



Eleanor A. Zibbell

August 1, 1926 - February 27, 2019

Zibbell, Eleanor Agnes (Bakanoski/Leporowski), 92, passed away peacefully in her sleep on Wednesday, February 27th, 2019 at home with her daughter and granddaughter in Plymouth, Michigan. Eleanor was born in Detroit on August 1st, 1926 to Agnes (Dybalski) and Stephen Leporowski. She raised her three children in Detroit before moving to Lake City, Michigan in 1990 and subsequently moved to Reed City, Michigan in 1996. She was an active member of her church, St. Paul's Lutheran Church, and could be found there every Sunday with her husband Charles Zibbell. Eleanor moved to Plymouth, Michigan, in 2015 where she remained until her passing. Eleanor loved spending time with her children, grandchildren, great-grandchildren, and her dog, Reese. She loved bird watching with her husband and was an avid bingo player and played up until her passing. Eleanor is survived by her children, David (Beverly) Bakanoski and Susan Sequin (James Phalin); two grandchildren, Amanda (Kevin) Francolini and David (Beth) Bakanoski II; two great-granddaughters Cassidy Schafer-Bortnem and Arya Bakanoski, brothers Steve Leporowski (Kae – deceased) and Albert (Diane) Leporowski, and many nieces and nephews. Eleanor was preceded in death by her parents, brothers Leo and (Wanda) and Eddie and (Carrie) Leporowski and sisters Teresa and (Bob) Burk and Marie and (Harold) Widman, her son and daughter-in-law Dennis and Niki Bakanoski, and husbands Charles Zibbell and Joseph Bakanoski. The Memorial Gathering will take place on Saturday, May 11th, from 11 AM until the Memorial Service at 12 PM at Vermeulen-

Sajewski Funeral Home, 46401 Ann Arbor Rd. W., (btwn Sheldon & Beck)
Plymouth, MI 48170. In lieu of flowers, please make a donation to Angela
Hospice, 14100 Newburgh Road, Livonia, MI 48154. To share a memory,
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Previous Events

Gathering of Family and Friends

MAY 11. 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM (ET)

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Memorial Service

MAY 11. 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM (ET)

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Tribute Wall



“ *Eleanor A. Zibbell*

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