



Grace A. Schwenter

October 5th, 2013

Grace Agnes Schwenter (Brinkman)

died at home surrounded by family, friends and loving caregivers. Born in Detroit, February 21st, 1916 to Anthony and Florence, the family resided at their funeral home on Mack and Maxwell. While attending St. Catherine's High School in Detroit she met the love of her life Albert (Al) Schwenter and they married June 10, 1936. Married 52 years, he preceded her in death in December 1988. Together they founded/operated Whittier Jewelry on Detroit's east side. She is also preceded in death by sisters Rosemary Brinkman, Helen Sinkowski and infant brother Richard. Loving mother to Richard (Shirley) Schwenter of Harrison Twp. and Suzanne Schlaack (Ken, deceased Dec. '12) Kalamazoo, MI. Fun-loving and active Grandma to Ronda (Toby) Lichtensteiger of Milwaukee, WI, Eric (Harvest) Schwenter of Portland, OR and Jeffrey Schwenter Charleston, SC. Special Aunt to many nieces and nephews. Long time friend of Rita Danckaert and many more. Grace was an avid Detroit Tigers and Red Wings fan and loved watching golf. She was a true lady, loved fashion, playing cards and attending social events. She touched so many lives in her 97 years and will be dearly missed.

Previous Events

Visitation

OCT **10.** 4:00 PM - 8:00 PM (ET)

Arthur J. Van Lerberghe Funeral Home
30600 Harper
St. Clair Shores, MI

Service

OCT **11.** 10:00 AM (ET)

St. Hubert Catholic Church
38775 Prentiss Street
Harrison Township, MI

Tribute Wall



“ We were sorry to see Mrs. Schwenter's death notice today. She was a wonderful, smiling person who always had a nice word to say to all. We spent many hours in their store and in later years she would attend the Guardian Angel card parties, she always brought a watch as a prize. Our sympathy to the family but I'm sure your dad will be happy to have her with him. We will say a prayer for her.##imported-begin##David & Dorothy Damm##imported-end##

October 13, 2013 at 09:24 PM



“ Sue...you and your family are in my thoughts and prayers. God Bless. Mike##imported-begin##Mike Wyant##imported-end##

October 11, 2013 at 08:17 AM



“ Dick, Sue and your families You have my deepest sympathy. Grace was a wonderful woman and I wish I had know her longer. When I moved next to her, she was the first person in the complex who came out to meet me, and it made me smile. Grace was such a sweetheart.##imported-begin##Suane Jones##imported-end##

October 10, 2013 at 11:57 PM



“ Dick, Sue am so sorry I can't be there with you. Sue hope we can talk a bit next week. I want to make a donation to St Vincent DePaul.
Love you and hope you are doing as well as can be expected.
Special prayers and alter flowers from my church on the first Sunday in November
will be offered.##imported-begin##Lori Johnson##imported-end##

October 10, 2013 at 06:06 PM



“ Sue, Ronda, and family, I'm so sorry to hear of your terrible loss! Praying for the comfort and consolation of God's love during this difficult time. Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon her.##imported-begin##Todd Wyant##imported-end##

October 10, 2013 at 02:14 PM



“ Dear Sue, Rhonda and family, I'm thinking of you all with sympathy and prayers.

Remember you now have another
angel watching over you!

Love, Betty##imported-begin##Betty Stora##imported-end##

October 10, 2013 at 12:32 PM



“ Sue, her daughter, has mentioned Grace many times and recalled the exciting life they had as a family. She must have been interesting person and will be greatly missed.##imported-begin##Carrie Teutsch##imported-end##

October 09, 2013 at 02:52 PM