



Jane Herley Seymour

November 27, 1918 - October 15, 2008

Jane Herley Seymour, age 89, a 36-year resident of Royal Oak and formerly a 25-year resident of Berkley, died on Wednesday, October 15, 2008, at William Beaumont Hospital in Royal Oak. Mrs. Seymour was a member of the Royal Oak Woman's Club, St. Mary Catholic Church and a former member of the National Shrine of the Little Flower Catholic Church. She is survived by her children, John Donna Seymour of Laguna Niguel, CA, Richard Kathleen Seymour of Royal Oak, James Nancy Seymour of Deerfield, IL, Mary John Ruttan of Zapata, TX, Paul Seymour of Okemos and Mark Peggy Seymour of Mercer Island, WA; sister, Alice Earl O'Connor of New Port Richey, FL; grandchildren, Matt, Dan, Heather, Scott, Chris, Beth, Mary Ellen, Leslie, Jim, Jeff, Todd, Gary, Carol, Katie and Alexis; 17 great grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She was preceded in death by her husband, Bartholomew Seymour, in 1970. The couple were married November 16, 1940 in Detroit. Visitation Sunday 2-8 p.m. with a 7 p.m. scripture service at Wm. Sullivan & Son Funeral Home, 705 W 11 Mile Rd. 4 blks. E of Woodward, Royal Oak. In state Monday 9:30 a.m. until time of mass 10 a.m. at St. Mary Catholic Church, Royal Oak. In lieu of flowers, memorials to Shrine High School appreciated. Share your memories at www.sullivanfuneraldirectors.com.

Tribute Wall

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“ Paul my condolences to you and your family. It is extremely hard to have ones mother pass on. I saw this by accident and recognized your name from when I was in College. God bless you. My mother passed away in 1996 and my husband in 2005. Memories eventually ease the pain. Just an old acquaintance from Kalamazoo MI.

Sue Law - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

PA

“ Seeing so many of the family members at the funeral and lunch afterwards brought back many fond memories of other happier family get togethers. What a huge fun group we were/are. Having moved from the area many years ago and with everyone being so busy with our own lives/kids/etc, I really miss the closeness and camaraderie of the 'old days'. I know Aunt Jane will be sorely missed by many. She was truly a great lady!

Pat Hayes Andrews - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Mark & Paul: I am so sorry to hear of your mother's passing. Our thoughts and prayers are with you during this time. Love to all of you. Camme, Corey, Amanda and Kirsten Isbell

Camme & Corey Isbell - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

MH

“ Dear Rick Kathy & Family, We are so very sorry to hear of the passing of your wonderful mother. She was truly a great lady and dear friend to all of us in the Glynn Family. Thinking of her will always put a smile on my face! Thank you Mrs. Seymour for sharing 50 plus years with us and for creating such wonderful and lasting memories. Our deepest sympathy to all of you at this difficult time. With love, Sissel & Marty

Mr. & Mrs. Martin Hartwell - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM



“ To John, Jim, Rick, Mary, Paul and Mark: We are both so sorry for your your loss. Aunt Jane was and will be such an abiding presence in the memories of our beloved Herleys. We are all so fortunate that she was a part of our lives and our history. For such a long time, she made your home the center of so many wonderful memories... There was such love between that clan... I'm sure the love of dear Eileen and Sylvia, sweet brothers Red and Dave and Phil, celebrated brothers Mark, and "Cadillac" Bob, amy darling Dad, and divine sister Pat and, of course, your magnificent father, Bat have all surrounded her with their enduring care.. welcomed her to spirited discussion of the state of the world... and now hold her in the heavenly love that was her birthright. Our hearts break with yours... if only we could keep her for just a little longer. Much love, "Polly" and Brad Stone

March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ Aunt Jane was my late mother's older sister. Mom once told me a story about how, during their teenage years, she and Jane shared a room. Jane had a nice wardrobe, and Mom often borrowed her clothes without asking. Jane finally got fed up with this and put a lock on her closet door! In spite of this, Jane and PatMom were good friends throughout their adult lives. My favorite memory of Jane is a more recent one. A few years ago, my husband and two teenaged children visited Jane in her home on a Sunday afternoon. Jane was at the door as we got out of the car and greeted us with a huge smile and warm hugs. Even though she was already 85 , she had prepared a huge and delicious dinner for us. We were amazed, but she insisted that it was no trouble at all! After dinner, we sat in the living room and looked through a large box of loose photos, laughing and sharing memories. Since my mother had died a few years earlier, this helped me feel more connected again to the extended family. Thank you, Aunt Jane! As my son, David, so aptly put it, "She was a really nice lady."

Liz Carson - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ To the entire Seymour family, I will never forget "Great" and all the fun times that were shared. Like the way she would sit as far away from the kitchen so as to not be called in to do the dishes. Or how she would quietly turn her hearing aid off at Thanksgiving dinner. Or what was in that omelet! I know we all will miss her dearly. But I know she is with her husband, parents, grandparents, and all her family. I know she's having a great time up in heaven. She had a long, full, true life, and she deserves her joyful eternity with GOD.

Niko Seymour - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM

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“ *Maryellen & Beth - My sincerest condolences to you and your family on the loss of your grandmother. I truly feel she's in a much better place and we will all be together again some day. Take Care. Love, Pat Allen*

Pat Allen - March 25, 2015 at 12:00 AM