



Vera W. Fenimore

November 19, 1923 - May 28, 2012

Vera W. Fenimore, 88 of Waverly, NY passed away Monday, May 28, 2012 at the Robert Packer Hospital in Sayre, PA. Vera was born in Halsey Valley, NY on November 19, 1923 the daughter of Arthur and Ella Mae Hollenbeck Whitmarsh. She was a graduate of Spencer High School, Spencer, NY in the class of 1942. In February of 1943, Vera married William D. Fenimore. She was preceded in death by her husband of 55 years in 1998. Vera enlisted in the U.S. Navy in 1944 and served for two years during World War II. In later years, she served as a librarian for the Waverly School District and retired from the Village of Waverly Recreation Department as Senior Citizen Director. She was a member of St. John Lutheran Church in Sayre since 1945 and was honored numerous times for her many years as a Sunday school teacher. Her last ceremony celebrated 56 years as a teacher and in her honor a tree was planted in the church yard. Vera formerly served as chairwoman of the Girl Scouts, and as a volunteer at the Robert Packer Hospital Gift Shop for 20 years. She was a member of the Retired American Veterans Women's Association.

Surviving are:

3 daughters, Carole Seeley and husband Al of Dallas, TX, Karen Stewart and husband Steve of Rochester, NY, Cathy Zdon and husband Joel of Waverly, NY

3 grandchildren, Trevor Seeley and wife Shannon of Austin, TX, Brent Seeley of Lubbock, TX, Ian Stewart of Dallas, TX

A sister, Elizabeth Williams and husband Burdette of Arizona

A sister-in-law, Katherine Furman of Sayre, PA

special niece, Jinnie June of Groton, NY

Several nieces and nephews

In addition to her parents and husband, she was preceded in death by; a brother, Charles Whitmarsh and sisters, Shirley Hautala, Dorothy Webster and Jeanne Rice.

The funeral service will be held Friday, June 1, 2012 at noon at St. John Lutheran Church, Sayre, PA with Rev. Richard A. Mowery officiating. Interment will follow in Tioga Point Cemetery, Athens, PA with the Valley Color Guard according full military honors.

The family will receive friends one hour prior to the service at the church. Contributions may be directed to St. John Lutheran Church, 207 S. Hopkins St. Sayre, PA 18840 in Vera W. Fenimore's memory.

Arrangements are under the direction of the Alteri Bowen Funeral Home, Sayre, PA.

Cemetery Details

Tioga Point Cemetery

803 North Main Street
Athens, PA 18810

Previous Events

Visitation

JUN 1. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

St. John Lutheran Church
207 South Hopkins Street
Sayre, PA 18840

Service

JUN 1. 12:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ Vera W. Fenimore

October 22, 2023 at 08:10 PM



“ Vera W. Fenimore

October 08, 2023 at 10:34 PM



“ Vera W. Fenimore

October 06, 2023 at 09:57 AM



“ Vera W. Fenimore

October 06, 2023 at 03:29 AM



“ Vera W. Fenimore

October 05, 2023 at 02:02 PM



“ *My mother valued your mom's friendship dearly. The day before my mom died, she wanted to call your mom but the call did not go through. Your mom was very special. May she rest in peace.*

Wendy Lewis - May 31, 2012 at 06:03 PM

SS

“ Your mom was a very special woman. I met your mom when I was a student at Waverly High School. She was the kindest, sincerest and most loving person who impacted my teenage world greatly. She was always interested in what was going on in my life and she took the time to stop and listen to the "drama" of a teenage girl. She fed my imagination by encouraging me to read some of the all time classics and challenged me to always keep learning. Thank You for sharing her with all of us. May God Bless You and Be Your Comfort, Rock and Shelter. My prayer is you will feel His powerful love as a hug for each of you. Her legacy will always live in each of you and every life that has been touched by hers.

Until we meet again,
Sheila Schweiger-Marsh

Sheila Schweiger-Marsh - May 31, 2012 at 02:49 PM

MS

“ My prayers are with you. We shared some happy times while Vera and Bill were in Florida.

Joyce Simcoe /Now in West Palm Beach

M. Joyce Simcoe - May 31, 2012 at 12:47 PM

BE

“ Dear karen my thoughts are with you and your family . I will remember the great times at your house. Bonnie Bailey Every ,Ridgeville,SC.

Bonnie Bailey Every - May 31, 2012 at 06:14 AM

DG

“ *Carole, Karen, and Cathy*

I am so sorry for your loss. May all those wonderful memories that you cherish, comfort you at this very sad time. Please accept my deepest sympathy.

*Dennis J Gergel
Bradenton, Fl.*

Dennis J Gergel - May 30, 2012 at 08:12 PM