN, passed away at home surrounded by loved ones on Tuesday July 18, 2017. She was born to John and Elsie Felinski (nee Michl) on May 31, 1937. Elsie is survived by her husband- Richard of 61 ½ years; sister and best friend- Barbara (Frank) Jasin of Crown Point; children- Sherrie (Barry) Van Deursen of Lowell, Nancy (Tom) Reed of Zionsville, Ronnie (Rose) Wierzba of Demotte; grandchildren- Casey (Todd) Pflughoeft, Jillian (Nathan) Bilhorn, Matthew (Katie) Van Deursen, Cody (McKinley) Van Deursen, Tyler (Tiffany) Reed, Luke Reed, Joshua (Dana) Wierzba, Mallory (Brien) Jarvis, Lauren Wierzba; great grandchildren- Alexandra, Emma, Ashton, Abigail, Beckett, Hudson, Brecken, Max, Grayson, Oliver, Mary, Vivienne, Julia, Maggie, Henry, Wyatt, Jude, and Lincoln; nieces- Suzie (Doug) Roe, Janet Foster, and great nephew- Kyle. She was preceded in death by her parents- John and Elsie Felinski, great grandson- Alexander Thomas Reed. Elsie was a “die hard” Cubs fan her entire life! She also enjoyed, and was a very talented seamstress along with being a professional QVC shopper. She loved her children, grandchildren and great- grandchildren. Elsie (Gma) loved to banter with them on social media. She was a member of Hebron Chapter # 119, Worthy Matron of Olive Chapter # 396 from 1982 – 1983, 19th District Deputy 1984 – 1985, Grand Ruth 1985 – 1986. Friends are invited to visit with Elsie’s family on Friday July 21, 2017 from 2 p.m. - 8 p.m. at Burns Funeral Home, 10101 Broadway, Crown Point, IN. Funeral service on Saturday, July 22, 2017 at 10 a.m. at Burns. Pastor Tim

Hestor officiating, OES Service Friday at 7 p.m. Please note: Attire for the visitation and funeral will be Chicago Cubs Apparel. Contributions may be made to Hospice of the Calumet Area. www.burnsfuneral.com

Cemetery Details

Calumet Park Cemetery

2305 W. 73rd Ave.
Merrillville, IN 46410

Previous Events

Visitation

JUL **21**. 2:00 PM - 8:00 PM (CT)

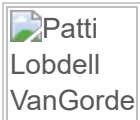
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Funeral Service

JUL **22**. 10:00 AM (CT)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Dick, We are so sorry we couldn't make it up there. Roger and I were very saddened to hear of your dear wife's passing. Roger shared some memories of her with me as I never had the chance to meet her. Please know that you are in our thoughts and prayers. God bless you and take care of yourself. Roger and Patti VanGorden*

Patti Lobdell VanGorden - July 25, 2017 at 08:54 AM

A grey square profile picture with the initials 'TK' in white.

“ *Dear Dickie, and family, we are so sorry for your loss. Our thoughts and prayers are with each of you. May your memories of her love and laughter bring you some peace during this time. Our deepest condolences Tena Darrell Chelsea and Mitch*

Tena Kartinen - July 22, 2017 at 04:30 PM



“ *Pretty Please was purchased for the family of Elsie M. Wierzba.*



July 21, 2017 at 02:30 PM

A green square profile picture with the initials 'CB' in white.

“ *Richard and family, I am saddened to hear of the passing of Elsie. Your family is in my prayers during this time. May you celebrate her life and have many fond memories in the days ahead. Caryn Boon*

Caryn Boon - July 21, 2017 at 12:41 PM



“ *Sweet Tranquility Basket was purchased for the family of Elsie M. Wierzba.*



July 20, 2017 at 11:30 PM



“ *Enchanted Cottage was purchased for the family of Elsie M. Wierzba.*



July 20, 2017 at 08:27 PM



“ *Full Of Love Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elsie M. Wierzba.*



July 20, 2017 at 05:40 PM



“ *We are so sorry for your loss!! She was a wonderful person and I am sorry we are unable to attend the funeral. We have made a donation to the Hospice of Calumet in her name. Love you all and please know you are in our thoughts and prayers. Love, Tim Jayme Henry and Elsa Kuhns*

Jayme Kuhns - July 20, 2017 at 05:04 PM

OS

“ Richard, I was so sorry to hear of your loss. I extend my sincere sympathy to you and your family. I have thought of you and Elsie many times throughout the years and always remember the memorable year we shared in 85-86. Elsie was one of my star point sisters. She was a lovely lady. I pray that GOD will bless and comfort you in the days ahead. OmaNell Strong

OmaNell Strong - July 20, 2017 at 04:08 PM



“ Sapphire Skies Bouquet was purchased for the family of Elsie M. Wierzba.



July 20, 2017 at 02:00 PM

G#

“ Glen Park Lodge #732 purchased the Sentiments of Serenity Spray for the family of Elsie M. Wierzba.



Glen Park Lodge #732 - July 20, 2017 at 12:34 PM

PE

“ *Elsie was a joy to know and I loved being in her presence. She was a true lady of elegance and style. Her smile was always there with a "touch of love" that encompassed all in her life. I will greatly miss her.*

Pat and Harry Ellis

OES #340

Past Deputy District 3



Pat Ellis - July 20, 2017 at 11:10 AM

TB

“ *Tim and Staci Brown purchased the Medium Dish Garden for the family of Elsie M. Wierzba.*



Tim and Staci Brown - July 20, 2017 at 10:01 AM



MaryAnn
Nagy

“ *Dear Richard and the Wierzba family, My heart goes out to you on the passing of Elsie into eternal life. May God wrap His loving arms around each of you and give you the strength to endure your loss. She was a dear friend and classmate and she will be missed for her smile and caring ways.*

May her memory be eternal!

Sincerely,

Mary Ann (Bilyak) Nagy



MaryAnn Nagy - July 19, 2017 at 07:59 PM



“ *Rainbow Reflections Basket was purchased for the family of Elsie M. Wierzba.*



July 19, 2017 at 07:56 PM



“ *Peaceful White Lilies Basket was purchased for the family of Elsie M. Wierzba.*



July 19, 2017 at 06:43 PM