



Ernestine Louise Chisholm

August 10, 1921 - October 20, 2016

Chisholm, Ernestine L., age 95, of Grand Rapids, formerly of Farmington Hills and Royal Oak, passed away October 20, 2016 at St. Ann's Home. She was born August 10, 1921 in Detroit to the late Ernest and Marie Forgue.

Ernestine was a graduate of St. Mary High School in Royal Oak and attended St. Joseph Hospital Nursing School in Pontiac. She went to work as a nurse in Tooele, Utah at an Army field hospital caring for Italian POW's during World War II. Active within her community, Ernestine was involved with the Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts, was past president of the St. Fabian Parish Council and a longtime member of the Shrine Parish. Ernestine's life was lovingly centered on her family. She and her beloved husband celebrated 52 years of marriage in 1996.

Beloved wife of the late Donald H. Chisholm (d. 1996); loving mother of Donald (Mary) Chisholm, Diane (Andrew) Kozak, Michael (Barbara) Chisholm, Eric (Betsy) Chisholm and Brian (Carole) Chisholm; proud grandmother of 14: Mary Ellen, Elizabeth, Andrea, Matthew, Drew, Donald, Emily, Craig, Jeremy, Clifford, Ryan, Katherine, Eric and Angela; and great grandmother of 18: Jackson, Alexandra, Joseph, Elizabeth, Olivia, Jacob, Nicholas, Arianna, John Michael, Juliette, Penelope, Collin, Auden, Samuel, Henry, William, Reagan, and Lucia.

Visitation Monday 3-9 p.m. with a 7 p.m. Service at the Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Home, 705 W 11 Mile Road (4 blocks E of Woodward), Royal Oak. In state Tuesday 9:30 a.m. until the time of Mass 10 a.m. at the National Shrine of the Little Flower Basilica, Royal Oak. Burial at Holy Sepulchre Cemetery, Southfield. Memorials to the Society of St. Vincent de Paul are appreciated. Share your memories at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **24.** 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM (ET)

Wm. Sullivan and Son Funeral Directors-Royal Oak
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Royal Oak, MI 48067
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Scripture Service

OCT **24.** 7:00 PM (ET)

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In-State At Church

OCT **25.** 9:30 AM - 10:00 AM (ET)

National Shrine of the Little Flower Basilica
2100 W. 12 Mile Road
Royal Oak, MI 48073

Funeral Mass

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Tribute Wall

JM

“*Joyce Meagher purchased the Beautiful Heart Bouquet for the family of Ernestine Louise Chisholm.*



Joyce Meagher - October 24, 2016 at 09:40 AM

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“*Always there for everyone,
A family woman to all, bare none.
Her beautiful smile, her lovely bearing,
But, most of all, a life spent caring.*

You will be deeply missed, dear Ernie.

*Much love,
Joyce Meagher*

Joyce Meagher - October 24, 2016 at 08:43 AM

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“ *Grandma Ernie will be dearly missed. She was a very special Lady. She was like a missing part of all the Les Weber's family and extended family becoming a surrogate Grandmother to all my nieces and nephews and my own children. She always reminded me of the Queen Mother of England. Wishing you all our prayers and deepest sympathy.*

I am so sorry I am not able to make it for the visitation or funeral Mass because of my recent surgery but Mike plans to come Monday for visitation.



All our Love, Mary Jo (Weber) and Mike Damveld and family

Mary Jo And Mike Damveld family - October 23, 2016 at 04:49 PM



“ *Dreams From the Heart Bouquet was purchased for the family of Ernestine Louise Chisholm.*



October 22, 2016 at 12:04 PM