



Jane Alden Larson

February 21, 1924 - December 8, 2013

Jane Alden Larson, age 89 of Shelby Twp. passed away Dec. 8, 2013 at her residence. She was born Feb. 21, 1924 in Brockton, Mass. Beloved mother of Stephanie A. Frey, Stacia George Champion, Richard W. Larson and the late Sharon Miles. Loving grandmother of 13 grandchildren, 28 great grandchildren, 3 great great grandchildren and numerous nieces and nephews. Pre-deceased by her parents Alden and Myrtle Gardner, 5 sisters and 1 brother. Jane worked as a cook with the Warren Consolidated Schools, Camp Tamarack in Brighton and was a housemother at Michigan Lutheran Seminary in Saginaw for 20 years. Jane was a very kind, considerate and compassionate person to all. She was always ready for a road trip or an adventure. Family, friends and faith filled her life. Funeral service 12:00 p.m. Wednesday at Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 8459 Hall Rd. 3 blks. E. of Van Dyke Utica. Visitation 2:00 - 9:00 p.m. Tuesday. Memorials suggested to The Michigan Lutheran Seminary or Ascension Lutheran Church. Please share a memory at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com

Tribute Wall

SL

“ Jane was such a sweet person. It's neat hearing from the other comments what a caring housemother she was. I am a staff person from the READ Association in Saginaw, where Jane was a reading mentor as well as an office volunteer. Since the day we met after I started at READ we always had a special connection because our names were similar - mine being SaraJane Larsen. Jane had such a cheerful, caring way that she brought to the office when she helped out. It was a blessing knowing her.

SaraJane Larsen - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ I am sorry for your loss. I have fond memories of Aunt Jane looking after us in the dorms! I got a few funny notes from her saying, "Just because you bring me chocolate chip cookies, sophomore munchkin, doesn't mean you don't have to make your bed!" She attended our wedding with Dean Post. I really loved Aunt Jane!

Kim Zondervan Whittaker - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

WG

“ A truly perfect housemother for so many young girls away from home. An icon at MLS whose service and dedication changed and impacted the lives of so many. Well done good and faithful servant.

wendy gumm - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

YH

“ I was a student at MLS from 1972 until 1976 and had the distinct pleasure of having Aunt Jane as a dorm mother. I kept in touch with her after graduation and whenever I returned to Saginaw from the Toledo area, I would look her up or call her. I even invited her to my wedding in 1996 but sorry to say, she couldn't make it. Within the week, I received a pkg. from her. She had sent me a wedding gift. To this day, it still hangs on my kitchen wall. I can't put it away as it's so adorable! It's a 'bra and panties' set that is made out of dishclothes and has the cutest little poem that goes with it. I often think of her when I pass it hanging there. I had lost touch the last several years and for that I am truly sorry as I loved her 'spirit'. She was a remarkable woman who I loved as my own Mom. I send my condolences to all of the family. She is now singing with the angels and I look forward to seeing her again in eternity. Much love,
Yvonne LeDuc Hawkins

Yvonne LeDuc Hawkins - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Dear Larson family, I am remorseful about your loss and like to extend my deepest sympathy for your loved one Jane Larson. From personal experience I know that the death of a love one causes pain and grief and sometimes it seems unbearable. The Scriptures contain comfort that can assist us during times of distress. The ransom of Jesus and the hope of seeing my loved one again in the resurrection brought me comfort. I would like to share these three scriptures with you to give you comfort John 5:28, 29, Acts 24:15 and Romans 15:4. May the God of comfort give you peace and rest.

Mrs Higgins - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JB

“ Aunt Jane was a special part of our MLS family. She had a tough job keeping us in line! I am thankful for her influence, and even more thankful that she can celebrate Christmas with Jesus in heaven. May the Lord's comfort be yours in the days and weeks ahead!

Jon Brohn - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

IG

“ I was thinking about her yesterday. Isn't that something that she would come to my mind, even though I didn't know she passed away? I think so. Now in heaven she gets to see and hear all...be everywhere, anywhere. A housemother's dream come true.

Irene Grambow - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

JD

“ Aunt Jane was a blessing to so many at MLS, including me. I got to know her a little better when I cleaned house for her one year when she was living in the Spaude's house while they were on sabbatical I think that's how it all played out. I pray her family finds strength and comfort in our Savior's promise of salvation!

Jill Doering - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

KW

“ I graduated from MLS in 1995. Aunt Jane was a dear friend of my grandparents, who lived across the street from MLS. I had opportunities to spend time with her both in and out of the school setting, and remember her as a very caring woman. After my grandparents passed away my family was going through all of the cookbooks and countless recipes in the kitchen - we came upon several that were passed along from Jane, which are now in my possession. May God's love surround you!

Karena Falck Wice - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MG

“ I was just notified via Facebook by a former MLS student. My name is Marjean Gonzalez, I live in the Chicago area. I graduated from MLS in 1979. I have many fond memories of Aunt Jane. In particular, I remember getting very sick and her being very concerned. I also remember sitting with her some Saturday nights and talking with her while she would knit. She would tell me about how she was a swimmer in high school. I wasn't very popular, so the dorm was often empty on weekends, with just a few students, and her. I did write to her after I had graduated from college and married, but I'm sad to say I didn't keep up the correspondence. I just want Aunt Jane's family to know that she was dearly loved by me and other students, and I was impressed with her quiet, caring, thoughtful nature. May God bless all of you, her family, and may you take joy in knowing how she blessed so many.

Marjean Gonzalez - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM